

MASS TIMES

Sat 19th Feb
(MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 20th Feb
(StD) 9am:
(MHR) 11am

Mon 21st Feb
(MHR) 9.30am:

Tues 22nd Feb
(StD) 9.30am:

Wed 23rd Feb
(MHR) 9.30am:

Thur 24th Feb
(StD) 9.30am:

Fri 25th Feb
(MHR) 9.30am:
(MHR) 10.00am:

Sat 26th Feb
(MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 27th Feb
(StD) 9am:
(MHR) 11am:

MASS INTENTION

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)
Tommy Casey Birthday RIP - Michael Reid

Irene Rutland RIP - Tim & Janet
People Of the Parish

FERIA
Bob McCartney Rip- Philomena & Paula

THE CHAIR OF ST PETER, AP
Margaret Shalloe - John & Family

ST POLYCARP, Bp, M.
NO MASS

FERIA
Denise - Theresa & Patrick

FERIA
Andy, Liz, Josh, Jo - Theresa & Patrick
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)
People of The Parish

Michael Rutland RIP - Tim & Janet O'Brien
Christian, Adrian, Caitlin Bianca,- Lucil Dorcile

Morning Prayer & Divine Chaplet: Before Mass 9.15am, Rosary: Mon and Fri after Morning Mass (MHR) & Tues and Thursday after Morning Mass (StD), Confession: Fri 10am -11am at MHR (and by request)

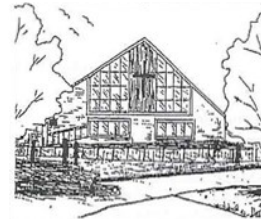
PLEASE PRAY FOR

Rita Bracher, Ann Channon, Chris Channon, Christine, Deborah DiMoriaku, Stacey Doyle, Mary Eckett, John Farley, Louise Flores, G. Golding, Noel Jones, Tania Kavanagh, Daniel Kelleher, Karen Kennedy, Billy Koseda, Julie Levy, Luke, Madeleine, Eileen McGeown, Graham McGeown, Marjorie McHugh, Geraldine McStravick, Susan Newman, Daisy Palmer, Fred Rayner, Ted Rogers, Dee Skene, Della Sloan, William Taylor, Barbara Timson, Tony Tyres, Andreas Vassiliou, June Warrington, Jan Weatherill, Eileen Lacey, Andrew White, Thomas Wighton, Brenda White, Mark Channon, Lynsey Mitchell, Elise Pridmore, Jim Griffin, John Barry, Trish Connolly, Fran Manderson, Fr Jean-Laurent Marie, Veronica & John Campling, Sarah Harding, Claire Monkcom, Andy and Doreen.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME

Henry Burland, Deirdre (Dee) Talbot, Ellen Wilkinson, Dorothy Rose Garey, Deacon Sidney Lewis, Hazel Gwen McNamara, Frank Kelly, Therese Louisa Marie Stancombe, Leo Fackler, Joseph Harrington, Thomas Jones, Margaret Shalloe, Maria Fackler, George Arthur John Kempshall, Canon Aloysius Roche, Betty Quinn, Elizabeth Buckley, Andy Morton, Patrick Joseph O'Shea, Josephine O'Higgins, John Murphy, Mgr. Jules Van Meehan,

The Most Holy Redeemer Catholic Church and St Dominic's Catholic Church



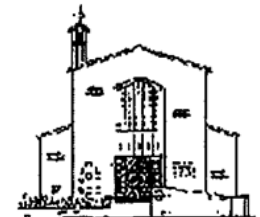
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SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

20th FEBRUARY 2022

First Reading: 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9,12-13, 22-23 **Second Reading:** 1 Cor 15:45-49 **Gospel:** Lk 6:27-38,



Jesus said to his disciples: "I say this to you who are listening: Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who treat you badly" (Luke 6:27-28)

The words from Jesus in today's Gospel; "Love your enemy." The phrase "turn the other cheek" is part of everyday language, and it comes from this passage of Luke's Gospel. It can be hard not to meet violence with violence, harsh words with an angry response. Jesus offers us a pathway of love and peace, and it matters very deeply. The world, our politics, and parts of our lives, seem to be ever more full of anger and division, and ours is a voice with a different melody to offer, a melody of peace, understanding and hope.

When Jesus says, "Forgive your enemies," it is not for the sake of the enemy, but for one's own sake that he says so, and because love is more beautiful than hate" (Oscar Wilde).

GUIDANCE FOR CHURCHES-JAN 2022

Although the Government has removed majority of the restrictions this week, the virus is still with us. We have received guidance from Bishop that encourages us to :

1. Sanitise hands on entry into the church.
2. We will ensure that the church is well-ventilated during Masses - with doors and windows open.
3. At weekend Masses we have many people in the church, some of whom are vulnerable. All of us have a responsibility to keep them safe – **Please continue to wear face masks in the church.**
4. Please do **not attend Mass if you have a Cold or Flu or Covid symptoms.**

TEA/COFFEE MORNING (STD) - Tea/Coffee Morning - Come along and enjoy a cuppa after 9am Mass in St. Dominic's Hall. All are welcome.

PREPARING FOR LENT - Lent begins on Wednesday 2nd March. We will have Mass at 9.30 am at MOST HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH and ST DOMINIC'S CHURCH at 7.30pm with the blessing and distribution of the Ashes, sign of penance and willingness to respond to the grace of this holy season.

SEASON OF LENT - During the Season of Lent there will be **Stations of the Cross at 7pm followed by Mass at 7.30pm at St Dominic's on Friday's evening.** Lent is a season we are encouraged to undertake practices of self-denial: fasting, almsgiving and spend more time dedicated to prayer. Please make a very special effort to attend at least one Friday evening.

RELIQS OF SAINT BERNADETTE - The relics of St. Bernadette of Lourdes will tour the dioceses of England, Scotland and Wales in Autumn 2022. The dates have now been finalised and the relics will arrive in Brentwood Cathedral on Sunday 16th October and depart on Monday 17th October.

THRESHOLDS OF HOPE QUESTION - What is new about the new evangelisation? Input will be given by Fr Pachal Uche, assistant priest at St James the Less, Colchester, today, Sunday 20th February, 4.00 – 5.00 pm via Zoom. To join this Zoom meeting simply forward a contact email to adultformationvicariate@dioceseofbrentwood.org. For more information: www.thresholdsofhope.co.uk

VOCATIONS ENQUIRERS' EVENING - The next "Enquirers' Evening" for those considering or interested in a vocation to the priesthood is on Tuesday 1 March at St Edmund of Canterbury Church in Loughton. The speaker will be Fr Maurice Gordon. For further information please contact Fr Mark Swires vocprom@dioceseofbrentwood.org

FAITH LIFT DAY- at the Sion Community, Sawyers Hall Lane, Brentwood, CM15 9BX, on Saturday 12th March 2022. The programme begins with Mass at 12.00, followed by lunch (please bring your own) 2.00 praise and worship, 2.45 Talk followed by Adoration until 4.30 during which time Confession and prayer ministry will be available. Please feel welcome to join the day at any time, no booking is required. Tea and coffee will be available. Please share with anyone you think may be interested.

SPONSORED SLEEPOUT 2022 - Caritas Diocese of Brentwood are inviting people from the night of 8th to the morning of 9th April, to join the 2022 Sponsored Sleepout to help raise awareness and money to help our local homeless charities and the Brentwood Catholic Youth Service. All information can be found at www.caritasbrentwood.org/sleepout or by emailing sleepout@dioceseofbrentwood.org

LONDON CATHOLIC HISTORY WALKS- The walks are led by historian Joanna Bogle and each walk lasts about an hour and a half. You can leave at any time. Friday March 4th Meet St George's Cathedral Southwark London SE1 7HY 3pm. (Nearest tube: Waterloo East or Lambeth North). A stroll around Southwark. Discover links with Charles Dickens, a ruined church with a story, and more about St George and why he is our local patron saint! This is a circular Walk which will finish back at St George's - but of course you can leave any time. ALL WELCOME: no need to book, just turn up!

BE PART OF THE WALSINGHAM HOUSE TEAM 2022/23 - If you are 18+ and looking for an exciting gap year opportunity, then a year on the Walsingham House Team could be for you. Spend a year as a volunteer in a thriving young Catholic Community, working with thousands of young people from Essex and East London. We are looking for inspiring individuals who want to share their faith with other young people and are also looking to learn new skills, grow deeper in their own faith and enjoy a challenge. For more information please contact Joseph Beattie, manager of Walsingham House, by emailing josephbeattie@dioceseofbrentwood.org or calling 01277 373959. There is more information about our work on our website (www.bcys.net) and social media @Brentwoodcys

BCYS SUMMER LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2022 - 23rd – 30th July 2022. Applications are now open for our summer pilgrimage to Lourdes for those in Years 11-13, with those of school leaver age (18+) invited to join us as young leaders. The week is spent travelling alongside the main Diocesan pilgrimage as we assist the elderly and infirm with going to Masses and services, as well as visiting shops and cafes within the town. For those travelling with the BCYS the week will also include a retreat, reconciliation service, as well as social events and a party. Please see www.bcys.net/events/sl22/ for more information.

REDISCOVER YOUR MARRIAGE- The Retrouvaille programme offers the chance to help you to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the programme commencing with a 'Virtual' weekend on 3rd 6th March 2022. Call or tex 07887296983 or Email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com

PARISH SECRETARY - A vacancy has arisen for a parish secretary in Our Lady of Lourdes parish. The post will be part-time (approx. 20 hours pw – salary and conditions to be agreed). Application forms from Fr. Pat via the parish email address. **Closing date for applications: 25 February 2022.**

PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTATOR- A vacancy has arisen for a part time Parish Office Administrator in Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill Parish. The post will be part-time (approximately 25 hours per week). Application forms can be obtained by contacting Father Joseph via the Parish email address: haroldhillmhr@dioceseofbrentwood.org **Closing Date for Applications: 28th February 2022.**

Further details of these vacancies and others are available from the Diocesan Website <https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/diocese/working-for-us/>.

LOTTERY BONUS BALL

Wed 24th Feb 2022 Bonus Ball: 24

Winner: Ken Page(£50)

Congratulations to winner and thanks for supporting your parishes