

Our Lady of Grace & St Teresa of Avila Parish Newsletter

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 24 October 11.30am – 12 noon

Confessions in the Old Sacristy – near the Sacred Heart shrine

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/OLGStTAParish/

Mass Intentions Saturday 24th October - Sunday 1st November 2020

Saturday	6pm	SVP members & families (Mould)	<u>Vigil Mass for Sunday</u>
Sunday 25th	8.30am	Margaret Tomalin RIP (Gibson)	<u>30th Sunday Ordinary Time</u>
	10.30am	People of the Parish	
	6pm	Peter Gillhooley RIP (Lynch)	
Monday	9.15am	Benefactors, relatives & friends (Found)	
Tuesday	9.15am	L Balls, M Mahoney, Ball & Mahoney family (Found)	
Wednesday	9.15am	Emily Courtney RIP (Family)	
Thursday	9.15am	Walter Evans (anniv) (Evans)	
Friday	9.15am	Canon Michael Hazell RIP	
Saturday	6pm	Isobel Manz RIP (SVP)	<u>Vigil Mass for Sunday</u>
Sunday 1st	8.30am	Margaret Russell RIP	<u>All Saints Day</u>
	10.30am	For the Sick (Mould)	
	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, 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 356. The main collection £568.41 (£353.15 envelopes and £215.26 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.

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A



Readings

Exodus 22:20-26 1 Thess 1:5-10 Matthew 22:34:40

Psalms 17

The Lord is our strength

Acclamation

Alleluia! alleluia!

If anyone loves me

he will keep my word,

and my Father will love him,

and we will come to him

Alleluia!

Weekday Morning Prayer

Psalter Week 2

Lectionary: Sundays (Cycle A); Weekdays Ordinary Time week 30 (Year 2)

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

Name of Child

Date of Birth.....

Signature

FR FRANCIS WRITES

RCIA 2019-2020

On Saturday 17 October

Anthony Makujuola was received into Full Communion & conditionally baptized. Both he & David Boyce were then confirmed and made their First Holy Communion.

On Monday 26 October

Tracy Thompson will be received into full communion & will be confirmed & will make her first Holy Communion at the 9.15am Mass.

On Wednesday 28 October

Andrew Reynolds will be baptized, confirmed & will make his First Holy Communion at the 9.15am Mass.

Congratulations & welcome to all four!

Please pray for

Margaret Russell (formerly O'Loughlin) formerly of this parish who died on 16 October after a long illness. Her Funeral Mass will be here on Monday 2 November at 10.30am

Teresa Burke (formerly of Enterprise House) who died on 24 October. Her funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

May they rest in peace.

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 or after 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

Help still 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

UNABLE TO ATTEND CHURCH?

Mass continues to be broadcast onto our parish Facebook page – see back page **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.

CONFIRMATION 2019/2020

Confirmation Program 2020

Confirmation Mass

Sunday 1 November at 6pm

With COVID-19 restrictions each candidate will be allocated THREE GUESTS ONLY.

Fr Francis has emailed parents explaining all the arrangements & asking them to name those who are attending.

Deadline for replies is

12 noon Monday 26 October.

In these extraordinary circumstances unfortunately other parishioners will NOT be able to attend this Mass.

There will be no rehearsal – but details of the Mass will be sent to the Candidates' parents.

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.

OTHER NOTICES

Our Junior Choir: Wed 4 November

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.

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.

Trinity Catholic High School

Closing date for applications is 31 October 2020. Practicing Catholics will wish to submit a Certificate of Catholic practice to the School.

If you are a parent/guardian of a child in year 6 and wish to apply for a Certificate of Catholic Practice and have not already submitted the full documentation requested email Fr Francis asap on chingfordolgsta@dioceseofbrentwood.org

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.

ROSARY GROUP

Will be saying the Rosary on Mondays after the 9.15am Mass. Please join in person or online.

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 fristteucharist@julianferreira.com

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

RCIA

Christian Initiation of Adults

-Are you a Catholic but were not confirmed ?

-Are you a non-Catholic but have thought about becoming a Catholic?

If so, there is a course for YOU starting here in October for adults wishing to find out more about the Catholic Faith.

If interested, please contact Fr Francis by phone or email to enroll before Monday 26 October.

JOB VACANCIES AT CATHOLIC

SCHOOLS

THE URSULINE ACADEMY ILFORD

Learning Support Assistant Wanted

Start: asap. Closing Date: noon Friday 30 October. For further information please visit: uai.org.uk/about/vacancies

ST JOHN'S SPECIAL NEEDS SCHOOL WOODFORD BRIDGE

Full Time Class Assistants

To apply please contact the school 020 8504 1818 or email office@stjohnsrcschool.co.uk.

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

P/T Mathematics Teacher - January 2021

For full details see <https://fc.tchs.uk.net/>,