

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

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Office Hours: Reduced office hours due to Covid restrictions:
Tuesday 9-2 and Friday 9-2
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and can be contacted via the parish email.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

16th/17th January 2021

MAY GOD
KEEP YOU
AND YOUR
FAMILY SAFE
DURING THIS
TIME.

SICK PARISHIONERS: Please pray for all our parishioners in this uncertain time. We remember especially: Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Kathy McBrierty, Mary Davis, Catherine Hughes, Cecilia Omoyinbo, Val Harding, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Megan Delaney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Bernard Boylan, Chris Brodie, Barbara Mansell, Janet Cash, Mary Delaney, Josie Pullum, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, Bob Bothello, Brenda Sewell and Maria Wray.

ANNIVERSARIES: Eileen Grealish, Boleslaw Trzos, Walter Barton, Stephen Ratcliffe, Florence Costin, John Scott, Mary Wright, David Crowe, Peter Coleman, Siobhan Ryan, Rita Parker, George Price, Anthony Bullock, Grace Hill, Henry Casey, Denis Mc Intyre and Peter O.Connor.
May they all rest in peace.

100 CLUB - NOVEMBER WINNERS: Congratulations to this month's winners! First Prize (£200): **Anna & Jamie Davey** Second Prize (£50): **Margaret Milden** For £5 per month, you have the chance to win £200 or £50. Money that isn't paid out as prizes, goes towards church funds. If anyone is interested in finding out more about the 100 Club; please contact Clare on 01376 326779.

PRAYERS: Please pray for **William O'Grady (Bill)**, who recently died. His funeral took place at Bocking Cemetery on Wednesday 13th January. We offer our deepest sympathies and prayers to his family. May he rest in Peace.

PRAYERS: Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Jeanette Abou-Jaoude**, who has recently died. We offer our heartfelt sympathies and prayers to her family at this difficult time. May she rest in Peace.

PRAYERS: Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Sr M Xavier**, who has recently died. Her funeral will take place on Friday 22nd January at The Chapel of the Immaculate Conception at the Convent. We remember her community, family and dear friends at this sad time; our thoughts and prayers are with them all. May she rest in Peace.

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THANK YOU: We would like to say a big thank you to FareShare & Tesco Store in Braintree for their kind donation of bread.

Winter Shopping List 2020 November / December / January

Thank you for your continuing support during the Coronavirus crisis.

Foodbanks within the Trussell Trust network have seen unprecedented increases across our network and by continuing to support us with your donations you are continuing to support those most in need.

We are very thankful for any donations you can give.

We currently need:

<p>Food Items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cereal Bars • Chocolate Bars (Kit Kat, Penguins etc.) • Jam • Sponge Puddings • Mash Potato (Drum or Packet) • Tinned Potatoes 	<p>Food Items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juice (not squash, in a 1 litre variant if possible) • Rice Pudding <p>Other Essentials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Washing up liquid • Washing detergent (In a gel form if possible please)
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Our food parcels are made up of specific food groups so that those in need have enough food for at least nine meals. **The list above shows what we are in need of as we currently have good stocks of pasta, pasta sauce, biscuits, fish, soup, baby food and baby nappies.**

We also ask for small packs of food as larger packs do not fit in our parcels, making it difficult for our clients to carry home.

Thank you

We are grateful for your donations to the Braintree Area foodbank. However, we can only accept donations of freshly-bought, unopened and undamaged goods which are still well within their "use by" date (no less than 6 months). We cannot use items which do not meet these requirements, and the donation is wasted.



Retrouvaille: A Programme for Couples Struggling in their Marriages

Rediscover Your Marriage – Retrouvaille offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse and a loving relationship in your marriage. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending and using the tools provided. The programme helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. It has saved many hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples that have already separated or divorced. There is no group therapy or group work.

[Sixteen couples attended our last weekend (six of whom were in the process of divorce) and almost all of the couples are still attending the follow up sessions. The feedback from the weekend was very positive and there are advantages in being able to attend the weekend from your own home.]

For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on **25th - 28th February 2021**, call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443 – or email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com - or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

A PRAYER FOR INNER PEACE

Dear Lord,
Still my heart's stormy seas,
Quiet my mind's wild crowds,
Be the silence
between my sighs.
Make me still
so that I may be
filled with your peace,
amazed by your grace,
and deeply aware
of your presence
in my life...
and in the world.

AMEN



GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

Here I am, Lord! I come to do your will.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia!

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under [Pontius Pilate](#),
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father [and the Son],
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE MYSTERY OF FAITH

**Save us, Saviour of the world,
for by your Cross and Resurrection
you have set us free.**

LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) Peace Day Saturday 16th January - Vigil Mass Sunday 17th January	6.00pm	Mary Driscoll RIP (Wallen)
	9.00am	Severina Nicholls RIP (Mary)
	11.00am	John Symonds RIP (Coates)
Monday 18th January	No Mass	
Tuesday 19th January	9.30am	Ints Eileen Brooks (Maher & Baker Walker)
Wednesday 20th January	9.30am	Bill & Mildred Brown RIP (Margaret Leyden)
Thursday 21st January St Agnes, V, M	No Mass	
Friday 22nd January	9.30am	Ints Claire Saunders & Family
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) (Sunday of the Word of God) Saturday 23rd January - Vigil Mass Sunday 24th January	6.00pm	Rene Swift RIP (Burford)
	9.00am	Deborah Pannell RIP (Pannell)
	11.00am	Patrick Lynch RIP (Riordan)

**DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS THERE ARE NO CONFESSIONS
AT PRESENT**

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