



OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) 4TH FEBRUARY 2024

Mass Times

Vigil Mass: Sat 6.30 pm
Sunday 9.30 am
11.00 am
Spanish Mass 12.30 pm
6.30 pm
Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30 pm

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15 am
6.00 – 6.30 pm
Mon – Fri 6:15 – 6:30 pm

Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm
(Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

Rosary

Every Wednesday after
10am Mass followed by Tea
in the Founders Room.

- Rosary also held
on Sundays at 3pm
in the Colonnade.

Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the
Parlour.

Holy Hour

1st Friday of every month after
10am Mass. The **Blessed
Sacrament** will be exposed for
Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy &
Benediction.

Saints Days

Mon 5th – St. Agatha
Tue 6th – St. Paul Miki and
Companions St. Josephine
Bakhita
Wed 7th – St. Colette
Thu 8th – St. Josephine Bakhita
Fri 9th – St. Jerome Emiliani
Sat 10th – St. Scholastica



St. Peregrine Mass of Healing

Our next St. Peregrine Mass of
Healing is on **28th of February
2024** at 6:30pm.

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every
Monday after our 10am Mass.

Blessed Carlo, Pray for us.

Sunday Reflection

The readings in 5th Sunday Ordinary Time Year B talks about sickness and sufferings. Job in the 1st reading lament. He says, “My pain is more than I can bear. I can’t sleep at night, I shall not see happiness again.” Job’s lament is a cry we all feel within ourselves when we become seriously ill or when someone we love becomes ill or dies.

In this world full of sufferings and pains Jesus comes. The Gospel reading today, the Lord heals Simon’s mother-in-law and then people with all sorts of illnesses. Jesus didn’t view sufferings as a punishment from God. It is part of human conditions. For Jesus, suffering is an opportunity to show what God is like. He reveals the compassion of God in face of human suffering.

Suffering is an unavoidable element of the human condition. The road of suffering is a narrow and dark one. But it’s a great comfort to us to know that Jesus went down this road and went down it to the end. It is not the same since he travelled it. A bright light illuminates it.



First Holy Communion – The next Eucharist and parent’s meeting will be on 13th February 2024 at 6:30 pm. The next Session Sunday will be on 25th February at 10:00 am prompt at the School Hall. Make sure that your child will come before the time please.

Confirmation Classes 2024 – The next Confirmation Session will be on 25th February 2024 at 5:00 pm and then followed by a Mass at 6:30 pm.

Ministers of the Holy Eucharist – We are inviting those who would like to serve as Ministers of the Holy Eucharist to join and attend the forthcoming formation to be given by Mary Crowley on 27th February 2024 at 7:00 pm at the Founders Room.

Service of Anointing of the Sick – There will be a Mass of the Sick with Anointing to be celebrated by Cardinal Vincent Nichols at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 10th February 2024 at 2:30 pm. Kindly coordinate at the parish office please.

Feast of the Seven Holy Founders – The Servite Order will be celebrating the Feast of the Seven Holy Founders on 17th February 2024 (Saturday). The concelebrated mass will be at 11:00 am. Note that there won’t be 10:00 am mass. All are invited to join us in this celebration.

Prayer to St. Agatha

Patron Saint of Breast Cancer

Saint Agatha, blessed virgin and martyr.
You are honored as the patron of breast
cancer. You suffered pain and torture in
your devotion to the Lord.

Protect me from breast cancer and intervene
before God almighty, and pray for me so that
I may be cured. Heal me and comfort me,
and mercifully grant me protection from all
cancer. Amen.

