OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE Parish News

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Saturday 22nd March / Sunday 23rd March 2025 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT (C)



<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, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Megan Delaney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Chris Brodie, Barbara Mansell, Janet Cash,

Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, 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, Agnes Hughes, Mary Breadman, Martha Botelho, Peter McDonagh,

Janet Boxall, Melissa Kendal, Maria Kersey, Ursula Kirk, Peter North, Hazel Smith and Michael Blancs.

NOTE: If you wish a person to be taken off the prayers list; please let me know in the office and I will ensure their names are removed. **Clare**

ANNIVERSARIES: Doreen Ashburner, Nicholas Williamson, Margaret Francis, Winifred Finneral, Archie Hill, Hugh Donlon, James Rooney, James Irons, Laurence O'Keeffe, Mary Peagram, Bob Beagley, Peter Malone, Michael Boxall, John Clarke and Kit Edwards.

May they rest in peace.

CONFESSIONS AND EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Please keep our First Holy Communion children in your prayers as they receive their Sacrament of Reconciliation this month.

GIFT AID: The envelopes for the new Tax Year are now available on the table at the back of the Church. If you make your donations by standing order, then the envelopes are there for Second Collections and Easter and Christmas Donations. I have left all envelopes in the boxes as I know some parishioners still like to make additional weekly donations.

Chris Dayer.

EASTER LILIES: If you would like to buy a lily in remembrance of a loved one, to decorate the altar this Easter, please put a donation in an envelope and mark it "**EASTER LILY**". Inside the envelope, put the name of the person or persons you would like to remember and all the people on our "Easter Lillies List" will then be remembered at every Mass during the Easter season .

Please post it through the Presbytery letterbox as soon as possible. If you are in our Gift aid scheme, then please quote your gift aid number.

THE SHROUD OF TURIN EXHIBITION

View a full-sized replica of the Shroud of Turin Free admission

Wednesday 12 March - Monday 21 April at St George's Cathedral Lambeth Road Southwark SE1 7HY

St George's Cathedral is open Monday–Friday from 7:15am–5pm, Saturday from 9am–7pm, and Sunday from 7:30am–7pm.

The Shroud of Turin is a length of linen cloth that bears a faint image of the front & back of a crucified man - believed by many to be the actual burial Shroud used to wrap the body of Our Lord after his crucifixion, & upon which his bodily image is miraculously imprinted.

More details about the exhibition are on the Southwark Archdiocesan website::

https://www.stgeorgescathedral.org.uk/whats-on/shroud-of-turin-exhibition-at-st-george-s-cathedral/

And on You Tube Fr. Robert Spitzer SJ and Chris Stefanick discuss the Shroud of Turin

https://www.voutube.com/watch?v=5xxiR37eUt8

<u>VACANCY</u> St Mary's Catholic Primary School, Hornchurch, Essex are currently recruiting for a **Head Teacher**.

https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/wp-content/ uploads/2025/03/2025-03-26_1600_St-Marys-Primary-School-Hornchurch Headteacher Job-Advert.pdf

Closing date: 12pm on Wednesday 26th March 2025.

YOUTH CLUB: The COBWEB Youth Group meets fortnightly for school years 4-7. There are various activities, occasional discos and trips. If you need any further information, please contact Jacqui Leech- 07594 499051.

THE DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE:

The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday Retreat at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Saturday 26th April 2025 from 10 am to 4:30 pm. The retreat will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Stations of the Cross, Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Call Millie on **07957594646** for more information. Coaches from Slough, Ealing Broadway and Victoria.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT (C) Saturday 22nd March	6.00pm	Mary and Mick Rumbold RIP (The Rumbold Family)
Sunday 23rd March	9.00am	Ints All The Faithful
	11.00am	Ian Ward RIP (A) (The Ward Family)
Monday 24th March	No Mass	
Tuesday 25th March The Annunciation of the Lord	9.30am	Eileen Lacey (B'day) (Bill) & Anita Paul RIP (B'day) (Bill)
Wednesday 26th March	9.30am	Chris Green RIP (Marie Edwards)
Thursday 27th March	9.30am	Thanksgiving Mass (Sumi Robin)
Friday 28th March	9.30am	Anita Paul RIP (Teresa & Brian)
Stations of the Cross	7.30pm	
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (C) Saturday 29th March		Ints Conrad and Brenda (Norma Henriques) &
	6.00pm	Ints Hazel Smith (Josie Hill) &
		Carmelo D'Amico RIP (A)
Sunday 30th March	9.00am	People of The Parish
	11.00am	Terence Nunes (B'day Blessings) (Norma and Family)