MASS TIMES AND MASS INTENTIONS 27th January - 4th February 2024

Sat 27th January MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 28th January (StD) 9am: (MHR) 11am:

Mon 29th January (MHR) 9.30am:

Tues 30th January (StD) 9.30am:

Wed 31st January (MHR) 9.30 am:

Thurs 1st February (StD) 9.30am:

Fri 2nd February (MHR) 9.30am:

Sat 3rd February (MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 4th February (StD) 9am:

(MHR) 11am:

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (B) People Of The Parish

Lynda Ezimoha & Family Patrick Gallagher RIP - Paula Jones

FERIA Ray Storrar RIP– Josie & Joe Kennedy

FERIA Alan Lacey RIP– E.Lacey

ST JOHN BOSCO, Pr NO MASS

FERIA

Harry and Irene Rutland RIP - Tim & Janet O'Brien

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD Holy Souls

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (B) Patrick & Bridget Gorman RIP - Joe & Josie

People Of The Parish Jan Pawloski RIP - Krisha & Kelvin Sam Angel - Margherita, Jon, Janet, Maria

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, Sean Eckett, Louise Flores, G. Golding, Tania Kavanagh, Daniel Kelleher, Karen Kennedy, Billy Koseda, 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 Monkcom, Andy & Doreen, Nadia Bolton, Donna McKearney, Tina Perotti, Brenda White, Ann Carr, Janet O'Brien, Jacqueline Pears and Steve Stripe, Paul Singleton, Mary Boyle, Tom Green, Val Kelleher, Nicky Burgess, Eve Lawrence, Sue Edwards, Stephanie Bedding, Ken Page, Patrick Murray.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME

James Barnes, Fr. Arthur Perrot Field, Michael Meehan, Mrs K Coleman, Mrs Bridget Gallagher, Charles Edward Robins, Francoise Bristow, Ronald Martin, James Kirkpatrick, Patrick Fitzgerald, Lawrence Henry Duchemin, Fr. Joseph Burns. John Burnham, Savina Cassar, Willie Gabriel, Vincent Cassidy, Jack Ryan, Edward Brain, Con Mulvihill,James O'Shaughnessy, Mary O'Brien, Fr. Eric Blindloss-Smith, Elizabeth Brown, Kathleen Quinn, Annie Morgan, William Mulligan.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

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



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (B)

28th January 2024

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15–20 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35 Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

'Ideally words should always be preceded by deeds. When people who have done something begin to speak, people listen. Their words carry enormous weight. They have real authority. The weakness of a lot of words arises from the fact that they are not preceded, or accompanied, or even followed by deeds. At the root of innumerable wrongs in our world is the discrepancy between word and deed. It is the weakness of Churches, parties and individuals.

It gives people and institutions split personalities. Lord, grant that what we have said with our lips, we may believe with our hearts, and practice with our lives.' Amen.

By: Fr Flor McCarthy

POLITE NOTICE - Dear Parents/Guardians, please try to encourage your children to behave appropriately when in the Church not to scrawled or carved writings or drawings on the benches. Please respect Church property. Remember it's a place of worship and prayer, try to be respectful and considerate to others. For health and safety reasons small children must be supervised at all times especially when they go to toilet. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES - The First Holy Communion Classes will continue this Thursday 1st February from 6.30pm to 7.30pm in St. Georges hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church.

<u>SVP MEETING-</u> Our next meeting will be on <u>Monday 5th February</u> in St. Dominic's small hall at 4.30pm . Thank you.

<u>DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION</u> - There will be a second collection this Sunday for Racial Justice after all Masses. Thank You for your continued support.

<u>CRIB OFFERINGS</u> - As is our custom in this diocese – our offerings made at the Crib go to support the work of the Brentwood Catholic Children's Society. Many thanks to those who have donated to the crib offerings so far. The Crib will remain in place until the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas) on <u>Friday 2nd February</u>.

OFFERING TO THE PARISH BY STANDING ORDER: Thank you very much for your continued support of the parish. If you wish to switch your weekly Sunday collection from your weekly envelope to a Standing Order, this is very simple. Please provide your bank with the following details:

The Parish Bank details **Most Holy Redeemer** are as follows: Account Name: Catholic Church Harold Hill- **Most Holy Redeemer** Sort Code: 40-13-22 Account number: 71018957

The Parish Bank details **St Dominic** are as follows: Account Name: Catholic Church Harold Hill- **St Dominic** Sort Code: 40-13-22 Account number: 51019082

This is a reliable way to contribute to the Parish, and we are very grateful to all those who have arranged Standing Orders. Offering can always drop into the presbytery. Thank you for supporting your parish in these difficult times.

<u>GIFT AID</u> is a tremendous way for any taxpayer (including pensioners who pay tax) to support the parish. It is simple: you complete just one form (located at the back of the church), and after that 25% of whatever you give is added to your donation.

If you have a gift aid number, please use that as a reference when you make your donation. Any donations are very gratefully received.

MANY BLESSINGS & CONGRATULATIONS to Fr Adrian Graffy, Parish Priest in our neighbouring parish of Christ the Eternal High Priest, who celebrate his Golden Jubilee of Priesthood in these weeks – Fr Adrian on Friday 2nd February.

RECENT DEATH - We pray for the repose of the soul of **Fr Michael Butler** who died recently. His funeral will take place at 11.30am on Friday 9th February at Holy Cross Church, Harlow. May he rest in peace.

<u>RECENT DEATH</u> - We pray for the repose of the soul of **Fr John McKeon** who died recently. His funeral will take place at 11.30am at Holy Family, Dagenham, on Tuesday 13th February. May he rest in peace.

<u>VACANCY SCHOOL OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR</u> - St Peter's Catholic Primary School, Goresbrook Road, Dagenham is seeking to appoint a School Office Administrator. Hours 8am to 4pm, term-time only plus one week. Closing date 29th January 2024. Please call school office for more information tel.0208 270 6524, email:- <u>office@st-peter.bardaglea.org.uk</u>.

BCYS YOUTH MASS – Thursday 1st February, *6pm at Brentwood Cathedral.* Beginning with pizza & refreshments in the Parish Hall from 6pm, with a speaker from the SVP joining us to help prepare for the start of Lent. Youth Mass will then be celebrated in the Cathedral at 7:30pm. Absolutely everyone is welcome, please bring instruments, and sing, serve or read if you wish! No need to book, but do let us know if you have a group coming – just email <u>info@bcys.net</u>

VACANCY PART TIME ASSISTANT SCHOOL KEEPER -Pay Spine – APTC 4 points 7 - 10 (£27,858 - £29,142) pro rata (actual £15,606 - £16,325) 52 weeks a year, 20 hours a week. We are looking to appoint a flexible, enthusiastic, energetic and motivated school keeper to work alongside our existing Site Team. The successful candidate will be responsible for the maintenance and security of the school site. The post would suit someone who has an eye for detail, high standards, PC literate, has high expectations of her/himself and has the ability to work as a member of a team and get on well with people. The successful candidate will need to possess the ability to take direction and abide by school and Health & Safety procedures and have proven inter-personal skills. Completed application form (available on the school website www.sacredheartofmary.net) letters of application and the names and addresses of two referees should be sent to the Mrs K. Jones at the School by email, kjones@mary.havering.sch.uk. Closing date: 1 p.m. Friday 2nd February 2024

<u>A FIRE IN MY HEART - A CONVERSATION WITH BIBLICAL FRIENDS</u>: On Saturday 3rd February from 11 am until 2 pm (coffee at 10.30 am), at the church of Christ the Eternal High Priest in Gidea Park (RM2 6DH), Fr Adrian Graffy, parish priest and member of the Pontifical Biblical Commission, will be in conversation with professor Nuria Calduch-Benages, secretary of the Pontifical Biblical Commission, and Carlos Castillo Mattasoglio, archbishop of Lima, Peru. The event coordinator is Fr Javier Ruiz-Ortiz, vice-rector of Allen Hall. The speakers will be present in-person, but this free event is also live-streamed on www.whatgoodnews.org If attending in person please book your place at <u>gideapark@brcdt.org</u> The event is under the auspices of the Catholic Biblical Association of Great Britain.

<u>YEAR 12 RETREAT</u> – Friday 16th to Sunday 18th February "Life to the Full" - You are at a stage where you are about to start making decisions and dreaming about future plans. You might be at a stage where you are looking to explore your faith further and learn more about the role God plays within your life. This retreat will give you time to think, pray and chat with those in your year from across Essex and East London. There will be a mix of fun and games, along with times of reflection and personal prayer. For just £35, the cost will include meals, accommodation and youth-led formation. Apply now at www.bcys.net/events/yr12retreat/

<u>HCPT EASTER LOURDES VOLUNTEERS WANTED!</u> Are you, or do you know anyone who is 18 - 30 years old and would like the opportunity to travel with The Brentwood Group on Pilgrimage to Lourdes this Easter? HCPT Group 709 are an all-adult service group who are looking for enthusiastic, hardworking individuals to join us between 1st-6th April 2024 in Lourdes to help facilitate an unforgettable week for disabled and disadvantaged children from all over the world. If you would like more information or think this is something you may want to get involved in, please contact us at group709@hcpt.org.uk or via Instagram by searching HCPT Group 709. Sign up deadline for new group members is February 7th, 2024.

LOTTERY BONUS BALL Wed 24th January 2024 Bonus Ball No: 17 ' Church ' £25 Congratulations to winners and thank you for supporting your Parishes.