

Sacrament of Reconciliation: No Confessions next Saturday 26 September
Fr Francis is usually in the church to hear Confessions from 11.30am to 12 noon on Saturdays.

Mass now celebrated in public and the church is open during Mass.

It is still being broadcast on the parish Facebook page. You don't have to join Facebook to watch. Google "Our Lady of Grace Chingford Facebook" or type in this address: www.facebook.com/OLGStAParish/

Please Note New Weekday Mass Times 26th September - 4th October 2020

Saturday	6pm	Pauline Coomber RIP (Chipperfield)	<i>Vigil Mass for Sunday</i>
Sunday 27th	8.30am	John Corrigan (anniv) (Corrigan)	<i>26th Sunday Ordinary Time</i>
	10.30am	John Loftus RIP (Hopper)	
	6pm	People of the Parish	
Monday	9.15am	Beth Davie RIP (Reilly)	
Tuesday	9.15am	Genowefe RIP (Fox)	
Wednesday	9.15am	Edward Jukes (anniv) (Jukes)	
Thursday	9.15am	Ints Fr Francis	
Friday	9.15am	Elizabeth Canty anniv (Stitchbury)	
Saturday	6pm	Baby John Keating RIP (Keating)	<i>Vigil Mass for Sunday</i>
Sunday 4th	8.30am	Cathy Ogles RIP (Corrigan)	<i>27th Sunday Ordinary Time</i>
	10.30am	John Potter RIP (Craft)	
	6pm	People of the Parish	

Sick or housebound parishioners and former parishioners:

Elisabeth Abbott, Craig Allison, June Allison, Sue Allison, Terri Arend, Jackie Ayers, Caitlin Barrett, Jim Broderick, Tom Tom Cahill, Andy Chipperfield, Bridie Conlon, Lena Costello, Tommy & Joan Darcy, Jodie Denver, Morris & Celia Duranti, Catherine Emmerson (nee Freeman), Mary Enright, Antonia Evans, Mercy Fernandez, Sylvia Ford, Mary George, Rikki Gill, Jackie Hill, Peter Hastie, Teresa Hoban, Maureen Jayes, Simone Jones, Martin Keay, Della Kerr, Maureen Kerrigan, Louise Lecointe, Thelma Lizarondo, Maria Ludwig, Anne Manning, Fr Jean-Laurent Marie, Pat Marshall, Margaret Metcalfe, James McNaboe, Jada Miller-Lewis, Brian O'Donnell, Charlie O'Donnell, Noreen O'Shea, Maxine Pereira, Kathleen Petterson, Ana Pitts, Brigit Radcliffe, Teresa Raymond, Joe & Janr Robinson, Caroline Simpson, David Sparks, Samantha Sparks, Katie Stringer, Marianne Tarrant, Sharon Taylor, Renata Wallis & Ellen Williamson.

Parish Finances

At present bags or baskets **cannot** be passed around during Mass. Please place you offering to the parish inside one of the milk churns in the church.

Mass Attendance last weekend was 364. The main collection £889.00 (£244.00 envelopes and £545.00 loose). Thank you very much.

Standing Orders.

We are also most grateful to all parishioners who support the parish by Standing Orders. There are Standing Order Forms in the South Porch of the church for anyone who would also like to support the parish in this way.

**Our Lady of Grace & St Teresa of Avila
Parish Newsletter**

Parish Priest

Fr Francis Coveney

Fr Jean Laurent Marie (in residence)

Sunday 27th September 2020

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A



Readings

Psalm 24

Ezek 18:25-28

Phil 2:1-11

Matt 21:28-32

Remember your mercy, Lord.

Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

If anyone loves me he will keep my word
and my Father will love him and we shall come to him
Alleluia!

Weekday Morning Prayer

Psalter Week 2

Lectionary: Sundays (Cycle A); Weekdays Ordinary Time week 26 (Year 2)

For more information see: <http://universalis.com/>

Name of Child

Date of Birth.....

Signature

FR FRANCIS WRITES

Please try to arrive early for Mass as we have limited seating capacity.

There is a ONE WAY SYSTEM in church.

If you arrive late for Mass please wait for a Steward to lead you to a free place.

Please also remember that lighting candles during Mass is not permitted.

Please light candles only before Mass.

LET'S HELP STOP THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS

Please sanitize your hands before you come in to church

Please scan the QR code with your NHS COVID-19 App to check in

SUBSIDENCE – GOOD NEWS

Last Thursday Fr Francis had a meeting with the Loss Adjuster, the Structural Engineer, the Diocesan Surveyor, Richard Eldridge (our Steward of the Gospel) & Anthony Delarue (the architect who is the consultant to the Historic Churches Committee.)

-Repair works should start in the spring.

-The vast majority of the costs will be paid by our Insurers.

-The church will not need to be closed during the repairs for the subsidence.

HELP NEEDED

We need the following able bodied volunteers for ALL SUNDAY Masses

-2 Stewards -2 Extraordinary Ministers

-1 Server & 1 Reader

Please ring Fr Francis on 020 8529 1804 or Helen on 07714 108 025 if you can help

FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND CHURCH

Mass will continue to be broadcast onto our parish Facebook page

Just Google "Our Lady of Grace Chingford Facebook" and then click with your mouse on the Facebook page that comes up.

Dial a Mass Scheme

For the cost of a local phone call, you can hear Mass. The Mass will last under an hour. **The phone number is 01642 130 120.**

MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS

These will no longer be stamped after Mass – but please keep them safe & hand them in when requested. But if you wish to have your attendance at Mass recorded, please print your child's name & date of birth on the FRONT of this Newsletter, sign it – and place it into the large milk churn at the back of the church.

This is **only** required for Certificate of Catholic Practice for both Primary and Secondary Schools for admission in **September 2021 - and Confirmation 2020 and First Holy Communion 2019/20.**

FHC & CONFIRMATION

First Holy Communion 2019/20

FHC Masses

Saturday 3 October 10am

Parents need to send Julian a list of ALL their guests wishing to attend the FHC Masses.

Because of the present reduced capacity of the church, only these named guests will be able to attend.

NB There is no Going Forth Mass this year.

Confirmation Program 2020 - changes

The Confirmation Programme will continue remotely. Tasks will be sent to candidates by email to be completed by them and returned before the completion of the programme.

Confirmation Mass

Sunday 1 November at 6pm

If COVID-19 restrictions are still in place each candidate will be allocated THREE GUESTS ONLY.

In these extraordinary circumstances admission to this Mass will be BY TICKET ONLY. Other parishioners will NOT be able to attend this Mass

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Details for applying for a place in Reception Class in September 2021 will be given after half term. **Closing date for applications to St Mary's School Chingford is 15 January 2021.**

Please do not contact Fr Francis yet about Primary School applications.

SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

Trinity Catholic High School

In response to the COVID-19 situation Trinity Catholic High School have commissioned a **virtual tour of the school**, which can be found on our website (<https://fc.tchs.uk.net/>), with all the information needed to apply for Trinity.

The closing date for applications is **31st October 2020** and the relevant forms can either be posted or dropped off at the Sydney Road entrance in the drop box, with a stamped addressed envelope for receipt, if required. If you have any other queries, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Scrivens on LScrivens@tchs.uk.net

Certificates of Catholic Practice (CCP)

For Secondary Schools - please print a copy of the **Certificate of Catholic Practice** from

<https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/Certificate-of-Catholic-Practice.pdf>

Please complete this and post it (in a sealed envelope) to Fr Francis by

Monday 12 October 2020 enclosing:-

1. Your completed CCP
2. Your Mass Attendance Card
3. A stamped addressed envelope.
4. Your name & address, mobile phone number & email address
5. Your child's Baptism Certificate.

If delivering by hand, please do **NOT** ring the doorbell of the Presbytery.

Applications to Davenant School for September 2021 intake

Fr Francis will complete the application form **ONLY** if Davenant is your first choice school because historically all applications from practicing Catholic families to Trinity Catholic HS from Our Lady of Grace have been successful.

OTHER NOTICES

Our Junior Choir: Wed 30 September

George Ford, our organist & Director of Music, continues the singing & music lessons for our young choristers from **5.15pm to 6pm in the church.**

All necessary health & safety precautions will be observed – including appropriate social distancing & hand sanitizing.

Harvest Festival Mass

Sunday 27 September at 10.30am

If you are able, please bring donations of food which will then be distributed by the SVP to local families

NEXT YEAR'S SACRAMENT CATECHESIS

First Holy Communion 2020/21 (Y3)

A new preparation programme for FHC and First Confession will start this autumn for children in Year 3 and above.

The application process is now open and is online at:

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/Personal259/OurLadyOfGraceFirstEucharistEnrolment2021>

Any questions please e-mail Julian Ferreira at firsteucharist@julianferreira.com

If you are not on line, please collect an enrolment form from inside the church.

SVP

If you need help from the SVP in these difficult times - you can ring the SVP directly on 020 7703 3030 or speak to Fr Francis 020 8529 1804 or Helen 07714 108 025

RING FOUND

Please see Fr Francis if you have lost a ring.

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL Job Vacancies

Finance Officer, ASAP: Scale 5, Point 12, 28 hours p/w, 44.2 weeks p/y
Cover Supervisor, ASAP, Scale 4, Point 7, 12.5-18.75 hours p/w, 43.2 weeks p/y
Please visit the schools website for more details.