

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Fr Francis will be in the porch outside the church next Saturday from 11.30am until 12noon.

You will only be able to approach from the Church Car Park – as the path from the Presbytery will be closed to ensure privacy.

Please note: there is a gap of 3 meters diagonally between the two benches.

## **Mass is still being celebrated for you here every day**

It is broadcast on the parish Facebook page. You do not have to join Facebook to watch. Google “Our Lady of Grace Chingford Facebook” or type in this address:

[www.facebook.com/OLGStAParish/](http://www.facebook.com/OLGStAParish/)

## **Mass Intentions 23<sup>rd</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020**

<b>Saturday</b>	10am	Patrick Walkin RIP (Deacy)	
<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup></b>	10.30am	People of the Parish	<b><u>7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</u></b>
<b>Monday</b>	9am	Mary Rose French (ill) (Dunne)	
<b>Tuesday</b>	9am	Fr Tom Breslin RIP	
<b>Wednesday</b>	9am	Sybil Alder RIP (SVP)	<b><u>St Augustine</u></b>
<b>Thursday</b>	9am	Pat McKenna RIP (Gibbons)	
<b>Friday</b>	9am	Judy Carolan RIP (Ogles)	
<b>Saturday</b>	10am	Del & Moira Feeney (Golden Anniv)	
<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup></b>	10.30am	People of the Parish	<b><u>Pentecost Sunday</u></b>

## **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, Mary Enright, Antonia Evans, Mercy Fernandez, Mary George, Rikki Gill, Jackie Hill, Peter Hastie, Teresa Hoban, Maureen Jayes, Simone Jones, Della Kerr, Maureen Kerrigan, Louise Lecointe, Thelma Lizarondo, Maria Ludwig, Anne Manning, Isobel Manz, 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**

Although Mass is not being celebrated in public, the parish still has bills to pay.

If you wish to make a donation to help the parish in these extraordinary times, please put your donation in an envelope and put it through the letter box at

1 Kings Road or by online donation which can be accessed via the Diocesan website below:

<https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/>

## **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 24<sup>th</sup> May 2020**

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**Website:** [www.catholicchingford.org.uk/home](http://www.catholicchingford.org.uk/home)

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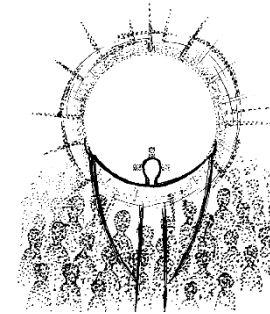
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## ***7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (Year A)***



## ***Father, glorify your Son - John 17:1***

### **Readings**

Acts 1:12-14 1 Peter 4:13-16 John 17:1-11

### **Psalm 26**

I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness  
In the land of the living.

### **Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord:

I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy.  
Alleluia!

### **Weekday Morning Prayer** Psalter Week 3

**Lectionary:** Sundays (Cycle A); Weekdays Easter week 7

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

### **Prayer of St Ignatius of Loyola:**

Teach us, good Lord, to serve you as you deserve;  
to give & not to count the cost; to fight & not to heed the wounds;  
to toil & not to seek for rest; to labour & not to ask for any reward,  
save that of knowing that I do your holy will.

## FR FRANCIS WRITES

*Although our church is closed please continue to pray with your families.*

### All our Masses are being 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. Then when you have reached our Facebook page, click again on "videos".

### Dial a Mass Scheme

For those who **do not** have access to the internet, the Diocese of Middlesbrough, have developed the **Dial-a-Mass** service so fellow Catholics can phone and listen to the Mass. For the cost of a local call, you can hear Mass. The Mass will last under an hour. **The phone number is 01642 130 120.**

### Please pray the Rosary & The Angelus.

Use the Simple Prayer Book, the Magnificat magazine & the leaflets in the porch.

### Mass Intentions

You can still have Masses said for your intentions by collecting a Mass Intention Envelope from the church porch & posting it in the Presbytery (1 Kings Road).

### The Vincent de Paul Society (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

## SPIRITUAL SURVIVAL KIT

**Get your Spiritual Survival Kit for the Pandemic here:**

<https://aleteia.org/>

**See too talks from the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal with Ascension Press**

<https://media.ascensionpress.com/category/ascension-presents/cfrs/>

## PLEASE PRAY FOR

Please pray for the following who have died:

**Helen Parker**, mother of Siobhan Frecker, who died on Saturday 9 May.

**Mary Wright**, former Brownie leader.

**Canon John Duckett** who died on 9 May

**Fr Paul Dynan** who died on 17 May

**Canon John Duckett** was ordained in 1955 and was one of the oldest priests of our diocese.

He was born in Preston, Lancashire, in 1928 and as a young child moved with his family to Chelmsford.

His elder brother **Fr George Duckett** was also a priest of our diocese - a late vocation who was ordained in 1974. Both of them were related to not one but two English Catholic Martyrs.

**James Duckett** (died 19 April 1602) a layman executed at Tyburn for printing Catholic devotionals.

**John Duckett** (1613 –1644) a priest & probably the grandson of James Duckett. He trained for the priesthood at the English College Douai in Northern France.

**Fr Paul Dynan** was ordained in 2004. He grew up in Manor Park and went to St Bonaventure's School. In his early life he was the Chief Biomedical Scientist in an NHS district pathology department. In the course of his work he met his wife Connie, a nurse. They married in Our Lady of Compassion Upton Park and had three children Michael, Claire & Jonathan. Sadly Connie died of cancer at a young age, leaving Paul to bring up their three young children on his own.

When his children had grown up, he offered himself as a candidate for the priesthood for our Diocese of Brentwood and trained at Allen Hall Chelsea.

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

## SACRAMENT CATECHESIS

### First Holy Communion Program 2019/20

*Rescheduled dates*

**Teaching Sessions for parents & children**

Saturday 5 September 9.15am

Saturday 12 September 9.15am

### **FHC Masses**

Saturday 19 & 26 September 10am

Saturday 3 October 10am

### **Going Forth Mass**

Sunday 11 October 10.30am

### Confirmation Program 2020 - changes

Just as the candidates are getting school work electronically, so too **the Confirmation Programme will now continue remotely**. Tasks will be sent to the candidates by email to be completed by them and returned before the completion of the programme.

*Last week the Bishop authorized all Parish Priests to celebrate the postponed Confirmation at an appropriate time after our churches are open again.*

**I will inform all candidates and their parents as soon as I am able to arrange a date – hopefully this autumn.**

## VACANCIES IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

### TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

**All for September 2020**

**Teacher of Computer Science** with a TLR F/T

**Teacher of Computer Science** P/T

**Teacher of Religious Education** – F/T

**Lead Teacher for PRE & RSE** with a TLR

**Teacher of Science** - F/T - Sep 2020

**Teacher of Science** 0.8FTE, P/T

**Teacher of Home Economics** 0.6FTE P/T

Please visit the school's website for more details

## ST MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Station Road, Chingford E4 7BJ

**An experienced KS 1 / 2 Class Teacher needed for Maternity cover in Sept 2020**  
*TLR Point Available – full details on the website [www.stmaryschingford.com](http://www.stmaryschingford.com)*  
**Closing Date:** 5 June 2020 (12 noon)  
**Interview Date:** 8 June 2020

### **Special Needs Assistant (SNA)**

*Level 2/3 for 1:1 Support – for 17.5 hours per week (12 noon to 15:30 daily)*  
*Term time only plus inset days*  
*Fixed Term Contract Sept to December 2020. Possibly ongoing.*

## SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, SOUTHEND

**Deputy Head - needed for Sept 2020**

## MAKING A SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

**When the Mass we are watching comes to the part for the Eucharist to be given, we can all recite a spiritual communion prayer.** This is the traditional practice of expressing one's desire to be united with Jesus in Holy Communion which many saints have recommended. It's a very good habit to cultivate throughout our lives. Expressing and deepening our desire to be united with our Beloved Jesus draws us closer to him spiritually, even if we can't receive Him sacramentally.

Here's a prayer we can recite:

**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.**