



Holy Family Catholic Church

Parish Priest

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Reconciliation: Sat. 5:15-5:45pm - Baptisms and Weddings by appointment

Livestream available via the parish website on

<https://www.holyfamilychurchdagenham.org/mass-stream.php>

21st July, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Ephesians 2:13-18

Mark 6:30-34

Jesus is the true shepherd of his flock foretold by Jeremiah who is moved to pity for his people. He will gather all peoples to himself and bring reconciliation to a divided world. He is not like the false shepherds of Israel who scatter of the people of God. By the shedding of his blood, he has shown himself to be the true king exhibiting love, honesty and integrity.

28th July, Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

Kings 4:42-44

Ephesians 4:1-6

John 6:1-15

Jesus has taken an act like that of Elisha and added a new meaning. In feeding the five thousand he gives freely in such abundance that all comers were satisfied with plenty left over. In the Eucharist he has given us food for our journey in which our needs are satisfied. However, Paul reminds us that this gift demands that we act and be unity in the one body.

CHURCH PROGRAMMES

First Holy Communion/CALIYP 24/25 Programmes are now available for collection in the pigeonholes at the back of the Church, for those who have submitted all documents.

RCIA: The programme has now finished for the summer **and will resume in September.** If you wish to find out more about the Catholic faith or wish to become a baptised/confirmed member of the Church do feel free to join the RCIA programme.

Confirmation Programme 24/25 *Programmes are now available for collection in the pigeonholes at the back of the Church.*

Baptism Course The next course will take place 25th September; 2nd & 9th October. Please email the office by 18th September. All sessions must be attended.

Bible Study Group Meet every Wednesday at 7:30pm in the presbytery meeting room. **Term time only.**

Pray for the members of our parish community who are ill or unable to come to Mass especially:

Mary Ware	Danny O'Sullivan	Yvonne Falvey	Thomas Walsh	Paul Buckley
Pauline Egbunike	Maureen Bushell	Ibiron Ayool	Myla Lebersidge	Karen Lloyd
Mark Paton	Olive Edgar	Catherine Watkins	Andy Gallagher	Tony Leahy
Mary Wallace	Denis O'Flaherty	Amanda Shpati	Teresa Power	Daniel Mahoney
Ellen Murphy				

REGISTRATION FORMS

If you are new to the parish or have not yet registered, please fill in a parish registration form and hand it in to the presbytery office.

JOB VACANCIES

There are a number of job vacancies throughout the Diocese. Please see adverts posted in the Church porch and Parish website.

INCONSIDERATE PARKING

Please refrain from parking over the presbytery driveway especially during Mass times. **24hr access is required.** Please consider our neighbours as well when parking. Thank you for your co-operation.

eNEWSLETTER

To help reduce our carbon footprint, copies of the newsletter are now available on our parish website, www.holyfamilychurchdagenham.org Unfortunately, at the moment, the newsletter cannot be accessed via iPhone. We will keep you updated with any future development.

NURSERY PLACES AT ST JOSEPH'S FOR 2024

If you have a child turning 3 in September and you are considering a nursery place for them, then please contact the School Office and ask to speak to the Headteacher for further details.

WALSINGHAM HOUSE ANNIVERSARY MASS

This year marks 60 years since the opening of Walsingham House and 40 years since the first volunteer team took residence. There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving on Saturday 31st August at midday celebrated by Bishop Alan in the grounds of Walsingham House at Abbotswick. Everyone is very welcome to attend with a special invite to those who have been part of the Walsingham House team over the last 40 years. After Mass you are welcome to stay for a picnic in the grounds.

MARY ADAMS R.I.P

Please remember Mary Adams, who died recently, in your prayers. Mary was a former music teacher of St Joseph's primary school.

LEGION OF MARY

We meet regularly after Saturday morning Mass 10:00am to 11:00am in the Church. Anyone interested in joining you are more than welcome.

SIGN UP FOR SCHOOL ADMISSIONS 2025/26

This is for years 1 to 7 (reception to secondary) and will take place last weekend of August after all weekend Masses.

GIFT AID TAX STATEMENT

Gift Aid Tax Statements for the past tax year 2023/24 are now available if you require one for tax purposes. Please contact the Parish office.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Young children must be accompanied by an adult when using the parish toilet.

READERS FOR MASS

Sat 20 th July	6:00pm	Caroline Van Der Steen & Marian Fitzgerald
Sun 21 st July	9:00am	Pamela Anike & Nathalie Duncan
	11:00am	Pamela Egualeon & Cynthia Nnadi
Sat 27 th July	6:00pm	Daniel Hughes & Chidozie Nnanyere
Sun 28 th July	9:00am	Robert Dean & Ngozi Onodugo
	11:00am	Onose Egualeon & Nkem Okoli
Sat 3 rd August	6:00pm	Anne Carroll & Caroline Van Der Steen
Sun 4 th August	9:00am	Frankie Iheukor & Chidozie Nnanyere
	11:00am	Iffy Drojaiyei & Clare Nwachukwu

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR MASS

Sat 20 th July	6:00pm	Karen Drillon
Sun 21 st July	9:00am	Teresa Onyemah
	11:00am	Angela Milton
Sat 27 th July	6:00pm	Caroline Van Der Steen
Sun 28 th July	9:00am	Innocent Ileke
	11:00am	Augusta Egualeon
Sat 3 rd August	6:00pm	Marian Fitzgerald
Sun 4 th August	9:00am	Amanda Shpati
	11:00am	Nkem Okoli

Will all readers and extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist please inform the welcomers that you are present for your scheduled Mass. Readers are to make themselves present at the back of the Church after the opening prayer in order to process to the altar together.

PARISH PARTNERSHIP

We had our second meeting on Saturday 29th June and it was proposed that all four parishes in the partnership should meet on 28th July at 2:00pm for a social 'get to know' afternoon. This is a bring your own food and drink outdoor event at St Mary and St Ethelburga, 41 Linton Road, Barking IG11 8HG.

MARY'S MEALS

Please donate any unwanted foreign currency to Mary's Meals in the donation box in the repository. This will help to provide nutritious school meals to children living in some of the world's poorest countries.

FUNERAL MASSES

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Eileen Harding and Giuseppe Passeretti whose funerals take place this week, as notified in the Mass intentions.

DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE

The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Celebration of St Faustina Birthday at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Bank Holiday Monday 26th August 2024 from 10:00am to 4:30 pm. All welcome. Call Millie on 07957594646 for more information. Coaches from Ealing Broadway and Victoria.

ANYONE INTERESTED?

Four hair salon chairs available to anyone who would like to take them off my hands. Donations welcome, proceeds go to the Church. Please see Fr Jean-Laurent if interested.

Mass Intentions

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – B

Saturday 20th July	6:00pm	Mandy Healy (RIP)	M Fitzgerald
Sunday 21st July	9:00am	People of the Parish	
	11:00am	Anthony Useh (RIP)	E Olotu

St Mary Magdalene

Mon 22nd July	8:30am	Teresa Oliviera (RIP)	E Lynch
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St Bridget of Sweden, Rel

Tue 23rd July	1:30pm	Funeral Mass for Eileen Harding (RIP)	
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Wed 24th July	10:45am	Funeral Service of Giuseppe Passeretti (RIP)	
	6:30pm	Giuseppe Passeretti (RIP)	

St James, Ap

Thu 25th July	9:00am	Annie Elizabeth Carroll (RIP)	J & A Carroll
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Ss Joachim and Anne, Parents of the BVM

Fri 26th July	9:00am	Catherine Ahorituwere (RIP)	R Cody & Family
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Sat 27th July	9:00am	Milton Piers (RIP)	J & A Carroll
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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

Saturday 27th July	6:00pm	Hayley Panton (Spec Ints)	S & D Panton
Sunday 28th July	9:00am	Danny O'Donoghue (RIP)	A & B Godden
	11:00am	People of the Parish	

Ss Martha, Mary and Lazarus

Monday 29th July	8:30am	Catherine Ahorituwere (RIP)	E Lynch
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Tuesday 30th July	6:30pm	RCIA Thanksgiving	
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Wednesday 31st July	9:00am	Catherine Ahorituwere (RIP) Followed by Holy Hour	T & M Onyemah
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St Alphonsus Mary de' Liguori, Bp, D

Thursday 1st August	NO MASS		
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Friday 2nd August	NO MASS		
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Saturday 3rd August	NO MASS		
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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – B

Saturday 3rd August	6:00pm	Mary McGinty (RIP)	S & D Panton
Sunday 4th August	9:00am	Virginia Xavier (RIP)	J & A Carroll
	11:00am	People of the Parish	

Mass Attendance 6th/7th July: 356 Late: 175

Collections 6th/7th July: £912.89

13th/14th July: 387 Late: 114

13th/14th July: £780.20

2nd Collection: £146.53