

## MASS TIMES AND MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday 6th July - Sunday 14th July 2024

#### Sat 6th July

(MHR) 6.30pm:

Thanksgiving - Anna Guled

#### Sun 7th July

(StD) 9am:

Cathy Saunders RIP - The Rackham Family

(MHR) 11am:

People of the Parish

#### Mon 8th July

(MHR) 9.30am:

**FERIA**

(MHR) 10.00am:

**NO MASS**

Funeral Service of Leon Leeward RIP

#### Tues 9th July

(StD) 9.30am:

**FERIA**

Gina Good Health

#### Wed 10th July

(MHR) 9.30am:

**FERIA**

**NO MASS**

#### Thurs 11th July

(Std) 9.30am:

**ST BENEDICT, Ab**

Ernesto Andrade RIP - Noemia

#### Fri 12th July

(MHR) 9.30am:

**FERIA**

Ann Solomon Birthday – Rita Solomon

#### Sat 13th July

(MHR) 11am:

**FERIA**

Funeral Mass of Eugenia Amoah RIP

### FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES(B)

(SEA SUNDAY)

(MHR) 6.30pm:

People of the Parish

#### Sun 14th July

(StD) 9am:

Ade Adeniyi Williams Birthday-Rita & Tony

(MHR) 11am:

Maureen - Sheila Cannon

**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 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, Sheila Murphy, Patricia Motha, Baby Emily, Hilda Leeward, Lydia Luke, Neil Humphries, Pat Humphries, Joseph Exley, Wayne Mead, Caitlin C, Suzanne Bonelli.

### ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME.

Thomas Angus, Eric Barber, Canon Thomas Barrett, Elsie Duffy, Kay McKenna, Davied Walker, Margaret Matthews. Della Hamilton, Marie Hickey, Timothy Casey, Mary Ann Anom, Fr. Peter Brady, Thomas Castles, James McManus, Hanna Gaffikan, James Conway, Laura Eugene Blenkinsopp, Canon Francis Gilbert, Fr. John Norton, Ann Forster, Paddy Walsh, George & Susan Maskell, Jim Cooper, Fr. Walter Walsh, Fred Bardhill. Breffni O'Brien, Violet Kerr, Victoria Ketcher, Arthur John Edwards, James Moore. John Ball, Camelo Joseph Stivala, Fr. John Watson, Johanna Harte, Annie Mary Blyde, Thelma Barton, Michael Hallissey, Thos Wrighton, Pat Fitzgerald, Ellen Tyler, Peter Philips.

**MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.**

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

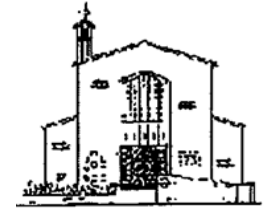


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### FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES (B)

**7th July 2024**

**First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5 Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7-10 Gospel: Mark 6:1-6**

In today's second reading, from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians, we heard that he was fighting what he called a thorn in the flesh. Three times he begged the Lord to remove this from Him. But all he heard was the Lord saying, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." What was it that was upsetting St. Paul so much? People have speculated over the years, but we have no way of knowing exactly what it was.

Whatever it was, it was significant for Paul. It could not have been something as minor as a speech impediment. It was something far more personal and more severe. Whatever it was, it probably kept him awake at night. It is troubling for us to think that the great St. Paul had a major personal problem. Even in our cynical age, we still want to turn our saints into perfect little plastic statues. But people are not perfect, and even the greatest of the saints were people like you and me, continually fitting the temptation to sin. The voice of the Lord told Paul that His Power, the Lord's Power, is made perfect in weakness. It was clear to Paul, that whatever success he had proclaiming the Gospel only occurred because God was working through him. He went on to write in Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Paul was told that Christ's power is made perfect in his weakness. Paul realized that it was God working through him that brought so many people to the faith. Christ's power also works through us. We really do not have the right to deny our responsibility to the Lord. We may think that we are not good enough to talk about the Lord, but we are good enough. He makes us good enough. We have to remember that the positive effects of what we say come from the Lord, not from us.

So we come before the Lord today and say with St. Peter, St. Paul and so many of the saints, "I am sinful, I cannot do your work" and Jesus says, "Yes you can. My power will work through you in ways greater than you can ever realize. My power is made perfect in your weakness."

**REFERENCES FOR WORK AND OTHER POSITIONS** - Fr Joseph has many requests for references which he is happy to write for people that he knows. However, it is not helpful to mention to him in passing that you have given his name as a referee or for him to receive unexpected reference requests. Therefore, before you give his name as a referee, please make an appointment to meet with Fr Joseph to discuss the position you are applying for and the nature of the reference required.

**SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING** - You're invited to our coffee/tea morning! this **Sunday** St. Anthony's Hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill after the **11am Mass**. Come and relax. Tea/Coffee and cake will be provided. All are welcome.

**DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION PETER'S PENCE** - The total amount collected for Peter's Pence last Sunday was **£105.20**. Mhr raised **£62.20** and Std **£43.00**. Thank you for your kind generosity.

**DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION STELLA MARIS** - There will be a second collection on **Sunday 14th July** for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea) after all masses. Thank you for your continued support.

**PARISH MONTHLY DRAW** - Congratulations to our **July 2024** winner. M.Lenihan. **No: 39. £50**.

**REPOSITORY** - Come along and visit the repository at the back of both churches after all Masses.

**SVP MEETING** - The next SVP meeting will be on **Monday 8th July at 5.30pm** will take place at Philomena's (President) home.

**PARISH BEREAVEMENT GROUP** - Come along to find comfort, support and understanding at our welcoming and informal bereavement support group. Sheila Delander and Liz Hill will lead the group. We invite you to join us as we navigate through grief together. Our next meeting will be held **Wednesday 7th August, at 2pm** in St. Anthony's Hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill. There will be subsequent meetings scheduled for the 1st Wednesday of every month. All are welcome. Tea/Coffee and Cake will be provided.

**MASS INTENTIONS**: If you have a specific date in mind, **PLEASE BOOK AT LEAST 4 MONTHS** in advance to avoid disappointment. Place Mass Intention in a clearly printed marked envelope and they will be dealt with the Parish Administrator. Thank you .

**NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL**: If you would like the latest newsletter delivered right to your inbox every week, simply email the office email address [haroldhillmhr@brcdt.org](mailto:haroldhillmhr@brcdt.org) and we will add you to our mailing list.

**ADVANCE NOTICE** – There will be **NO MASS** at 9.30am (**MHR**) on Monday 8th July due to funeral of Leon Leeward taking place at 10am.

**RECENT DEATH** - **Mr Leon Leeward RIP**, aged 48 years of Redruth Road, Romford sadly passed away at Queens Hospital on Saturday 22nd June . His Funeral Service will be held at **Most Holy Redeemer Church** this **Monday 8th July at 10am** followed by Committal at South Essex Crematorium at **11.40 pm**. May he rest in peace. Please remember Hilda and his family and friends in your prayers.

**RECENT DEATH** - **Mrs Eugenia Amoah RIP**, aged 49 years sadly passed on Friday 24th May .Her Requiem Mass will be held at **Most Holy Redeemer Church** on **Saturday 13th July at 11am** followed by Bentley Cemetery at **12.00pm**. May she rest in peace. Please remember William and her family and friends in your prayers.

## **Clergy Appointments**

### **PARISH PRIEST**

The following moves will take effect from the weekend of 7/8 September:

Fr Tony Grant	From Canning Town to Manor Park
Fr Gary Dench	From Cathedral to Hutton
Fr Jerold Savin Terrance	From Hornchurch, St Mary to Maldon/Burnham
Fr John Britto Michael	New to Diocese to Great Drunmow
Fr Jon Ravensdale (Ord)	From Greenstead to Harlow, The Assump. of Our Lady
Fr Alex Garner (Ord)	New to Diocese to Greenstead
Fr Timothy Ezet (Ord)	New to Diocese to Chingford, CTK

### **ASSISTANT PRIESTS**

Fr Paschal Uche	Chelmsford to Grays
Fr Matúš Meleg	From Grays to Cathedral
Fr Frank Westcott Newly Ordained	Hornchurch, St Mary
Fr Saji Thomas RCJ	Basildon to East Ham
Fr Paul Makita SCA	From Barking, St Thomas More to Barking, St Mary & St Ethelburga
Fr Grzegorz Borski	New to Diocese to Clacton
Fr Albert Kollemkudy RCJ	New to Diocese to Basildon

### **RETIREMENTS**

Father Leslie Knight will be resident in Brent House, Brentwood.  
Canon William Young will retire as Parish Priest of St Mary & St Ethelburga with St Mary & St Erconwald [Barking 1]  
Father John Corbyn [Ordinatee] will retire as Parish Priest of Old Harlow but will continue to live within the diocese.

**VACANCY SACRED HEART OF MARY SCHOOL** - St Mary's Lane, Upminster, Essex, RM14 2QR, 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. For further information contact school website [www.sacredheartofmary.net](http://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](mailto:kjones@mary.havering.sch.uk) **Closing date: 1 p.m. Friday 12th July 2024.**

**THE DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE**, London - is holding a Divine Mercy Lenten Retreat on **Saturday 13 July 2024** from 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm at St Mary Mother of God, 213 Hornchurch Road, Hornchurch, Essex RM12 4TF. The Retreat will include teachings on the Message of Mercy, Stations of the Cross, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All Welcome. Please call millie on 07957594646 for more information

**A DAY WITH MARY AT WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL**. A Day With Mary at Westminster Cathedral on **Saturday 13 July** (9.45am to 5.00pm) is available at [www.adaywithmary.org](http://www.adaywithmary.org) or <http://www.eventcatholic.com/>

**THE ST JOHN BOSCO CHILDREN'S CAMP**- has just a few places remaining! Children age 9 – 12 can enjoy an amazing week, packed with fun activities, including many sports, from 27<sup>th</sup> July – 3<sup>rd</sup> August. . All details are [www.boscocamp.co.uk](http://www.boscocamp.co.uk), including booking information and an FAQ section for parents.

### **LOTTERY BONUS BALL**

**Wed 3rd July 2024 Bonus Ball No: 51 Winner: 'Rollover' £25**  
**Congratulations to winner and thank you for supporting your Parishes**