

Mass Intentions for week beginning 12th April 2014

Sat 12	PALM SUNDAY	6.00pm	Joan Ahern RIP
Sun 13		10.00am 12noon	Nelson Bakose RIP The People of the Parish
Mon 14	HOLY MONDAY	10.00am 6.30pm	Peter Hetherington RIP <i>followed by</i> Novena Prayers Mary Reynolds RIP (1962 Missal)
Tue 15	HOLY TUESDAY	10.00am	The Holy Souls RIP
Wed 16	HOLY WEDNESDAY	10.00am	Lilian Horgan RIP
Thur 17	HOLY THURSDAY	8.00pm	Bernard White RIP
Fri 18	GOOD FRIDAY	3.00pm	<i>Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion & Death</i>
Sat 19	HOLY SATURDAY	8.00pm	Dec'd Jago Family RIP
Sun 20	EASTER SUNDAY	10.00am 12noon	Ronald Taylor RIP The People of the Parish

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

Roland & Madeleine Selvini, Josie D'after, David Schrier, Christina Whiting, Connie Liddard, Clive Sutton, Anne Purcell, Ken Stanton, Kathleen Simpson, Pamela Allen, Noel Judge, Grace Lobendhan, Dave Hobbs, 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, the residents of Sherrell House, Belmont Lodge and Pinewood.

Mass Attendance last weekend: 339

Offertory Collection last weekend: £596.58

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

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PALM SUNDAY

On the Sacred Triduum

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On Thursday we begin the Sacred Triduum, the heart of the entire liturgical year: a time when we immerse ourselves in the central events of our Redemption. The **Chrism Mass** serves as a prelude to these three days, as priests renew their promises to the Bishop, who then blesses the holy oils and consecrates the chrism signifying the gift of the Holy Spirit. At the **Mass of the Lord's Supper**, we recall the institution of the Eucharist, the supreme sign of Christ's love for us. As we venerate his Cross on **Good Friday**, we contemplate the full meaning of his words: "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many" (*Mark 14:24*). Holy Saturday finds us waiting in silent hope for the **Easter Vigil**, when every church will break forth in a song of joy at the Lord's Resurrection. The celebration of the Paschal mystery recalls the depth of Christ's love: he did not wish to exercise his divinity as an exclusive possession, a means of domination, or a sign of distance between him and us. Rather, "he emptied himself, taking the form of a servant" (*Philippians 2:7*) by sharing fully in our human condition, even to the point of death: not a death imposed by blind chance or fate, but one freely chosen in obedience to the Father's will for the salvation for all. May our fervent celebration of the Triduum draw us ever more deeply into Christ's Paschal mystery!

Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Stations of the Cross

- this afternoon at 4.00pm (ending with Benediction)
- on Good Friday at 11.00am (*for Children*)
& at 8.00pm (*Maria Desolata*)

HOLY THURSDAY 8.00pm Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper and Watch until 10.30pm

GOOD FRIDAY 3.00pm Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death
(Good Friday is a day of fasting & abstinence)

HOLY SATURDAY 8.00pm Solemn Easter Vigil and First Mass of the Resurrection



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.

The Special Collection on Good Friday is for the Holy Places

This Monday:

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

No CONFIRMATION CLASS this Wednesday (Holy Week)

No FIRST COMMUNION CLASS this Thursday. Classes will resume after Easter on Thursday 24th April.

THANKS TO EVERYONE who gave donations
to the Easter Flowers collection. Sheila Mackay

CONFESSIONS before EASTER
MONDAY / TUESDAY / WEDNESDAY after Mass
HOLY THURSDAY 7.30-7.45pm
GOOD FRIDAY after the Solemn Liturgy
HOLY SATURDAY 10.00-10.30am

THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

will be celebrated at St Cedd, Goodmayes on *Sunday 27th April* from 2.00 to 6.30pm. Further information from the posters. *The Divine Mercy Novena starts on Good Friday.*

OF YOUR CHARITY pray for the repose of the soul of *George Eugeniusz Piatkowski* who died last week. Funeral Mass on Easter Wednesday at 12noon. May he rest in peace and may Our Lady, Consoler of the Afflicted, pray for his family in their bereavement.

MASS FOR MIGRANTS: the annual Mass for Migrants, in honour of St Joseph the Worker, will be held on *Bank Holiday Monday 5th May* in Westminster Cathedral, London. Mass begins at 11am and will be preceded by a banner procession at 10.30am. If you require more information please contact Davina Bolt 01277 265234 email davina@dioceseofbrentwood.org.

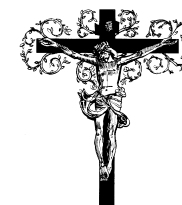
SPRING YOUTH GATHER – The Brentwood Catholic Youth Service would like to invite anyone in school years 7-9 to join us for a day of outdoor activities at Stubbers Adventure Centre in Upminster on *Saturday 17th May*. The cost of the day is just £20 and includes all activities. More information can be found at www.bcys.net/events or call 01277 265286

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!

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.

*We adore you,
O Christ,
and we bless you:*



*Because
by your Holy Cross
you have redeemed
the world.*

*Behold the wood of the Cross, on which hung the salvation
of the world. Come, let us adore.*