## OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE Parish News

Parish Priest: Fr David Manson

**Address:** The Presbytery, The Avenue,

Braintree, CM7 3HY

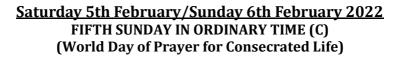
**Telephone:** 01376 326779

**Email:** braintree@dioceseofbrentwood.org

Website: www.olqp.co.uk

**Facebook:** https://www.facebook.com/groups/2027828513949238

Twinned with the Parish of Ermelo in the Diocese of Dundee, South Africa



World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in the Church on Wednesday, February 2, 2022 and in parishes over the weekend of **February 5-6, 2022.** 

Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.



<u>SICK PARISHIONERS</u>: Please pray for all who are sick in our hospitals, our nursing homes and at home. For those who are anxious, bereaved or struggling in the Faith. May they experience the healing hands of Jesus through our prayerful actions and visits, including:

Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Kathy McBrierty, Mary Davis, Catherine Hughes, Val Harding, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Megan Delaney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Bernard Boylan, Chris Brodie, Barbara Mansell, Janet Cash, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, Bob Bothello, Brenda Sewell, Fr Martin Nott, Peggy White, Mary Derriman, Eileen Brooks, Stella McKenna, Mona O'Rourke, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, Kate Friedlein and Chris Dayer.

ANNIVERSARIES: Martha Hayes, Anastasia Pipe, Nora Connor, Denis Mayne, Mary Barlow, Irene Cleary, Judy Gray, Eileen Ryan, Fred Benfield, Kenneth Pannell, David Dyson, Mandy Daly, Francis Mobbs, Barry Cross, Mary Channer, Bridget Israel, Katarzyna Duzniak, Frank Geraghty, Edith McCormack, Hugh Geraghty and Elizabeth Pugh.

May they all rest in peace.

<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u>: These are most welcome. Please use the Mass Intention slips that are available in the Church entrance. When filling in the slip please supply the Christian name and the surname, the purpose of the intention and any relevant date. Please place in an envelope clearly marked 'Mass Intention' and drop into the Parish office Please note most Masses until mid-March have intentions allocated to them.

**FUNERAL**: The Funeral Service for the late Gavin Leech will take place on Wednesday 9th February at 11.30am. Everyone is welcome. Please keep Jacqui and the family in your prayers. **May he rest in Peace.** 

**FUNERAL**: The Funeral for the late Maggie Higgins will take place in the Church on Friday 25th February at 11.30am, followed by cremation at The Three Counties Crematorium. Please remember John and all the family at this sad time. **May she rest in Peace.** 

**FRIDAY COFFEE MORNING AFTER MASS:** A coffee morning is held after morning Mass each Friday. Everyone is welcome. Proceeds are for the Parish.

**THANK YOU**: We would like to say a big thank you to FareShare & Tesco Store in Braintree for their kind donation of bread each week.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Friday 11th February after morning Mass, until 1.00pm.

**THE ROSARY**: The Rosary is prayed after Mass each Wednesday. The Intentions are for World and Family Peace.

**SECOND COLLECTION**: There will be a second collection in aid of **THE LOURDES SICK & HELPERS PILGRAMAGE FUND** this weekend.

**YOUTH CLUB:** There will be no Youth Club until after Easter.

## **VACANCIES**:

Please see the diocesan website for vacancies advertised <a href="https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/departments/education/vacancies/school-vacancies/">https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/departments/education/vacancies/</a> school-vacancies/

Positions currently available include:

**Catholic Schools Executive Leader (CSEL), Our Lady of Grace Trust, Newham**- applications close 11<sup>th</sup> February, required for September 2022 **Headteacher, Holy Cross Academy, Harlow**, effective from September 2022, applications close 21<sup>st</sup> February, required for September 2022 **Deputy Headteacher, St Vincent's, Dagenham**, applications close 31<sup>st</sup> January, required from April 2022.

**FLAT TO RENT**: Two bedroom apartment 5 minutes drive/ 20 minute walk to Braintree town centre. Available for viewing. Call: 07710 640710.

**100 CLUB - WINNERS:** Congratulations to this month's winners! First Prize (£200): **Caroline Micallef.** 

Second Prize (£50): Teresa Seward.

For £5 per month you have the chance to win £200. Money that isn't paid out as prizes, goes towards the church funds. If anyone is interested in finding out more about the 100 Club; please contact Clare on: 01376326779.



## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2022 FRIDAY 4TH MARCH

A SERVICE FOR EVERYONE



10.30 AM

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH The Presbytery, The Avenue, Braintree Refreshments after the service

## **LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK**

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) (World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life) Saturday 5th February Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Nora Connor RIP (A) (Martini O'Donnell)
Sunday 6th February	9.00am	Ints James Calder & Family
	11.00am	Ints Mrs Cimeruo Anagor & Family
Monday 7th February	No Mass	
Tuesday 8th February	9.30am	Judy Gray RIP (A) (Frank Gray)
Wednesday 9th February	9.30am	Gavin Leech RIP (Mary, Bernadette, Hannah, Rita, Iris, Janet, Linda & Maureen)
FUNERAL SERVICE	11.30am	Gavin Leech RIP
Thursday 10th February St Scholastica, V	9.30am	Maggie Higgins RIP (Mary, Hannah, Rita & Bernadette) & Ints Mrs Anne G
Friday 11th February OUR LADY OF LOURDES, Principal Patroness of the Diocese (World Day for the Sick)	9.30am	Jane & John Drugan RIP (Digby)
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) (Racial Justice Day) Saturday 12th February Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Deborah Pannell RIP (A) (Pannell)
	9.00am	Rina Nicholls RIP (A) (Ratcliffe)
Sunday 13th February	11.00am	Gavin Leech RIP (Margaret & Josie)