

MASS TIMES

Sat 12th August
(MHR) 6.30pm

Sun 13th August
(StD) 9am:
(MHR) 11am

Mon 14th August
(MHR) 9.30am:

Tues 15th August
(StD) 9.30am
(MHR) 7.30pm

Wed 16th August
(MHR) 9.30 am:

Thurs 17th August
(StD) 9.30am:

Fri 18th August
(MHR) 9.30am

Sat 19th August
(MHR) 6.30pm:

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

Morning Prayer : Before Mass 9.15am on Mon - Fri after Morning Mass Rosary (MHR) & Tues and Thurs after Morning Mass (StD) Confession: at MHR (by request)

PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH AND HOUSEBOUND

Brian Angel, Jason Angel, Rita Bracher, Christine, Deborah DiMoriaku, Stacey Doyle, Mary Eckett, Louise Flores, G. Golding, Tania Kavanagh, Daniel Kelleher, Karen Kennedy, Billy Kosedá, Luke, Madeleine, Charlotte Massey, Eileen McGeown, Graham McGeown, Geraldine McStravick, Susan Newman, Elsie Pridemore, Dee Skene, William Taylor, Tony Tyres, June Warrington, Eileen Lacey, Andrew White, Lynsey Mitchell, John Barry, Trish Connolly, Fran Manderson., Veronica & John Campling, Sarah Harding, Claire Monkoom, Andy and Doreen, Nadia Bolton, Donna McKeamey, Tina Perotti, Brenda White, Ann Carr, Janet O'Brien , Jacqueline Pears and Steve Stripe, Paul Singleton, Mary Boyle, Tom Green.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME

Ann McGrath. Hazel Walsh, Sylvia Reeder, Timothy Baker, Alice Elizabeth Brown, Emily Williams, Fr. Stephen Keane, Frederick McDermott. Carol Miles, Francis Veronica McDonald, Timothy Ryan, Annie Wille, Michael Roche, Mrs N Bailey, Olive Kelly, Mary Leaver, Winifred Mannix, Roy Wright, Canon Peter Prendergast, William Semple, Ken Stanton, Grace Morris, James Kitchener Walsh, Hugh Docherty, Canon Vincent Hurley, Mary Doherty, Violet Bailey, Cynthia Pereira, Bernard Graham,

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

MASS INTENTION

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (A)
Tina Perotti Birthday - Maggie, Jon, Janet, Marie

People Of The Parish
Andres Naveda RIP 10th Aniv- MaryAnn & Juan Naveda & Family
ST MAXIMILLAN KOLBE, PR, M
Ann Adams RIP Birthday - Colin & Linda Miles

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Lynda, Ethan, Brielle, Henry
Fr Joseph's deceased Family

FERIA
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Felicia Babaoye RIP— Clara

FERIA
Holy Souls

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (A)
Scott Disley

Health - Genoveva
People Of The People

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



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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (A)

13TH AUGUST 2023

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13 **Second Reading:** Romans 9:1-5 **Gospel:** Mathew 14:22-33

Very heart touching message for today's Gospel.

A man started to walk on a rope tied between two tall towers.

He was walking slowly, balancing a long stick in his hands.

He had his son sitting on his shoulders.

Everyone on the ground were watching him in bated breath and were very tense.

When he slowly reached the second tower, everyone clapped, whistled and welcomed him.

They shook hands and took selfies.

The man asked the crowd " Do you all think I can walk on the same rope now from this side to that side?"

Crowd shouted in one voice "Yes, Yes, we are ready to bet on you.

Do you trust me and have faith in me, he asked? They said yes, yes, we are ready to bet on you.

The man said okay, can anyone of you give your child to sit on my shoulder. I will take the child to the other side safely.

There was stunned silence. Everyone became quiet.

Belief is different.

Trust is different.

For trust and faith you need to surrender totally.

This is what we lack towards God in today's world.

We believe in God Almighty.

BUT do we trust and have faith in Him ?

Very beautiful message, worth pondering over and over again!!!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024 — For children who will be in Year 3 or above in September. The application forms will be available **from Sunday 20th August**. Closing date for application Sunday 29th October 2023. See Paula Jones First Holy Communion Co-Ordinator.

ART AND CRAFTS AND OUT DOOR GAMES— Tuesday's Family fun mornings at Most Holy Redeemer Parish Hall 10-12 am. Come and join us for Arts and Crafts and Out door games. All children must be accompanied by Parents and Carers. **Parents & Carers must stay for the session**. The next session on **Tuesday 22nd August**. Please come along all are welcome. See Theresa for further details.

MASS REGISTRATION CARDS— New Mass Registration Cards 2023-2024 will be available for collection on 20th August . Please collect a new card if your child attends **Nursery this year 2023 as you need a card for reception 2024**. Children from **year 3 for FHC and year 5 to pick up a card**. Please **RETURN** the card for **2022-2023**. Thank you for your co-operation.

SPIRITUAL AND PASTORAL CARE AT THE QUEEN'S HOSPITAL - If anybody is going into The Queen's Hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion or a visit from one of the team, please contact Helen Miranda on 01708 477890. If you want to see a priest for the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) or the Sacrament of the Sick, the ward staff should be able to page the Duty Catholic Chaplain to arrange for him to visit you.

MONDAY IS THE MEMORIAL OF ST MAXIMILIAN KOLBE - during the Nazi occupation of his Polish homeland, this Capuchin friar harboured over 2000 Jews and other refugees. Arrested and taken to the original Auschwitz concentration camp, he begged to be allowed to die in place of another. Thrown into one of the notorious starvation cells, he was finished off with a lethal injection of phenol. He was canonised by Pope John Paul II in 1982.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION- Tuesday is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - in 1950, Pope Pius XII declared that the Mother of God, the ever-Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory. This declaration is one of the three infallible statements issued by popes in the 2000-year history of the Church; it formalised and made explicit, a long-held belief of the Church. The Feast of the Assumption was celebrated here in England in the Middle Ages – far earlier than the rest of Europe. Indeed, there are many medieval churches today known as “St Mary’s” whose original dedication was: “The Assumption of Mary”.

We celebrate the feast of the Assumption **THIS** Tuesday 15th August. This is a holy day; please do your best to attend Mass on this great feast of our Lady. **Masses in our Church will be at the usual holy day obligation times of 9.30 am at STD and 7.30 pm at MHR.**

THINKING ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH? ... Is something in you telling you to go deeper? Or find out? Perhaps you are, or maybe you know someone who is doing just that. Or maybe stopped coming to Church, and is wondering about returning. We are looking for depth. Or, you yourself might wish to informally ask questions, so deepen your understanding and faith. Whatever your circumstances, you are welcome to come along to our Parish RCIA programme and learn more about what it means to be a Catholic Christian.

If you are not part of the Catholic Tradition, and you decide during the programme you would like to commit yourself to the Catholic Faith, you may be received into the Church at Easter next year. Of course, practising Catholics who want to ask questions are more than welcome. If you are interested in joining the programme, please contact Fr. Joseph for more details. (01708 343492 or email: Haroldhillmhr@brcdt.org **Details will follow soon.**

NEWHAM PARTNERSHIP YOUTH CO-ORDINATOR - The successful applicant will build and develop a Partnership Youth Leadership Team. Full Job description is attached. Hours: 35 hours per week (to include evening and weekend work) Salary: £25,000 p/a Contract: A fixed 2 year contract Start Date: Early October 2023. Apply by sending a CV and covering letter (no longer than A4) to frdan-ielkelly@brcdt.org Closing date for applications is 11th September 2023. Interviews – Week Commencing 18th September 2023

RUN THE ROYAL PARKS HALF MARATHON - in aid of The Passage - Sunday 8th October 2023
This stunning autumnal route showcases the iconic sites of London through four Royal Parks – Hyde Park, Kensington Gardens, St James's Park and Green Park. Run past some of the capital's most historic landmarks, including Buckingham Palace, Horse Guards Parade and the Royal Albert Hall. Although undulating in parts, the course is not hilly and is great for both experienced and first-time half marathon runners. Registration fee: £20, Fundraising goal: £300, All money raised will go towards supporting those currently experiencing or threatened by street homelessness so that we can end homelessness for good.

SITE MANAGER VACANCY - CATHEDRAL HOUSE BRENTWOOD -The successful applicant will identify and carry out effectively, routine and reactive maintenance tasks, regular health and safety checks and other general duties associated with the management of buildings and grounds comprising the Cathedral House and the Brentwood Parish. Hours: 35 hours per week. Salary: £23,000 - £27,000 p/a depending on experience. Start Date: ASAP. Apply by sending a CV and covering letter (no longer than A4) recruitment@brcdt.org Closing date for applications is 14th August 2023.

VACANCY— Site Manager, Epping A vacancy has arisen for a part-time Site Manager at The Immaculate Conception, Epping.. The post will be part-time (three hours per week – with a flexible working agreement to be agreed) Please send your CV and cover letter by email to admin@eppingparish.plus.com. Job description: JD014 08 – Caretaker Cleaner – Epping Official V.2 (002)

YEAR 13 RETREAT AT WALSINGHAM HOUSE- MADE FOR A PURPOSE Will you be in Yr13 in September 2023? Are you currently making decisions about your next steps? Would you like some time to step back, reflect, pray and think about the different pathways ahead of you? Then if so, the Yr13 retreat at Walsingham House is just the opportunity to do that. There will be two retreats on offer, either 13th-15th Sept or 22nd-24th Sept. The cost is £35 and there is more information on the website www.bcys.net/events/ or email clairebailey@brcdt.org

CATHOLIC LISTENERS is a confidential telephone helpline service set up for those returning Catholics who want to return to the faith and need a safe space to be heard. A Diocese of Westminster initiative, the helpline is staffed by a team of volunteers who are welcoming, friendly, empathetic and non-judgemental. The helpline is based on the Landings ethos of compassionate listening. Operating three days a week from 4pm -7pm on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays calls are free to the helpline on 0800 448 0704 or by email at Catholiclisteners@gmail.com

THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN - Needs volunteers to help with labelling and packing letters and other duties at our HQ office in Kennington, London SE11 4AB. Suits all ages 16 and over. Lunch is provided and fares will be refunded. Please contact Elizabeth Foody on 020 7091 7091 or lizfoody@spuc.org.uk . Thank you for your great support.

LOTTERY BONUS BALL

Wed 9th August 2023 Bonus Ball No: 54 Winner: ‘Liz Hill’ £25
Congratulations to winners and thank you for supporting your Parishes.