

Mass Intentions for week beginning 18th April 2015

Sat 18	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	6.00pm	The People of the Parish Osmund McMahon RIP & Ints of Betty McMahon Ron Handford RIP
Sun 19		10.00am	
		12noon	
Mon 20	Easter Feria	10.00am	For Christine Bush <i>followed by</i> Novena Prayers For Loretta McClannagin (1962 <i>Missal</i>)
		6.30pm	
Tue 21	St Anselm, Bp & Dr	10.00am	Mathew Kottakathil RIP / Caetano Pereira RIP (<i>anniv.</i>)
Wed 22	Easter Feria	10.00am	Catherine Mullane RIP
Thur 23	ST GEORGE, M. PATRON OF ENGLAND	10.00am	Manuela Victor RIP
Fri 24	St Mellitus, Bp	10.00am	John Omada RIP (<i>anniv.</i>)
Sat 25	ST MARK, EV.	9.30am	Mass
Sat 25	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	6.00pm	For Rachel Sullivan & Family Peter Hetherington RIP The People of the Parish
Sun 26		10.00am	
		12noon	

Confessions this Saturday 5.30 – 5.45pm

Your prayers are asked for the sick and housebound, especially:

Roland & Madeleine Selvini, Clare Kavanagh, Jones Bediako-Antwi-Benneh, Pepe Pupin, Leslie Cook, Trevor Barnham, Ann Dunseath, Christopher Johnstone, Josie D'alters, Christina Whiting, Anne Purcell, Ken Stanton, Kathleen Simpson, Pamela Allen, Noel Judge, Grace Lobendhan, Marcus Prospert, Eoin Oliver, Bob Edgar, Mary Holmes, Peggy Wright, Peggy Gajewski, Victor Francis, Sid Parker, Agnes Warren, Mary Evelyn Piotrowski, Derek Pyner, Gerald Rowe, Mary Brock, Ann Divine, Ann O'Donovan, Anthony Fonseca, Lola-Teresa Durojaiye, Margaret McQueen, Paul Westrop, Christine Hall, Maria McLoughlin, John Phillips, Mick Martin, Adriano Agatiello, Kay Fahy, Tony Baldwin, Paul Doyle, Susan Coker, Daniel Sutton, Tony Morton, Bernadette Thomas, Jane Anne Harvey, the Kitteridge Family, Maximilian Peluso, Patricia Theobalds, Jean Salter, Terry Eales, Norah Kelly, the residents of Sherrell House, Belmont Lodge and Pinewood.

Mass Attendance last weekend: 352

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Offertory Collection last weekend: £

(Good Friday Collection for the Holy Places: £330)

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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

***The Holy Father's Catechesis on the Family
(Part 6)***

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In our continuing catechesis on the family, we now reflect on *the importance and role of children*. The prophecy of Isaiah (60:4-5a) which we listened to at the beginning of this Audience speaks of the joy and hope which children bring to their parents. Children are the fruit of their parents' love and a gift of God, whose own infinite love bestows inviolable dignity and worth upon each person who comes into the world. The Fourth Commandment, which enjoins respect for parents, invites us to see in the relationship between the generations a sacred bond which affects every other relationship and ensures a sound future for society as a whole. The Church's concern for the responsible and generous transmission of God's gift of life is thus linked to the health of society, which is strengthened, renewed and enriched by the presence of the young. May Jesus, Son of God and son of a human family, help us, and society as a whole, to value the gift of life, the dignity of the family, and our responsibility to help young people look to the future with joy, hope and courage.

Franciscus PP.

THE ASSUMPTION, Hainault, is twinned with the Parish of Our Lady of Sorrows, Maria Ratschitz, in the diocese of Dundee, South Africa.

THE EASTER ANGELUS

During the Season of Easter, the Angelus is replaced by the "Regina Caeli". It will be sung at the beginning of the 6.00pm Mass on Saturdays and the 12noon Mass on Sundays. The text of the prayer can be found in the Parish Mass Books on page 2 (opposite the Table of Contents and below the text of the Angelus).



TEA & COFFEE are served in the Parish Hall after the 10.00am Mass every Sunday. Please come along, even if only for a few minutes, to meet and chat with your neighbour.

This Monday:

**10.00am Mass followed by Novena Prayers
6.30pm Mass (1962 Missal)**

CONFIRMATION CLASS *this Wednesday at 7.30pm (Parish Hall)*

FIRST COMMUNION CLASS *this Thursday at 5.00pm in the Parish Hall*

THE LEGION OF MARY *meets this Thursday at 7.00pm*

THE ROSARY is recited *this Saturday (Glorious Mysteries)* half an hour before the morning Mass.

RECOLLECTION FOR WOMEN – Tuesday 21st April - 6.45pm to 9.00pm at St. Augustine's Barkingside.

HEALING MASS at Abbotswick, House of Prayer, Brentwood to be celebrated by Fr Eamonn Power at 2.30pm on *Wednesday 22nd April*. All are welcome! Please call 01277 373959 for more information.

A DAY REMEMBERING THE MARTYRS: all are welcome to join members of the Essex Recusant Society as we visit the Church of the English Martyrs in Prescott Street. This is an OMI parish, which is celebrating its 150th anniversary this year. It is one of the most beautiful East End churches, close to the ruins of a former priory, as well as within walking distance of Tower Hill, where Saints Thomas More, John Fisher and Philip Howard were all martyred. The visit/pilgrimage will take in All Hallows' Anglican Church where Thomas More's and John Fisher's bodies were first buried. *We meet at 2 pm on Saturday 25th April* at the exit to Tower Hill underground station. The visit will be led by our Chairman, Mr. Tony Galcius. To join the Society or for further information, please contact the Secretary Sister Isobel Parks on 07962138287.

NEXT WEEKEND:

Retiring Collection for the Promotion of Vocations

Thank you!

I would like to thank you all most sincerely for your kindness and generosity this Easter. I hope that you and your families have had a blessed and happy Easter.
Fr Selvini

QUIZ in aid of St Francis Hospice on Saturday 16th May at 8.00pm. Tickets £6 from Sheila (020 8500 0073), Vonnie (01708 761 317) or the Bar.

THE ANNUAL MASS FOR MIGRANTS in honour of St Joseph the Worker will be held on *Monday 4th May* at St George's Cathedral, Lambeth Road, Southwark, London SE1 6HR. There will be a banner procession at 10.30am followed by Mass at 11am. Everyone is most welcome to attend this joyous occasion to celebrate the contribution made by migrants in our communities.

ST AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL Parent & Staff Association – welcome you to their Summer Fayre on *Saturday 16th May 2015 from 2.00pm-5.00pm*. Lots of stalls, activities and displays to be enjoyed by all the family. If you are interested in having a stall at the event, or have any raffle prizes or anything you wish to donate, then please email Aimee at staugustinespsa@hotmail.com or call on 07932402568. Address: St Augustine's School, Cranbrook Road, Ilford, Essex IG2 6RG.

SICK AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL: if anyone is seriously ill at home or is in hospital, it is most important that a priest be informed so that the sick person may receive the spiritual help of the sacraments. Relatives or friends should inform their parish priest and/or the Catholic chaplain of the hospital (*at King George Hospital, 8590 9026; at Queen's Hospital, 01708 447761; at Whipps Cross Hospital, 8520 5877*).

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? May I draw your attention to the *Sick Parishioner Care* forms at the back of church. Please take one if you are going to hospital and wish the Catholic chaplain to look after you!
Fr Selvini

MASS INTENTIONS/OFFERINGS: special envelopes are available at the back of church. If you would like a Mass offered on a *particular anniversary*, please let the Parish Priest know well in advance – the sooner the better! Thank you for your co-operation.

EASTER COMMUNION: all Catholics are bound to receive Holy Communion worthily between Ash Wednesday and Trinity Sunday (one's "Easter duties"). This duty requires us, if necessary, to seek the forgiveness of our sins in the Sacrament of penance. The Church teaches us that we must purify ourselves from sin and receive Christ worthily in Holy Communion. It is only by His grace that we are made worthy to enter in the presence of, and communion with, the All-Holy God.

