

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

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LINK FOR MASS
<https://youtu.be/R2CBNKebdw8>

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (B)
29th May 2021/30th May 2021



SICK PARISHIONERS: Please pray for all who are sick in our hospitals, our nursing homes and at home. For those who are anxious, bereaved or struggling in the Faith. May they experience the healing hands of Jesus through our prayerful actions and visits, including:

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, Graham Manning, David Felstead, Fr Martin Nott, Shirley McGregor and Peggy White.

ANNIVERSARIES: Margaret Douse, Winefrede Williamson, John Corley, Kathleen Wildish, Catherine Pearson, Michael Anderson, Phyllis Preston, Jean Beagley, George Westall, Ken Gray, Nicholas Angel and Kay Stephens.
May they all rest in peace.

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

COVID ROADMAP AND CHURCHES: We are all aware that some restrictions on daily life were lifted on 17th May. But, as I stressed at Mass 2 weeks ago, the Government has not eased the restrictions which apply to attending Mass. In other words, social distancing and the wearing of face coverings remain compulsory. This means that, until we are told otherwise, because of the seating capacity of the church building, **Booking Mass places at weekends is still essential.** The cut-off time for booking is 12 noon each Friday. A new booking is required each week. Please note that we have reached the stage that if people turn up without a booking, then it is highly unlikely that a place will be available and we will then have to turn people away. This is something we have always been reluctant to do, but the current increase of people wanting to attend Mass may make this necessary. Could I also please invite your co-operation so that, if you have a booking, please arrive in good time before Mass begins so that we may know whether or not we have any spare capacity. I am afraid that late-comers cannot be guaranteed a place. Thank you for your support.

Fr David.

Do you know anyone who needs support; physically, emotionally or spiritually? Please contact Fr David on 01376 326779 or email: braintree@dioceseofbrentwood.org

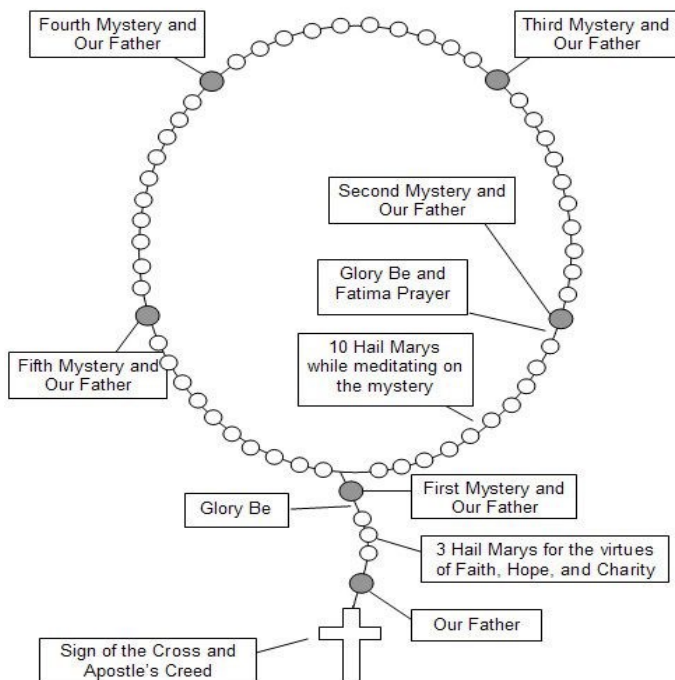
ROSARY FOR THIS MONTH: The Holy Father is asking all members of the Church to do something special during this month of May, a month especially associated with Our Lady. We are being asked to pray the Rosary to bring an end to the pandemic.

Our Holy Father is asking us to pray for all those who have died from coronavirus and all those who have been seriously affected by it, as well as supporting with our prayers all medical staff who are engaged in the fight against covid and those who are working on vaccines and other ways of controlling the disease.

The Pope invites us to pray both in Church and at home. In our Parish, we are reciting a decade of the Rosary before every weekday Mass and invite all parishioners to find their own way at home to join in this life-saving initiative.

Thank you. Fr David.

The Rosary



GIFT AID

The Gift Aid Statements for the 2020/2021 tax year are now available. If you would like a copy, please contact Chris Dayer directly on:

07925 361023

The envelopes for the new tax year are at the back of the Church.

Will the parishioners who are already in the scheme please collect them as soon as possible. If you are unable to get to the Church but still wish to continue to donate through the Gift Aid Scheme, then give Chris Dayer a call and we will get them to you.

Our Parish has just received a refund of £13011 from the Inland Revenue for the tax that our Gift Aiders have paid on their donations in the 2020/21 tax year. This refund is especially welcome this year as donations to our Parish are lower because of the COVID restrictions.

CATHOLIC BIBLICAL ASSOCIATION: On Saturday 12th June at 11 am Fr Jeremy Corley, lecturer in Sacred Scripture at St Patrick's College, Maynooth, will speak on 'Afterlife Hope before the New Testament'. This event is free of charge and can be accessed by going to www.whatgoodnews.org and following the instructions.

No prior booking necessary. The event will be available subsequently on the same website. Dr Sean Ryan, chair of the CBA, will introduce the day and take questions.

Fr Adrian Graffy

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION UPDATE

FHC group (2019/20) still waiting to complete the programme

Can we please ask parents to ensure their child has completed the "I Belong" book in readiness for when the Diocese allows us to use the Church hall for the final workshop.

The workshop for the children who are yet to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place in the Church on Saturday 12th June at 1.00pm. Please contact Clare at the Presbytery to confirm that your child will be attending.

Registration for children in the current Year 3 & above

Sessions will take place after school for the children who attend St Francis School. We hope to start these sessions after the May half-term and complete the programme by October half-term (obviously dependant on government guidelines) with Celebration Masses taking place before the start of Advent.

Dear Children of the Parish

Sadly we have to take down the Easter pictures, but in its place we would like to have a wall of HOPE and LIGHT.

So our challenge to you is to draw a picture of what either word means to you.

Or if you prefer you could colour in either word as colourfully as you can.

We can't wait to see what you come up with.

Clare and Jacqui

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

Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

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

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (B)		
Saturday 29th May	6.00pm	Patrick Kissane RIP (Paul)
Sunday 30th May	9.00am 11.00am	Joseph Tabone & Menita RIP (Gower) Ints Tonia Dawson (Hughes)
Monday 31st May DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST MARY & ST HELEN, BRENTWOOD	No Mass	
Tuesday 1st June St Justin, M	9.30am	Cliff Stanley RIP & Family Ints.
Wednesday 2nd June	9.30am	Sarah Lynch RIP (Mrs Pat Lynch)
Thursday 3rd June St Charles Lwanga & Comps, Mm	No Mass	
Friday 4th June	9.30am	Guzi & Adelina Tabone RIP (Gower)
THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)		
Saturday 5th June	6.00pm	Ints. Breige Gaughran (Mohan)
Sunday 6th June	9.00am 11.00am	Arul Chandran RIP (Sr Sophie) David Lynch RIP (Davina Dinan)