

SECOND COLLECTIONS FOR 2024

RACIAL JUSTICE Sunday January 28 –

An optional collection. Send money to Catholic Trust for England and Wales (CaTEW) via Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

MISSIONARY ORDERS: Weekend 17th-18th February

A mandatory collection for The Missionary Society of St. Paul. Fr Charles will say Mass and make an appeal in our Parish. More information on <https://mspfathers.co.uk/>

CAFOD Sunday February 25 –

Family Fast Day Friday February 23: An optional collection of donations raised on Family Fast Day. Send money to: CAFOD Romero House, 55 Westminster Bridge Road, London SE1 7JB

HOLY LAND SHRINES Good Friday – March 29 –

A mandatory collection. Send money to the Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

VOCATIONS Sunday April 21 –

A mandatory (Local Ordinary) collection, for the formation of our diocesan seminarians. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK Sunday May 12 –

A mandatory (Holy See) collection. Send money to the Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

BISHOPS' CONFERENCE LIFE CHARITIES Sunday June 16 –

Day for Life: A mandatory (CBCEW) collection. Send money to CaTEW via Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

PETER'S PENCE Sunday June 30 –

A mandatory (Holy See) collection. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

STELLA MARIS Sunday July 14 –

Sea Sunday: A mandatory collection. Send money to: Freepost RTKT-KCYH-BBYA, Stella Maris, 39 Eccleston Square, London, SW1V 1BX

CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE Sunday September 8 –

An optional collection. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

BISHOPS' CONFERENCE Sunday September 15 –

Evangelii Gaudium (Home Mission) Sunday: A mandatory (CBCEW) collection. Send money to CaTEW via Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

CAFOD Sun, October 6 – Harvest Fast Day Friday October 4

An optional collection of donations raised on Family Fast Day. Send money to: CAFOD Romero House, 55 Westminster Bridge Road, London SE1 7JB

MISSIO Sunday October 20 –

World Mission Sunday: A mandatory (Holy See) collection. Send money to: Mgr Canon James Cronin, National Director Missio, 23 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1NU

CARITAS EAST ANGLIA/ST EDMUND'S FUND Sunday November 3 –

Diocesan Social Outreach: An optional collection. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

DIOCESAN YOUTH SERVICE Sunday November 24 –

An optional collection. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

DIOCESAN DEPENDENT PRIESTS' FUND Sunday December 15 –

A mandatory (Local Ordinary) collection. Send money to Diocesan Finance Office. Please make cheques payable to RCDEA.

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Please support the above charities, or a special appeal, by:

- sending your donations directly to them.
- cash in an envelope (Please say it is general 'Second Collection' or for a particular charity).
- BACS via the Parish accounts (details in the weekly bulletin), or Dona machine. You may name a particular charity, or make a general donation (please mark 'Second Collection' in the reference); the Parish will divide your donations equally to all of them.

Thank you very much for your generosity.