

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

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Confessions: **5.15pm in the Church**



Saturday 31st October / Sunday 1st November 2026

“ALL SAINTS”

Dear parishioners

As we begin November we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints. This is a wonderful way to start the month by asking those in heaven to intercede for us. I'm sure we all have our "favourites" and in this month we particularly call upon them to be with us each day. During the month of November, we also particularly pray for our loved ones who have died. The names at the foot of the altar are a reminder of our prayer for them and knowing that they are close to us.

Later this month there will be an opportunity for the graves of those buried in Bocking and London Road cemetery to be blessed. This is a wonderful tradition of our church and once again highlights the importance of our prayers for those who have died.

May you have a blessed week

Our Lady Queen of Peace, pray for us.

God bless

Fr. Michael

PRAYER LIST:

We pray for the sick and housebound and those who have asked for our prayers:

Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Mary Rooney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Barbara Mansell, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, John Kisielowski, Janine Corbey, Bridget Finneral, Jordan Caulfield, Kate Friedlein, Stephanie Price, Maria Caparco, Anne Bardell, Agnes Hughes, Mary Breadman, Martha Botelho, Peter McDonagh, Janet Boxall, Hazel Smith, Michael Blancs, Joseph Brady, Sara Reynolds, Sue Kelly, Toni & Steve Brady and family, Maureen Pannell, Rita Cuthbert, Tim Monaghan, Mark Smith, Kerry Norton, Mary Elizabeth West, Betty Sheehan, Sharon Jennings, Jean Carroll, Mary Maher, Nastassja Williamson, Peter Leech, Peter Milden, Eric Coyle, Fr Bill and Mick Wetton.

ANNIVERSARIES: Colin Earnshaw, Helena Olechnowicz, Mary Gray, Brenda White, Myfanwy Nicholson, Wally Haltof, Vigilio Sicheri, Theresa Streeting, Bill Brown, Peggy Swinkels, Melvyn Murray, Peter Whittam, Roberto Pleszko, Ann Pugh, Mary (Maureen) Savage, Clare Free, Mary Duncombe, Ingrid Franklin, Jack Johnson, Roy Pickman, Gillian Tracy, Hendrick Dalton, Stanislaw Niekrasz, Sarah Roots, Violet Leadbetter, Mervyn Hutchings, Margaret Franks and John Grennan.

May they rest in peace.

BCCS CHRISTMAS CRAFT & GIFT FAIR:

Join us for Christmas crafts, stunning gifts & refreshments, in support of BCCS.

Sunday 15th November - 10:30-15:30 - The Mill Arts & Events Centre, Rayleigh, SS6 7ED
£1.50 entry (free for under 14s) & free onsite parking

CHARITY CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON:

Join BCCS for a delicious two-course meal, exclusively hosted in the beautiful Grade II listed Georgian House.

Friday 4th December - 12:30-15:30 - The Lawn, Rochford, SS4 1PL

£38.50 per person - book now: [//www.bccs.org.uk/christmas/christmas-luncheon/](http://www.bccs.org.uk/christmas/christmas-luncheon/)

Any questions contact Julie: jabbott@bccs.org.uk | 07912277413

FR MICHAEL'S INDUCTION: On Friday 13th November at 7pm Fr. Michael will be officially inducted as our parish priest. Mgr. Canon Kevin Hale VG will lead the induction along with clergy from the diocese. There will be a celebration after and all are invited to come along and celebrate this wonderful occasion.

ST FRANCIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN MORNINGS 2026:

We warmly invite prospective parents and carers to visit our wonderful school and discover everything St Francis has to offer.

Open Morning Dates

Tuesday 10th November 2026 at 9.15am

Wednesday 18th November 2026 at 9.15am

If you are unable to attend one of the open mornings, individual tours and meetings can be arranged at a mutually convenient time. **To book a place, please contact the school office on 01376 320440.**

PERMANENT DIACONATE: On Tuesday 10th November 7.00pm -9.15pm "Come and See". Do you feel called to be a permanent deacon? Deacon Jamie will be sharing his vocation story in the Parish of Our Lady of Walsingham, Royal Docks at 7pm. See the poster at the back of Church for more information.

THE GRAND DRAW: Draw Tickets continue to be available. Please take plenty for your family friends; neighbours and workplace. Your kindness with the donations on the Grand Draw list is very evident. Many thanks. Just a few spaces left. Hand your donation into the Parish office please nearer the time.

CHRISTMAS IN THE HALL: 5th December 11 - 3pm Please if you can, donate NEW children's games and toys. Also gifts of any variety. Jewellery too.
Bottles for the tombola. Any size, shape and content! Place your kind donations in the box which will be at the back of the church after each Mass. Thank you.

BAPTISM COURSE: For those who would like their child/children baptised please attend on Thursday 12th November at 7pm in the parish hall. This is for all those who have already completed a form and for those who are enquiring about baptism. Once the course is complete, a date can be arranged for the baptism day.

BE HUMAN: *Is love all you need?* A talk to be given by Fr Martin Boland. Wednesday 28th October 7.00 – 8.00 p.m. in the parish centre of Our Lady of Lourdes, Wanstead. All welcome.
www.ourladyoflourdes.com

BCYS SUMMER LOURDES: Applications for Summer Lourdes are now open. This is for those in years 10 to 13. The pilgrimage is 17th July to 24th July 2027. To apply and show your interest visit <https://bcys.net/events/sl27/>

ALL SOULS DAY: There will be Mass on Monday 2nd November at 7.30pm.

BLESSING OF THE GRAVES:

London Road Cemetery - Midday on 14th November

Bocking Cemetery - Midday on 28th November

LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

<p style="text-align: center;">ALL SAINTS Saturday 31ST October</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 1st November</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Confessions 5.15pm 6.00pm Mass</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9.00am Mass</p> <p style="text-align: center;">11.00am Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Frank Francis RIP (A) (Hale)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Christopher Burgess RIP, Marion Jackson RIP and Patrick and Mary McDermott RIP (Anne and Mark)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Noah Fisher-Cook RIP (A) (The Fisher-Cook Family)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Monday 2nd November ALL SOULS DAY (Commemoration of all The Faithful Departed)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">7.30pm Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">November Dead List</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday 3rd November</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.10am Morning Prayers, followed by 9.30am Eucharistic Service Rosary at 10.00am</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Prayer Intention</u> Samantha Brady RIP (A) (Toni and Steve Brady)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday 4th November St Charles Borromeo, Bp</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.10am Morning Prayers, followed by 9.30am Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Marina Nunes (Thanksgiving) (Norma Henriques)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday 5th November</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.10am Morning Prayers, followed by 9.30am Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Philip and Wadad Abissab RIP (A) (Philomen)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Friday 6th November</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">9.10am Morning Prayers, followed by 9.30am Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Eileen Woulfe RIP (A) (Woulfe Family)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A) (Remembrance Sunday) Saturday 7th November</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 8th November</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Confessions 5.15pm 6.00pm Mass</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9.00am Mass</p> <p style="text-align: center;">11.00am Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Hugh Paul RIP (A) (Bill)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Philip Warren RIP (A) (Warren)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ints Bengy Kelly (Ken and Anne Hill)</p>

