

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

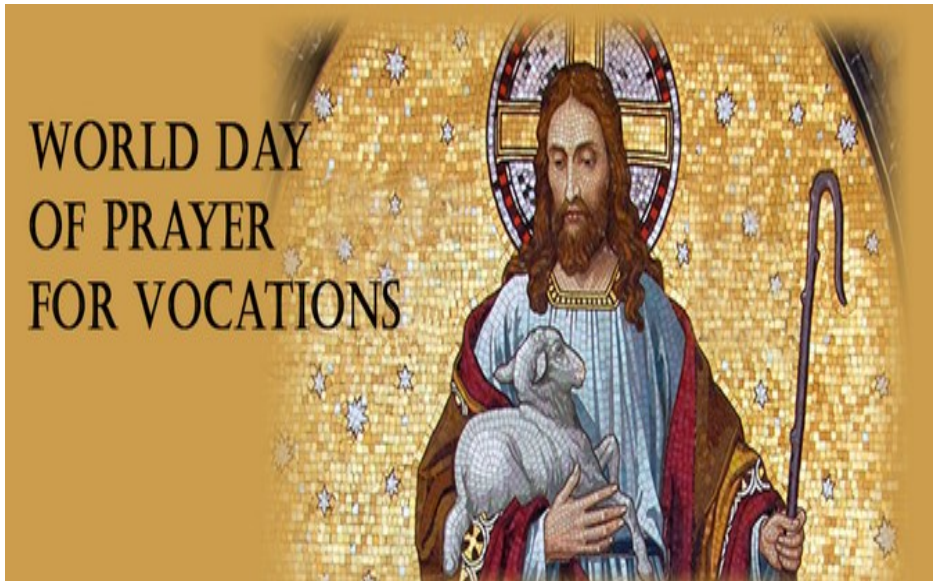
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Saturday 7th May/Sunday 8th May 2022
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C)
(Day of Prayer for Vocations)



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, Mary Derriman, Eileen Brooks, Mona O'Rourke, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, Kate Friedlein, Olive Norman, Hazel Smith, John Kisielowski and Peggy and John White.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Evelyn Matthewman, Michael Lane, Elizabeth Jarvis, Josephine Sochan, Mary Blackmur, Erika Peagram, Maria Castellazzi, Maria Sarnicka, Marie Day, Violet Amos, John Fahy, Catherine Smoothy and Mary Murphy. **May they all rest in peace.**

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament will take place after morning Mass on Friday 13th May.

MORNING MASS: There will no Mass on Tuesday 10th May & Wednesday 11th May.

BAPTISM: This weekend we welcome Penelope Naomi Humpoletz into the family of the Church. May God bless her and her family at this special time.

PARISH "BIG LUNCH" FOR THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE: Father David is kindly permitting us to hold a bring and share lunch in the presbytery garden on Sunday 5 June, after 11:00 a.m. Mass. If you would like to join a small group to help organise this, please contact Kate Manning on mobile: 07967 796227 or kmp52@hotmail.co.uk

OPEN MEETING OF OUR SVP CONFERENCE: **Tuesday 10 May at 8 p.m.** You are warmly invited to attend this meeting of our conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul. It is some time since we have met in person and we would love to meet our supporters face to face. If you are interested in what we do, please come along to the Parish Jubilee Hall.

<u>ROSARY</u>	Church	Wednesday	After Mass
<u>FAITH GROUP</u>	Hall	Tuesday	3rd Tue of each month
<u>YOUTH CLUB</u>	Hall	Friday	Re-start date to be confirmed
<u>CONFESSIONS</u>	Church	Saturday	10.30am to 11.30am
<u>COFFEE MORNING</u>	Hall	Friday	After Mass

ST FRANCIS SCHOOL: Come along to the St Francis Catholic Primary Family Fun Day! Friday 17th June from 2.30pm to 6pm. There will be bouncy castles, soft play, bbq, ice creams, a raffle with a cash prize, talent show and much much more! We can't wait to see you there!

If you would like to help in anyway - on the day or donations of prizes for the raffle, please email fundraisers@st-francis.essex.sch.uk. We would be grateful for any businesses wishing to donate vouchers/gifts for the main raffle.

BRAINTREE IRISH ASSOCIATION: Many of you will remember being part of and enjoying events run by The Irish Association. We have sadly decided to wind it up.

There was **£4,060** in the bank; this has been donated as follows:

BRAINTREE FOOD BANK £2,000

BRAINTREE AREA ROUGH SLEEPERS £1,030

RED CROSS/UKRAINE FUND £1,030

We hope you agree these are very worthy causes.

Love & God bless.

FATHER JOE WHITE: Fr Joe celebrates his Golden Jubilee in his Native Parish on June 18th. If you would like to send him good wishes, his address is:

The Annex, Clonbun, Trim, County Meath, Ireland.

I am sure he would be delighted to hear from you.

GIFT AID: The Gift Aid statements for the 2021/2022 tax year are now available. If you would like a copy, please give your name and address to Clare in the Parish office or call Chris Dayer directly on: 07925 361023.

LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

<p>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) (Day of Prayer for Vocations) Saturday 7th May</p> <p>Sunday 8th May</p>	6.00pm	Alan Doleman RIP (Fisher Family)
	9.00am	Ints Dee Doleman (Burford)
	11.00am	Fran Wetton RIP (A) (The Wetton, Smith and Andrews Families)
Monday 9th May	No Mass	
Tuesday 10th May	No Mass	
Wednesday 11th May	No Mass	
Thursday 12th May St John Houghton, Pr, M	10.30am	Martin Connor RIP (A) (Martini O'Donnell) & Ints Bill Paul
Friday 13th May St Erconwald, Bp Secondary Co-Patron of the Diocese EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	9.30am	Ints Maureen Bohannon & Ints Eugene & Betty (The Family)
<p>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) Saturday 14th May</p> <p>Sunday 15th May</p>	6.00pm	Ian Ward RIP (Margaret Joyce)
	9.00am	Irene O'Grady RIP
	11.00am	Lucy O'Brien RIP (Digby Family)