

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Parish News

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Saturday 23rd May/ Sunday 24th May 2026

PENTECOST (A)



PRAYER LIST: We pray for the sick and housebound and those who have asked for our prayers:

Gwen Rushton, Elvira Kitteridge, Mary Rooney, Isaac Barry, Peter Beard, Barbara Mansell, Mary Delaney, Frances Weaver, Rachel Stokes, John Martin, Marie Evenett, Terrance Evenett, John Kisielowski, 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, Joseph Brady, Sara Reynolds, Sue Kelly, Toni & Steve Brady and family, Maureen Pannell, Rita Cuthbert, Tim Monaghan, Mark Smith, Kerry Norton, Mary Elizabeth West and Betty Sheehan.

ANNIVERSARIES: Alan Ellis, Dympna Patten, Maureen Trott, Cyril Swift, David Kershaw, Barbara Rees-Gant, Christine Cornelius, Zara Gill, Patrick O'Donnell, Basil John Butler, Michael John Patten, Ernest Smoothy, Henry Nutton, Kevin Rathe, Fr John Timmins, Mary Derriman, Roy Crow and Margaret Planel.

May they rest in peace.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Every Sunday we have a team of volunteers who run the coffee mornings after the 11am Mass. But we could always do with some extra help. Each person currently covers one week in 5 but with more volunteers this could reduce. If you are interested please contact Ann-Marie on: 07773 050679.

Thank you.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Our FHC children will be taking the Sacrament of Reconciliation this weekend in preparation for receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion over the weekends 6/7 and 13/14 June.

Please pray for them and their families during this special time.

VOCAL DUO AVAILABLE:

"Velvet Harmony" are a female vocal duo performing a mix of timeless classics, soul, acoustic favourites and modern songs for weddings, private events, corporate functions and special occasions.

For enquires please contact Charlotte /Poppy as follows:

contact@velvetharmonyduo.com

Tel no: 07745 231463

Instagram: '@Velvet_harmony_vocalduo'

CONFESSIONS : Confessions will be heard at 5.00pm on Saturday evening this coming weekend.

BAPTISM: This weekend, we welcome William, Tommy and Felix Doran in to the Family of the Church. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

Hospital Lay Chaplain- Basildon Hospital

A vacancy has arisen for a Hospital Lay Chaplain.

All applicants should have strong communication skills and be able to deal with the private and confidential nature of the role.

The post will be part-time working 5.25 hours per week – during the hours of 8am – 8pm. One day per week.

The salary is £13.45 per hour

The closing date for applications is 29th May 2026 and suitable applicants will be invited to attend an interview.

If you have any queries or if you would like to apply, please send your CV to basildon@brcdt.org

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LITURGY LIST THIS WEEK

PENTECOST (A) Saturday 23rd May Sunday 24th May	6.00pm Mass 9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass	Tom Savage and Francis Dornan RIP (Bill) & Mathew N D RIP (Devasia Mathew) David Kershaw RIP (A) & Elizabeth Smalley RIP (A) (Kershaw) Olivia Craig and Ryan O'Connor (Wedding Intentions) (Dayer)
Monday 25th May Mary, Mother of the Church	No Mass	
Tuesday 26th May St Philip Neri, Pr The Rosary	No Mass 10.00am	
Wednesday 27th May ST AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY	9.10am Morning Prayers , followed by 9.30am Eucharistic Service	
Thursday 28th May OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST (A)	No Mass	
Friday 29th May	9.10am Morning Prayers , followed by 9.30am Eucharistic Service	
Saturday 30th May THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (A) (DAY FOR LIFE) Sunday 31st May	6.00pm Eucharistic Service 9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass	Josephine Mary Paul RIP (A) (Bill) & Christopher Burgess RIP (B'day) (Ann & Mark) Michael McNamara RIP (Warren) Celina Tapka RIP & Geoff Eldridge RIP (A) (Eldridge Family) & Dee Hardy RIP (Hardy)