OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE Parish News

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Saturday 28th September/Sunday 29th September 2024 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)



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

<u>SICK PARISHIONERS</u>: We pray for the sick and housebound and those who have asked for our prayers:

Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Kathy McBrierty, Mary Davis, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Megan Delaney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Chris Brodie, Barbara Mansell, Janet Cash, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, Bob Bothello, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, , Hazel Smith, John Kisielowski, Peggy White, Janine Corbey, Bridget Finneral, Jordan Caulfield, Mary O'Keeffe, Kate Friedlein, Stephanie Price, Sharon Jenner, Maria Caparco, Anne Bardell, Brian Hankey, Agnes Hughes, Mary Breadman and Noel McCormack.

ANNIVERSARIES: Annabella Rowling, Michael Arenal, John Michael Baker, Margaret Closs, Ethel Siebert, Helen Williamson, Ann Connors, Bartholomew Mullane, Georgette Hull, Tom McGuile, Winifred Rolfe, June Barrett, Rose Clarke, Sally Norman, Andrew Burford, Bert Mullane and Kasimierz Dobrowolski.

May they rest in peace.

CONFESSIONS AND EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Confessions and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament take place on Saturday mornings between 10.30am and 11.30am.

SECOND COLLECTION: There will be a second collection **NEXT** Sunday for **CAFOD—Harvest Fast Day**.

Gift-aiders, please use your second collection envelopes.

IRISH/COUNTRY MUSIC NIGHT: A music night will be held on Saturday 19th October at 7.00pm -10.30pm in the Jubilee Hall. Tickets are priced at £5 (Primary school children free of charge and Secondary school and above £2). All monies raised will be split between the Church and SVP. Tea and coffee will be available but please bring along your own soft/alcoholic drinks and any nibbles. There will be a raffle on the night too.

FRIDAY 4TH OCTOBER - ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI "HARVEST FAST DAY"

There will be Mass at St Francis School at 9.30am and not in the Church.

PRAYERS: Please pray for the repose of the Raymond McNulty, Bernadette's husband who passed away on Thursday. Keep Bernadette and all her family in your prayers. May he rest in peace.

YOUTH GATHER, ESSEX OUTDOORS, EAST MERSEA, 26TH – 27TH OCTOBER:

For anyone in year 9 and above, join us for a weekend of speakers, workshops, prayer, the chance to try archery or climbing, socialise with friends old and new, and all while sharing in and celebrating our Catholic faith.

Applications are now open and you can apply and find all information at www.bcys.net/events/youth-gather-2024/

MISSIO RED BOX COLLECTION

Thank you so much to our Red Box holders. The August collection amounted to a fantastic £262.78. I am very appreciative of your continuing support.

The next collection will take place late November/early December.

If you want to empty your box before this date you can do so by taking a brown envelope from the back of the church, empty contents into it and leave it at the presbytery with Clare.

Once again thank you for supporting MISSIO Red Box Collection.

Pauline Smith (MISSIO Parish Secretary)

CONFIRMATION: There will be a meeting on Thursday 3rd October at 7.00pm in The Jubilee Hall for those interested in making their Confirmation next year. If you need any further information, please contact Jacqui Leech on: 07594 499051.

A DAY WITH MARY: A Day With Mary is taking place at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 12 October (9.45am to 5.00pm). Further information is available at: https://www.adaywithmary.org/ or https://eventcatholic.com/

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Application forms are now available on the new Parish Facebook page (Our Lady Queen of Peace Braintree) and at the back of the church. The programme will consist of monthly sessions on a Saturday for the children with a separate workshop for their parents taking place at the same time. Sessions will commence in October and run through to June 2025. If your child is in Year 3 and above and has been baptised then please enrol them in the programme submitting the application form to the parish office by the 13th October at the latest. Workbooks will be provided for your child with accompanying parent's workbook at a cost of £20. If you are unable to manage this cost then please speak to Fr David or Deacon Jamie in confidence. The initial introductory meeting for parents will be on the 15th October at 7pm in the Parish Hall. We look forward to meeting you all then.

The FHC team.

LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) Saturday 28th September Sunday 29th September	6.00pm 9.00am 11.00am	Fran Wetton RIP Gavin Leech RIP Stella McKenna RIP Don Batts RIP (From all their families and friends) Ints Street Children in India and all over the World Ints Theresa Crush and all the Crush Family & Irene and Peter Crush RIP
Monday 30th September St Jerome, Pr, D	No Mass	
Tuesday 1st October St Therese of the Child Jesus, V, D	9.30am	Ronnie Olliffe RIP (Olliffe Family) & Raymond McNulty RIP (The Church Ladies)
Wednesday 2nd October The Holy Guardian Angels	9.30am	Robin Kiddle B'day (Kiddle) & Ints Teresa and Brian Seward (Milden)
Thursday 3rd October	9.30am	Thanksgiving Mass & Ints Mrs Norton
Friday 4th October St Francis of Assisi "HARVEST FAST DAY" Mass at St Francis School	9.30am	Ints Ovinda Da Costa Pereira, her Ministry and Family
TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) Saturday 5th October	6.00pm	Andrew Burford RIP (A) (Burford) & Patrick White RIP (Woulfe Family)
Sunday 6th October	9.00am	Martin McGinty RIP (Mohan)
	11.00am	John and Theresa Kelly RIP (Kelly)