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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday – Friday 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 7th January- 14th February 2021

Saturday	6pm	Private Intention (PS)	<i>Sunday Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 7th	8.30am	Int Anne Parrish (Wiggins)	<u>5th Sunday Ordinary Time (B)</u>
	10.30am	People of the Parish	
	6pm	Marisol Mercadel RIP	
Monday	9.15am	Leslie Burton RIP (Burton)	
Tuesday	12noon	Funeral Mass – Ellen Daly RIP	
Wednesday	9.15am	Teresa Burke RIP (Church friends)	
Thursday	9.15am	Lesley & Rory McGowan (ill) (B McG)	<i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>
Friday	9.15am	Malcolm Ware (ill) (Mould)	
Saturday	6pm	George Apap RIP (Murray)	<i>Sunday Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 14th	8.30am	Margaret Russell RIP (SVP)	<u>6th Sunday Ordinary Time (B)</u>
	10.30am	Dec'd Graham, Tucker, Edwards families (Crooks)	
	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, 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, Alan Reynolds, Joe & Janr Robinson, Stephen Savage, 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 202. The main collection was £645.00 (envelopes £466.30 loose £178.70). 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 7th February 2021

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B



Readings

Job 7: 1 – 4. 6 – 7 1 Cor 9: 16 – 19. 22 – 2 Mark 1: 29 – 39

Psalm 146

Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted.

Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

Weekday Morning Prayer

Psalter Week 1

Lectionary: Sundays (Cycle B); Weekdays Week 5 Ordinary Time

For more information see:

<http://universalis.com/>

Name of child.....

Date of birth.....

Signature of parent.....

FR FRANCIS WRITES

Second collection – Next weekend

This will be for the upkeep of the shrine in Lourdes which is suffering financially because of the pandemic restrictions.

2021 – A Year of Hope & Renewal

Music in our Parish

An excellent soloist is now singing once a month at the 10.30am Mass.

When things are more normal our Parish Youth Choir will again sing 2x month -both at the 8.30 & 10.30 Masses

Repairs & Restauration of our Church

Our Loss Adjuster has issued instructions for the subsidence repairs to the church. These should start in the spring.

Holy Week & Easter

Our new soloist will be singing at the Holy Week & Easter Services

Celebrations in the Autumn

I shall celebrate my 21st birthday again - for the 49th time on Friday 1st October. And on Friday 15th October we shall celebrate the Feast of St Teresa of Avila

Parish Mission - 16th – 22nd October

We are so fortunate that the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal have agreed to hold a Parish Mission here. This will be their **only** Parish Mission in the UK in 2021.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Ellen Daly Her Funeral Mass will be here on Tuesday 9 February at 12 noon followed by burial in Chingford Mount Cemetery.

Terence Collins A Service will be held at Enfield Crematorium on Monday 22 February at 11.30am

Alan Jennings who died on Wednesday 3 February. His funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

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

THURSDAY 11 FEBRUARY

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

World Day of Prayer for the Sick
Principle Patroness of our Diocese
Mass at 9.15am will include the Sacrament of the Sick.

WEDNESDAY 17 FEBRUARY

Lent begins with Ash Wednesday

A Day of Fasting & Abstinence
Mass at 9.15am & 8pm

LENT – PREPARING FOR

EASTER & NEW LIFE

God wants to give you more. How will you respond this Lent?

Fr. Mark Touns, an experienced spiritual director, leads readers inward to invite the Lord to heal those areas where they need it most. He follows the same format that more than a hundred thousand people enjoyed in Advent with his popular *Rejoice!* journals.

<https://ascensionpress.com/collections/the-ascension-lenten-companion-year-b/products/the-ascension-lenten-companion-year-b>

BRENTWOOD DIOCESAN 2021

DIRECTORY

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

MAGNIFICAT & CATHOLIC

NEWSPAPERS

In the past the Catholic Newspapers were sent on a “sale or return” basis. Unfortunately this is no longer the case and we are now charged for all newspapers sent to us – even if they are unsold. But you can subscribe to Magnificat, the Catholic Herald and the Universe using the links below:

<https://catholic-herald.myshopify.com/>
<https://thecatholicuniverse.com/>

THE CHURCH IS STILL 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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THANK YOU

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

First Holy Communion 2020/21 (Y3)

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 firsteucharist@julianferreira.com

Confirmation Programme 2020/21

for young people (Y10+)

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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.*

PLEASE ASK YOUR MP TO HELP STOP

FORCED ABORTIONS IN CHINA

Many women in the Uyghur Muslim community in Xinjiang, China are being forced to have abortions.

Lord Alton is currently championing an amendment to the Trade Bill to put pressure on China to stop these forced abortions.

Please ask your MP to support this amendment. You can do this easily by visiting the link below:

<https://genocideresponse.org/>