

# OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

## Parish News

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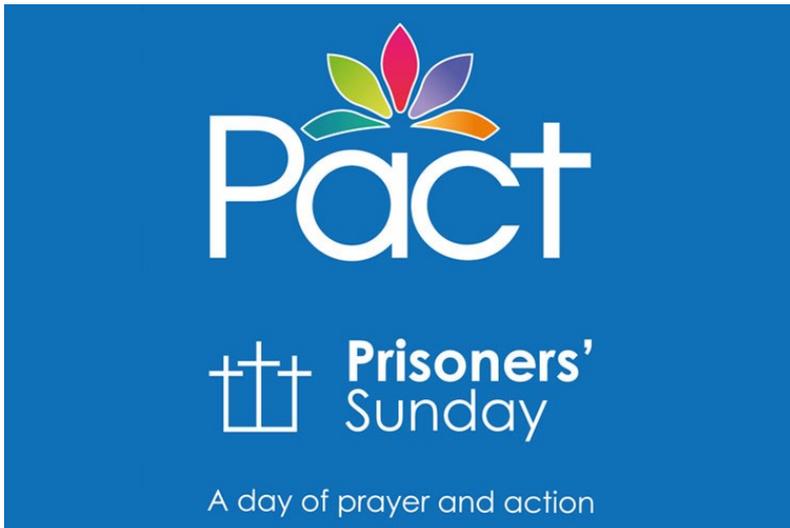
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**Saturday 12th October / Sunday 13th October 2024**

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME (B)  
“Prisoners’ Sunday”**



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

**The Brentwood Diocesan Trust Registered Charity No: 234092**

**SICK PARISHIONERS: 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:** Jack Brown, Roseleen Conlon, Vera Gillespie, Sandra Sicheri, Mary Elizabeth Kent, Henry Rogers, Filomena Hammond, Christopher Shelock, John Kelly, Katherine Pipe, Philip Warren, June Gamble, Mary Fletcher, Ivy Angus and Dorothy Moran.

**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 **THIS** Sunday for **“PRISONERS’ SUNDAY”**.

Gift-aiders, please use your second collection envelopes.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a second collection **NEXT** Sunday for **“MISSIO—WORLD MISSION DAY”**.

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**ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL – September 2025 applicants for Reception class place:**

Was your child born between 01.09.2020 and 31.08.2021?

We would like to welcome all prospective parents and their pre-school child to book a place to attend an Open Morning on one of the following days:

***Wednesday 6th November 9.15am-10.15am***

***Tuesday 12th November 9.15am-10.15am***

*If you would like to book a place please call the school office - 01376 320440*

This will include a talk from the Headteacher at 9.15am and a tour of the school with children.

There will be opportunities to speak with the Headteacher and other staff if you **have any questions relating to the application process.**

**THANK YOU:** Bernadette McNulty would like to say thank you to all those kind parishioners who sent cards and offered kind words and prayers on the death of her husband Raymond.

**BAPTISMS:** This weekend we welcome Charlie Manuel Gouveia Andrade in to the family of the Church. Please keep him and his family in your prayers at this special time.

### **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 Church.** We look forward to meeting you all then. **The FHC team.**

### **SIGNING OF CERTIFICATES OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE FOR ST FRANCIS**

**SCHOOL:** Fr David will be signing Certificates of Catholic Practice on the following dates. Please call Clare in the office to make a 5 minute appointment.

Tuesday 19th November - 6.00pm onwards

Thursday 21st November - 6.00pm onwards

**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.

**FAITH GROUP:** This month the Faith Group will meet as usual on the third Tuesday of the month at 7.00pm - 8.30pm (15th October).

From November onwards, they will hold their meeting on the second Thursday of each month at 2.00pm; the first meeting being 14th November! By holding it in the afternoon it will hopefully be more accessible for people and more parishioners will be able to attend.

**CONFIRMATION:** For those who couldn't make the last meeting, there will be a meeting on Thursday 24th 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.

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## LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

<p><b>TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) (Prisoners' Sunday)</b> Saturday 12th October</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 13th October</p>	<p>6.00pm</p> <p>9.00am</p> <p>11.00am</p>	<p>Rosa &amp; Pasquale Gallo RIP (Santomauro) &amp; Eileen Woulfe RIP (A) (Woulfe Family)</p> <p>Prayers for the Safe Return of Martyn Richardson (Mohan) &amp; Sean Gilbert RIP (Mohan)</p> <p>Martin Fee RIP (Doleman)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Monday 14th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">No Mass</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday 15th October <b>St Teresa of Jesus, V, D</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.30am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Stephen Cuthbert RIP (Rita) &amp; Thanksgiving Mass</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday 16th October</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.30am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ints Stella Santosh (B'day) &amp; Charlotte Spencer RIP (A) (Lewer)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday 17th October <b>St Ignatius of Antioch, Bp, M</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.30am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">John Angus Yule and Dorothy Yule RIP &amp; Irena Van RIP (Theresa Crush)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Friday 18th October <b>ST LUKE, Ev</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.30am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ints Mary O'Keefe &amp; Chris Shelock RIP (A) (Shelock)</p>
<p><b>TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) (World Mission Sunday)</b> Saturday 19th October</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 20th October</p>	<p>6.00pm</p> <p>9.00am</p> <p>11.00am</p>	<p>Ints Jacqui Leech and Family (Sue &amp; Pat) &amp; Elizabeth Foley and Sarah Bryan RIP (A) (Bryan Family)</p> <p>Noel Daly RIP (Doleman)</p> <p>The Deceased members of the O'Connell Family RIP (Ward)</p>