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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday –Thursday 9.45 – 10.15am (when there is no Funeral Mass)

Saturday 11.30am – 12 noon

Confessions are in the Old Sacristy – entry next to the Sacred Heart statue.

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

Mass is still being broadcast on the parish Facebook page.

You do not have to join Facebook to watch.

Google “Our Lady of Grace Chingford Facebook videos”

Mass Intentions Saturday 13th March- Sunday 21st March

Saturday	6pm	Children & Families of St Mary’s School	<i>Sunday Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 14th	8.30am	Children & Families of St Mary’s School	<u>4th Sunday in Lent (B)</u>
	10.30am	Children & Families of St Mary’s School	
	6pm	Children & Families of St Mary’s School	
Monday	9.15am	Canon Martin Horkan (anniv)	
Tuesday	9.15am	Mary Lee RIP (Lee)	
Wednesday	9.15am	People of the Parish	<u>St Patrick’s Day</u>
Thursday	9.15am	Sylvia Toussaint (1 st anniv)(Belizaire)	
Friday	9.15am	Mary Fitzgerald (anniv) (Fitzgerald)	<u>St Joseph</u>
Saturday	6pm	Brigid Holland RIP (Redgwell)	<i>Sunday Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 21st	8.30am	Gerard Kearney RIP (Kearney)	<u>5th Sunday in Lent (B)</u>
	10.30am	People of the Parish	
	6pm	Seamus Burke RIP (Dorgan)	

Sick or housebound parishioners and former parishioners:

Elisabeth Abbott, Craig Allison, June Allison, Sue Allison, Terri Arend, Jackie Ayers, Caitlin Barrett, Jim Broderick, Liam Burke, 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,, 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, Lesley & Rory McGowan, Margaret Metcalfe, Jada Miller-Lewis, Brian O’Donnell, Charlie O’Donnell, Noreen O’Shea, Maxine Pereira, Kathleen Petterson, Ana Pitts, Brigit Radcliffe, Tracy Reilly, Joe & Janr Robinson, Caroline Simpson, David Sparks, Samantha Sparks, Katie Stringer, Marianne Tarrant, Sharon Taylor, Renata Wallis, Ellen Williamson & Louis Wolsink..

Last weekend The Mass Attendance last weekend was 295. The main collection was £629.87 (envelopes £492.31 loose £137.56). The collection for CAFOD Fast Day was 350.10. Thank you all very much indeed.

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 14th March 2021

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4th Sunday in Lent - Year B



Jesus said to Nicodemus: “The Son of Man must be lifted up ...so that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.” John 3:14-15

Readings 2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23 Ephesians 2:4-10 John 3:14-21

Psalm 136 O let my tongue cleave to my mouth if I remember you not!

Acclamation Glory and praise to you, O Christ!
God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son;
everyone who believes in him has eternal life.
Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

Weekday Morning Prayer Psalter Week 4 (Lent)

Lectionary: Sundays (Cycle B); Weekdays Lent week 4

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

Name of child.....

Date of birth.....

Signature of parent.....

FR FRANCIS WRITES

As I mentioned last Sunday all Masses this weekend for the children & families of our parish. **Below is part of a message I have sent to all the Primary School children** in our parish.

This Sunday is Mothering Sunday

It's a day when we all try to say a big thank you to our Mums for all the work they do for us, for all the care they give us – and for all the love that they share with us.

So put on your thinking caps and try to think of something really nice you can do for your Mum this Sunday to say "thank you" to her for everything that she does for you.

-Perhaps you could bring her breakfast in bed.

-Or make a special effort to tidy your room.

-Or perhaps help with the washing up.

-Or give her some pretty flowers to show how much you love her.

But whatever you do – please remember to tell her how much you love her and want to thank her.

Pope Francis reminded us all some time ago there are three very special words that are so very important.

These words are: PLEASE, THANK YOU and SORRY.

Easter Duties

I am available for **Confessions** in the Old Sacristy

-Monday-Thursday at 9.45 – 10.15am

-Saturday at 11.30 – 12noon

Lenten Retreat with Fr Jean-Laurent

This will take place each Friday during Lent at 7pm. It will be live streamed on our Parish Facebook page - with talks followed by prayer before the Blessed Sacrament You do not have to join Facebook to watch. Google "Our Lady of Grace Chingford Facebook videos"

Parish Mission - 16th – 22nd October

With the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal This will be their **only** Parish Mission in the UK in 2021.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Sylvia Ford who died on Monday 22 February the grandmother of George Ford **Mary Warburton.**

Her Funeral Mass will be on Tuesday 23 March at 10am followed by burial in Chingford Mount Cemetery.

Victor Mould who died on Ash Wednesday.

His Funeral Mass will be on Thursday 15 April at 1pm followed by cremation in the City of London Crematorium .

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

BRENTWOOD DIOCESAN 2021

DIRECTORY

For sale at £2.80 each. Money in the newspaper box please

THE BIBLE ALIVE - Lent 2021

Please put your money (£3) in the Newspaper Box

MAGNIFICAT & CATHOLIC NEWSPAPERS

In the past the Catholic Newspapers were sent on a "sale or return" basis. This is no longer the case & sadly we can no longer spend parish money on unsold newspapers. But you can subscribe to Magnificat, the Catholic Herald and the Universe using the links below:
<https://catholic-herald.myshopify.com/>
<https://thecatholicuniverse.com>

ST MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Experienced KS1/KS2 Class Teacher needed for September 2021

TLR Point Available

Full details & an application form are available at www.stmaryschingford.com

Visits are warmly welcomed.

Closing Date: 19 March 2021 (12 noon)

Interview Date: 30 & 31 March 2021

THE CHURCH IS OPEN FOR MASS

But not Baptisms or Weddings

Essential businesses and services can stay open to the public. These include places of worship.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/explainers-52530518>

*It's good to know that churches are now recognized by the Government as "providing **essential** services"*

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STREAMING OF MASS

For people unable to attend Mass, we now have **live streaming of Mass**. There are also **CCTV cameras & loudspeakers** outside all the doors of the church.

These improvements were only possible with your help.

Many thanks to all parishioners who have recently made generous donations to Parish Funds.

UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS?

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things,

And I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,

Come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

*Never permit me to be separated from You. **Amen.***

CATECHESIS FOR SACRAMENTS

FHC Programme 2020/21

Because of the Covid Pandemic we have to delay the start of the FHC Programme.

As soon as we are able to, we shall notify parents of the amended programme.

Any questions please e-mail Julian

Ferreira ferreiraj@julianferreira.com

Confirmation Programme 2020/21

for young people (Y10+)

Because of the Covid Pandemic we have to delay the start of the FHC Programme. As soon as we are able to, we shall notify

parents of the amended programme.

Confirmations will now take place on All Saints' Day – Sunday 31 October.

To enrol please visit

<https://www.cognitofirms.com/Personal259/OurLadyOfGraceConfirmationEnrolment2021>

MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS

These will no longer be issued. But if you wish to have your attendance at weekend 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 after Mass on Saturday or Sunday.

*This is **only** required for Certificate of Catholic Practice for both Primary and Secondary Schools for admission in September 2022, First Holy Communion 2021 and Confirmation 2021.*

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

This week we have Stations of the Cross on **FRIDAY** after the 9.15am Mass.

REGISTRATION FORMS

If you are new to the Parish **OR** your details have changed **OR** you have never completed a registration form please do so. The forms are near the entrance of the Church. It is important for the Parish to have up to date records.