

MASS TIMES AND MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday 15th June - Sunday 23rd June 2024

Sat 15th June

(MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 16th June

(StD) 9am:

(MHR) 11pm:

Mon 17th June

(MHR) 9.30am:

Tues 18th June

(StD) 9.30am:

Wed 19th June

(MHR) 9.30am:

Thurs 20th June

(Std) 9.30am:

Fri 21st June

(MHR) 9.30am:

Sat 22nd June

(MHR) 6.30pm:

Sun 23rd June

(StD) 9am:

(MHR) 11pm:

Morning Prayer: Before Mass 9.15am on Mon - Fri after Morning Mass Rosary (MHR)
 & Tues and Thurs after Morning Mass (StD)

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Day For Life)

Lee Poulton RIP - Theresa

Margaret & John Lyons RIP - Marian

People of the Parish

FERIA

Hilda Akintonde Family – Margaret .V.

FERIA

Katie Butler RIP

FERIA

NO MASS

FERIA

Tom Green RIP - SVP

ST ALOYSIUS, GONZAGA,REL

Lima Rose Birthday - Jo Paul P.A.

TWELTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

People of the Parish

Carol Ann Brooks Aniv RIP - Sam, Charlotte, James, Amy

Tess Woulfe RIP—Michael Leniton

PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH AND HOUSEBOUND

Brian Angel, Jason Angel, Rita Bracher, Christine, Deborah DiMoriaku, Stacey Doyle, Mary Eckett, Louise Flores, G. Golding, Tania Kavanagh, Daniel Kelleher, Karen Kennedy, Billy Koseda, Luke, Madeleine, Charlotte Massey, Eileen McGeown, Graham McGeown, Geraldine McStravick, Susan Newman, Elsie Pridemore, Dee Skene, William Taylor, Tony Tyres, June Warrington, Eileen Lacey, Andrew White, Lynsey Mitchell, John Barry, Trish Connolly, Fran Manderson, Veronica & John Campling, Sarah Harding, Claire Monkcom, Andy & Doreen, Nadia Bolton, Donna McKearney, Tina Perotti, Brenda White, Ann Carr, Janet O'Brien, Jacqueline Pears and Steve Stripe, Paul Singleton, Mary Boyle, Tom Green, Val Kelleher, Nicky Burgess, Eve Lawrence, Sue Edwards, Stephanie Bedding, Ken Page, Patrick Murray, Sheila Murphy, Patricia Motha, Baby Emily, Leon Leeward, Lydia Luke, Neil Humphries, Pat Humphries.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME.

John William Curry, Henry Unger, Bernard Mackett, Bishop Bernard Patrick Wall, Isabella McHugh, Fr. Vincent Dutton, Dorothy Overland, Carol Ann Brooks, Victor Szjna, Alan Shearman, Fr. Edward Thomas, Germaine Aureline, Emma Walker.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

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 and
 St Dominic's Catholic Church**

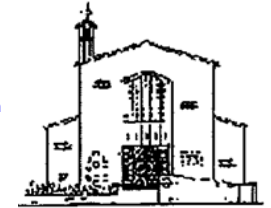


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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

16th June 2024

First Reading: Ezekiel 17:22-24 **Second Reading:** 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 **Gospel:** Mark 4:26-34

There is a mystery at the heart of the first parable told by Jesus in today's Gospel. It is contained in a simple phrase: 'how, he does not know.' The farmer in the parable plants the seed and witnesses it sprouting and growing. Although he doesn't understand how it is happening, he is grateful and he is ready when the crop is ready. He 'loses no time' when it comes to reaping the harvest.

Like the farmer, we are aware that life can be full of mystery. Events unfold all around us, and we do not always understand how or why things happen as they do. Sometimes we can see God's hand in our lives, and sometimes it is all a bit more difficult to get our heads around. Do we recognise blessing when they find us, and are we ready to welcome them with joy and to learn from them?

Jesus precedes this parable by saying: 'This is what the kingdom of God is like'. These parables of seeds and growth remind us that God is at work in us and all around us, even when we are not aware of it. If we have patience and keep our eyes open, we might just be able to recognize God's blessings in our lives, and to really appreciate them.

The lovely little parable of the seed growing of itself shows us that there is an almighty power working for us. Our job is to sow the seed. Then God has to take over. And God does. Any farmer will tell you that. If we do the right thing, the harvest will come. But can we be patient, can we wait, can we trust?



This weekend we celebrate Fathers' Day. We pray for all fathers and grandfathers of our Parishes. May God bless you all and have a wonderful day!!!

DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION DAY FOR LIFE- There will be a second collection this **Sunday** for Day For Life after all masses. Thank you for your continued support.

DIOCESAN SECOND COLLECTION PETER'S PENCE - There will be a second collection on **Sunday 30th June** after all masses. Thank you for your continued Support.

SVP MEETING - The next SVP meeting will take place on **Monday 24th June at 5.30pm** at Philomena's (President) home.

CHURCH REPOSITORY – Come and visit the repository at the back of the church after all masses. Both repositories offers a wide selection of cards, rosaries, statues and gifts etc. Please see Theresa (MHR) or Marian & Mary (STD).

LOST PROPERTY– Lost property from First Holy Communion, Please see Theresa.

ST DOMINIC'S PRAYER GROUP– On Thursday evenings from 7.00pm to 8.00pm at St. Dominic's Parish Hall. Sr. Imelda will lead the prayer sessions. Please bring along your bible. Every one is welcome to join us for prayer and praise.

PARISH BEREAVEMENT GROUP- Come along to find comfort, support and understanding at our welcoming and informal bereavement support group. Sheila Delander and Liz Hill will lead the group. We invite you to join us as we navigate through grief together. Our next meeting will be held **Wednesday 3rd July, at 2pm** in St. Anthony's Hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill. There will be subsequent meetings scheduled for the 1st Wednesday of every month. All are welcome. Tea/Coffee and Cake will be provided

SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING. - You're invited to our upcoming coffee/tea morning! held on **Sunday 7th July** at St. Anthony's Hall at the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Harold Hill after the 11am Mass. Come and relax. Tea/Coffee and cake will be provided. All are welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS - Please remember to allow plenty of notice if you require a particular day/time. Place Mass Intentions in a clearly printed marked envelope and they will be dealt with by the Parish Administrator.

CHILD AND FAMILY COUNSELLING SERVICE- Brentwood Catholic Children's Society (BCCS) offers therapeutic support directly to children, young people, families and parents through their Child and Family Counselling Service (CFCS) located in their centre in Billericay. Their CFCS team consists of several experienced and highly qualified therapists working in specially adapted therapy rooms. Families can contact BCCS directly by emailing Donna Booth dbooth@bccs.org.uk who will outline the type of support that will be provided for them or their child. There is a charge for this service, but they urge any families needing support to contact them. More information is available on their website: www.bccs.org.uk.

THE NEXT MARANATHA EVENT OF MASS- to be celebrated by Fr. Paschal Uche, followed by Prayer and Praise, will be held at Sion Community, Sawyers Hall Lane, Brentwood, CM15 9BX on Thursday 20th June at 7.00 p.m. All welcome.

'REVIVE; DISCOVER; EMPOWER' a young adults retreat: Walsingham House are hosting a young adults retreat on the weekend of 22nd – 23rd June. The retreat is open to those who are 19+. It will be a weekend of prayer and friendship and a wonderful opportunity to take a break from work or university. The cost of the retreat is £45 and more information, including how to book, can be found at www.bcys.net/events

OPEN EVENING CAMPION SCHOOL -The Champion School would like to warmly invite parents/carers and year 5 boys to our Open Evening on Wednesday 26th June from 4.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. The Headteacher's talk will be at 5.00 p.m. and repeated at 6.30 p.m. Please visit our school website for more details www.thecampionschool.org.uk

BATTLE OF THE ORGANS - On Saturday June 29th at 8pm, a one-off event will take place in Brentwood Cathedral...a Battle of the Organs. The mighty Cathedral instrument, originally built by Hunter, and rebuilt in 1990 by Daniel of Clevedon, will go head-to-head with a new Allen GX350. Allen Organs UK are very kindly lending us the instrument not only for the Battle, but also for the following morning to allow the Cathedral Choir to sing one of the great French double organ Masses at the 11.30am Mass. In charge of these instruments on the night will be Donald MacKenzie (Organist of the Odeon, Leicester Square) and James Davy (formerly Master of Music of Chelmsford Cathedral and currently Organist at the Royal Hospital School, Holbrook). We can promise you highly entertaining evening as these two amazing organists put these organs through their paces, and 'pull out all the stops' to give us a concert to remember. Tickets are £15 and £7.50 for under 16s, and are available from Eventbrite <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/83220321803> Further details available from Richard Nott at organisttraining@brcdt.org

YOUTH MASS THURSDAY 4TH JULY 2024 BRENTWOOD CATHEDRAL - Bishop Alan will celebrate Mass and commission all those travelling to Lourdes this Summer. Meet in the Parish Hall from 6pm for pizza, refreshments and a time to reconnect and relax with friends before the Summer. Mass in the Cathedral at 7:30pm. If you wish to sing, play an instrument, read or serve then please bring along your alb or instrument, and let us know as you arrive. Everyone is very welcome!

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2024 - Join Bishop Alan on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes (Friday 19 – Friday 26 July). To book, please go online: Brentwood Lourdes - Lourdes - Tangney Tours (tangney-tours.com) If you wish to discuss any aspect of the pilgrimage, please e-mail Kathryn Young or Suzanne Reeves at Lourdes@brcdt.org

BCYS SUMMER LOURDES PILGRIMAGE , 20th – 27th July 2024 - A couple of last minute places have become available if anyone in school year 10+ still wishes to join this pilgrimage with the BCYS. Full details on the pilgrimage and how to apply can be found at www.bcys.net/events/sl24 or email gabriellaskinner@brcdt.org

NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL: If you would like the latest newsletter delivered right to your inbox every week, simply email the office email address haroldhillmhr@brcdt.org and we will add you to our mailing list.

LOTTERY BONUS BALL

Wed 12th June 2024 Bonus Ball No: 5 Winner: 'S.Angel' £25
Congratulations to winner and thank you for supporting your Parishes