

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

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Saturday 22nd November/ Sunday 23rd November 2025

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE
(Youth Sunday)**



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

Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Kathy McBrierty, Kathleen Haigh, Mary Rooney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Barbara Mansell, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, John Kisielowski, Peggy White, Janine Corbey, Bridget Finneral, Jordan Caulfield, Mary O'Keeffe, Kate Friedlein, Stephanie Price, Maria Caparco, Anne Bardell, Agnes Hughes, Mary Breadman, Martha Botelho, Peter McDonagh, Janet Boxall, Hazel Smith, Michael Blancs, Keith Flynn, Peter Leech, Joseph Brady, Sara Reynolds, Sue Kelly, Toni, Steve Brady and family, Maureen Pannell, Marie Smith and Rita Cuthbert.

ANNIVERSARIES: Andre Bologh, Mary Reynolds, Martin O'Donnell, Philomena Bush, Jean Cardy, Frances Martin, Max Adcock, Sheila Scrase, James Meehan, John Holland, Julia Gantley, Teresa Lowe, Joan Chambers, Violet Edwards, James Crowe, Marie Dowsett, Margaret Harrington, Terry Peagram, Gwen Lindeman, Dennis Geary, Vera Faircloths, Sr Agatha McEvoy, Sr Teresa Geoghegan, Frances McGuile and Barbara Brabon.
May they rest in peace.

CONFESSIONS AND EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Confessions and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament normally take place on Saturday between 10.30am and 11.30am. **On Saturday 23rd November the times will be 10.00am to 11.00am.**

SATURDAY 13TH DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS GRAND DRAW:

Amazing response to the grand draw donation of prizes including the top three money prizes. Your generosity and response has been overwhelming. Please now return your ticket stubs and money either to the helpers after each Mass or pop them through the Presbytery letterbox.
Thank you
Deirdre

PARISH CHRISTMAS QUIZ:

We are holding our Christmas Quiz on December 13th in the Jubilee Hall again this year to raise funds for our parish and to have a chance to have a fun evening together. As in previous years the quiz will be compered by our very own Martin and Ruth Barlow so we're sure to have a good time and plenty of head scratching! As an added enticement we will also be drawing the tickets for our Christmas Grand Draw on the evening. We are looking for teams, up to a maximum of eight, to take up a table and the price will be £8 per person. It would be helpful to register teams for the evening in advance so please register your interest with Deacon Jamie or Clare in the office.

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: September 2026 applicants
There will be an opportunity to see Fr David for the signing of the
Certificates of Catholic Practice on Wednesday 26th November and
Thursday 4th December. (7.00pm onwards).

Please call the Parish office to make an appointment on 01376 326779.

MISSIO RED BOX COLLECTION:

The final Red Box Collection of 2025 will take place from now to Friday 28th November. Please empty any monies into a brown envelope, that can be found at the back of the church, and leave it in the Presbytery.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Pauline Smith (Missio Parish Secretary)

LOURDES WITH OUR DIOCESE: Join Bishop Alan and pilgrims from across our diocese in Lourdes next summer: Friday 17th - Friday 24th July 2026.

Booking details will be available in the new year.

Thank you

Fr Matthew

Fr Matthew Bemand-Qureshi

Parish Priest, St Joseph's Catholic Church, Upminster

Director and Chaplain for Marriage and Family Life, Diocese of Brentwood

Director of the Brentwood Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend is **World Youth Sunday**, celebrating the young people of our Church. There will be a **second collection** to support the work of the **Brentwood Catholic Youth Service**, helping young people grow in faith through retreats, pilgrimages, and leadership opportunities. You can donate in the parish this weekend, or online at

www.bcys.net/donate, and please keep all young people in your prayers.

Gift Aiders, please use your second collection envelopes.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR FR EMILE:

The funeral arrangements for Fr Emile Nkumu who died on Saturday 2 November are as follows:

Fr Emile's Requiem Mass will be celebrated on Friday 28 November at 11.30am at the church of SS Peter and Paul, 342 High Road, Ilford IG1 1QP, followed by Burial at Manor Park Cemetery.

All are welcome.

May he rest in peace.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR DERMOT MAHER:

Dermot's Funeral Mass will take place on Wednesday 3rd December at 11.00am. **May he rest in peace.**

LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (Youth Sunday) Saturday 22nd November Sunday 23rd November	6.00pm	Deceased members of the Woulfe Family RIP (Woulfe) & Rod Gurr RIP (A) (Maureen)
	9.00am	Anne Mahon RIP (McNulty)
	11.00am	Ints Martin Joseph & Victoria Joseph (Lethika)
Monday 24th November St Andrew Dung-Lac, Pr, and Comps, MmMemorial	No Mass	
Tuesday 25th November	9.30am	Fr Emile RIP (Bill) & Ints Josie Baker B'day (Hannah, Mary & Bernadette)
Wednesday 26th November	9.30am	Ints Iris and Chris Wedding Anniversary (59 Years)
Thursday 27th November	9.30am	Jeanette, Elias and Matilda Aboujaoude RIP (Pauline)
Friday 28th November	9.30am	Deceased members of The Abisaab Family (Philomena) & Judith Tabor RIP (Teresa & Brian)
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A) Saturday 29th November Sunday 30th November	6.00pm	Chris Green RIP (A) (Josie) & Judith Tabor RIP (Norma)
	9.00am	Gwen Lindeman RIP (Milden)
	11.00am	Ints Philamander Lopez (Anthony Joseph and Family) & Lee Revill RIP (A) (Dedman)