

# OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

## Parish News

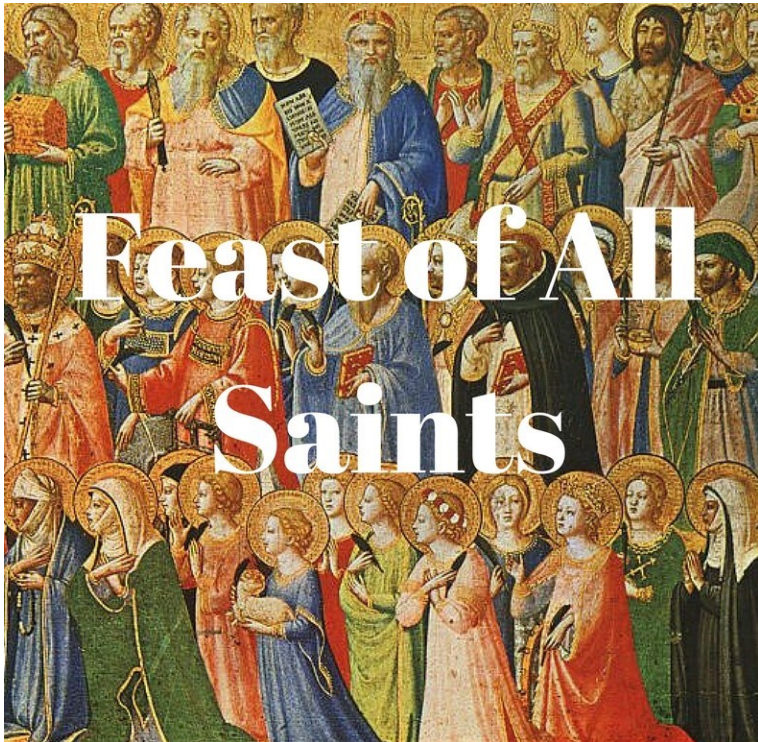
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Saturday 30th October 2021/ Sunday 31st October 2021

ALL SAINTS



**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, Val Harding, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Megan Delaney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Bernard Boylan, Chris Brodie, Barbara Mansell, Janet Cash, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, Bob Bothello, Brenda Sewell, Fr Martin Nott, Shirley McGregor, Peggy White, Mary Derriman, Eileen Brooks, Andrew McGregor, Stella McKenna, Mona O'Rourke and John Martin.

**We are surrounded by people who are going the extra mile during the Covid-19 pandemic to save and protect lives all over the country, we are offering thanks and prayers for these people and their service.**

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Bill Brown, Peggy Swinkels, Melvyn Murray, Peter Whittam, Roberto Pleszko, Ann Pugh, Mary (Maureen) Savage, Mary Duncombe, Jack Johnson, Roy Pickman, Gillian Tracy, Hendrik Dalton, Stanislaw Niekrasz, Violet Leadbetter, Mervyn Hutchings, Margaret Franks, John Grennan, Frank Di-Gennard, Sr Mary Rumold and Roger Day.

**May they all rest in peace.**

**APF RED BOXES:** Envelopes are available at the back of the Church to empty your boxes. Please return the envelopes to the Presbytery as soon as possible. Alternatively, we can arrange collection for you; just let Clare know at the Parish Office. If you don't have a box, you can put a donation in an ordinary envelope and mark it "APF RED BOXES".

In England and Wales there are RED BOXES in over 200,000 homes and together we have collected millions of pounds for the Missionary Church.

**100 CLUB - WINNERS:** Congratulations to this month's winners!

First Prize (£200): **PAUL FISHER**

Second Prize (£50): **GRANIA CARTWRIGHT**

For £5 per month you have the chance to win £200. Money that isn't paid out as prizes, goes towards the church funds. If anyone is interested in finding out more about the 100 Club; please contact Clare on: 01376 326779.

**NOVEMBER—MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS:** Mass will be offered for all deceased members of our Parish, friends and family. If you would like your loved ones to be prayed for throughout November then please place an offering, with their names, in an envelope and a drop in at the Presbytery. If you are a gift-aider then please write your gift aid number on the envelope.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Although this normally happens on the first Friday of each month, because this month we will be having Mass at our Parish School, the Exposition will take place on Friday 12th November after Mass until 1.00pm.

**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.

**THANK YOU:** A big thank you to everyone for your continued financial support of our Parish through the plate collection, standing orders and bank transfers.

**VACANCY:** We are seeking a replacement gardener for Jason Akehurst to start towards the end of January. This is a paid job and hours are flexible, with more hours required in the summer than the winter.

If you are interested then please contact Clare in the office for more information. DIY skills are also a great advantage. Closing date for applications is **Friday 26th November**.

**CLOCKS GO BACK:** Please remember the clocks go back on Sunday, October 31, 2021. Fortunately, that means we'll be blessed with an extra hour in bed, rather than losing any sleep. From then on, we'll officially be back on Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) during the autumn/winter season.

**DIARIES FOR 2022:** It's that time of year! The new Parish diary is available at the back of Church, priced at 50p. Please put money in the "papers box". Thanks.

**FRIDAY COFFEE MORNING AFTER MASS:** A coffee morning is held after morning Mass each Friday. Everyone is welcome.

**FAITH GROUP:** The Faith Group takes place at 19.30 to 21.00 in the Jubilee Hall. Current Church Covid rules will need to be followed. Meetings will continue on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. New members are warmly welcomed.

**All enquiries, contact Adam Bezdell on 07907 668734.**

## **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**

**Such are the men who seek your face, O Lord.**

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Come to me, all of you who labour and are overburdened,  
and I will give you rest, says the Lord.

**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.

**HELP WANTED:** Hello, 'Team G' are a busy professional family of 5 within the parish looking for an additional member to 'join' as a carer helping primarily with the care of our daughter, who is a cheeky 5 year old, Little Miss, with several medical needs and oodles of personality. Full training given. We are looking for someone with flexibility to 'help out' as required with appointments, care and play with Little Miss and at times her 2 brothers, both attending St Francis School. Hourly pay, primarily for 8 hours a week but as said this is very flexible depending what is in the diary. Great opportunity to make a difference, gain experience and have fun.

**For further discussion please message : 07961 847970**

### **GUILD OF ST STEPHEN BRENTWOOD DIOCESE AGM**

**(ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING):** On Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November at 11am, Brentwood Cathedral, Small Hall. This is open to any MCs or Senior Altar Servers in Brentwood Diocese. To keep everyone safe, we would ask those attending the AGM to have had the COVID vaccination. If you wish to attend the AGM, please email John McCormack: [johnmccormack528@gmail.com](mailto:johnmccormack528@gmail.com) before 13<sup>th</sup> November.

**Central Council Guild of St Stephen (AGM):** On Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November, at St Mary & St Joseph Catholic Church, Poplar. Mass at 12 noon and the AGM meeting at 1.30pm. The meeting will be in person and online via MS Teams. AGM notice and nomination forms will be on [www.guildofststephen.org](http://www.guildofststephen.org)

**ANGLIA SINGERS:** Parishioners are cordially invited to come and enjoy an hour of "free" music on Sunday 21 November at 4pm at Our Lady Queen of Peace when the Anglia Singers (the choir of Anglia Ruskin University) make a return visit. This will be the first time since March 2020 (when the Singers last performed in Braintree) that they have been able to perform. There will be no tickets for the concert, simply turn up in good time, but there will be a retiring collection. Music will include popular sacred anthems including Mozart's *Ave verum corpus* and Howard Goodall's setting of Psalm 23 (*The Vicar of Dibley* Theme) plus instrumental solo.

It will be introduced by Emeritus Professor Chris Green OBE.

## **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SERVICE**

The hope is that we will once again be able to have a Children's Service on Christmas Eve.

The service usually lasts about 20mins and the children are the 'Stars' ...to that end I need names of children of primary school age who are willing to read a part of the Nativity Story in front of others.

Please let Clare in the office know or email me at:

[jacquileech65@gmail.com](mailto:jacquileech65@gmail.com)



## LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

**CONFESSIONS ON SATURDAYS, 10.00AM-10.30AM, IN THE CHURCH**

Saturday 30th October Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Frank Francis RIP (A) (Hale)
Sunday 31st October <b>ALL SAINTS</b>	9.00am	Michael Boxall RIP (Janet)
	11.00am	Noah Fisher-Cook RIP (A) (Fisher-Cooke)
Monday 1st November	<b>No Mass</b>	
Tuesday 2nd November <b>COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS)</b>	9.30am	Philip Warren RIP (A) (Mary Warren)
Wednesday 3rd November	9.30am	Bill Brown RIP (A) (Leyden)
Thursday 4th November <b>St Charles Borromeo, Bp</b>	<b>No Mass</b>	
Friday 5th November <b>Mass at St Francis School</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Joshua Bohannon Birthday Thanksgiving (Bohannon)
Saturday 6th November Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Fran Wetton RIP (Wetton) & Ints Sr Rosaira (Hannah, Mary & Rita)
Sunday 7th November <b>THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)</b>	9.00am	Stanislaw Niekrasz RIP (A)
	11.00am	Daniel McCarthy RIP (A) (Rodway)