



## 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>

### 6<sup>th</sup> October, Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – B

Genesis 2:18-24

Hebrews 2:9-11

Mark 10:2-16

*Man and woman are made by God, therefore their coming together is not to be taken lightly, but as part of God's will. It is not something that should be considered as part of the law but something that God has a part in. A sign so wonderful it is used to describe the relationship of Christ to the Church.*

### 13<sup>th</sup> October, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

Wisdom 7:7-11

Hebrews 4:12-13

Mark 10:17-30

*Jesus, in love shows the rich man how to be a follower of his. To lose everything was too much for the man, that should not be the case with us. We must have the courage to follow the way of the Lord wholeheartedly. The word of the Lord cuts through all our trappings of wealth and speaks to the heart. It is a call to put everything second to the love he has given us.*

### 20<sup>th</sup> October, Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time – B

Isaiah 53:10-11

Hebrews 4:14-16

Mark 10:35-45

*Jesus, our high priest, perfect and eternal has shown us the way. He understands the suffering and trials of our life. He has suffered in his service to his Father. If we do the same, what praise would we expect? Our only ambition should be to serve the Father as Christ did. To pass through our trials to the Father as Christ did.*

#### CHURCH PROGRAMMES

**First Holy Communion 24/25** Your next session will be on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 10:00am for Candidates and Parents. Your Mass will be on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 11:00am. Please be punctual and attend all sessions.

**CALIYP 24/25** Your next session will be on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 6:00pm. Your Mass will be on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 11:00am. Please be punctual and attend all sessions.

**RCIA:** Will take place at 7:30pm in the meeting room. 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. **Term time only.**

**Confirmation Programme 24/25** Your next session will be on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 2:30pm for Candidates. Your Mass will be on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 6:00pm. Please be punctual and attend all sessions.

**Baptism Course** The current course is now finished. The next course will be published in future newsletters.

**Bible Study Group** Meet every Wednesday at 7:30pm in the presbytery meeting room. **Term time only.** *On Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October, the group will be joining guest Evangelist, Thomas Paul, in the Church for a bible sharing talk.*

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

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

**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.

**eNEWSLETTER**

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

**JOB VACANCIES**

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

**ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING**

There will be training for all existing and any new altar servers on 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> October 3:00pm – 5:00pm. All 3 sessions must be attended. Any new servers should have already made their 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion.

**LEGION OF MARY**

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

**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.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

We ask you to book your Mass Intentions in advance to avoid disappointment. We cannot always guarantee a weekend Mass as these get booked up very quickly, so we will have to slot them in for the next available day in the week. Please ensure that if the person is deceased you write on the Mass Intention envelope as RIP and if ill, please write Sick. Please write clearly, preferably capital letters, on the envelope as mistakes cannot be rectified. Thank you.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**

There will be a second collection this weekend 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> October for Family Fast Day and a second collection at all weekend Masses 12/13<sup>th</sup> October for Prisoners Sunday.

**PARISH HALL**

There will be a parish meeting regarding the hall planning on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 12:30pm in the Church, after 11:00am Mass. Everybody is welcome to attend.

## READERS FOR MASS

Sat 5 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Daniel Hughes & Marian Fitzgerald
Sun 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Ngozi Onodugo & Chidozie Nnanyere
	11:00am	Grace Muiru & Immaculata Nnadi
Sat 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Karen Drillon & Anne Carroll
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Nathalie Duncan & Frankie Iheukor
	11:00am	Valentine Okolo & Clare Nwachukwu
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Confirmation Candidates
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Robert Dean & Philipa Adamuyiwa
	11:00am	1 <sup>st</sup> Holy Communion & Catechism Candidates

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR MASS

Sat 5 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Anne Carroll
Sun 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Innocent Ileke
	11:00am	Christine Maxey
Sat 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Denis Ahorituwere
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Amanda Shpati
	11:00am	Berni McKeag
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6:00pm	Karen Drillon
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Matthey Onyemah
	11:00am	Veronica Obi

## NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS' ENVELOPES

Envelopes for remembering and praying for your loved ones at the Masses for Holy Souls during November and beyond are now available. Please ensure that you write **clearly** in CAPITAL LETTERS the names of your loved ones. Any names that are in lower case will not be included on the November dead list which will be displayed at the back of the Church. To be included on the list we must have the names by weekend of **19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> October**. Any names received after this date will be placed in the box by the altar but not included on the list.

Fr Jean will read all the names of the deceased that have been submitted to the parish office at the 9:00am and 6:00pm Masses on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November ALL SOULS DAY (the commemoration of the dead). Thereafter, all the Holy Souls Masses indicated in the fortnightly newsletter bulletin will be for ALL the dearly departed souls. No individual names will be mentioned at subsequent Holy Souls Masses listed in the newsletter.

## NEW READERS TRAINING SESSION

Will those from last year's confirmation group and anyone else who expressed a desire to read at weekend Masses please attend a training session on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October at 10:00am in the Church.

## HEALTH & SAFETY

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

## Mass Intentions

### Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

<b>Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	6:00pm	Catherine Ahorituwera (RIP)	M Fitzgerald
<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	9:00am	Dr Livinus Anyanwu (RIP)	J Anyanwu
	11:00am	People of the Parish	

### Our Lady of the Rosary

<b>Mon 7<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Emmanuel Umani (Spec Ints)	
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### St Osyth, Rel

<b>Tue 8<sup>th</sup> October</b>	6:30pm	John and Anne Carroll (Spec Ints)	M & T Onyemah
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### St John Henry Newman, Pr

<b>Wed 9<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Bible Study Group	
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<b>Thu 10<sup>th</sup> October</b>	8:30am	Madeleine Olotu (RIP)	E Useh
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<b>Fri 11<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Teresa Carder (RIP) Followed by Holy Hour	J & A Carroll
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### Ss Ethelburga, Hildelithe and Cuthburga, Rel

<b>Sat 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Johnston Family (Spec Ints)	
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### Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	6:00pm	People of the Parish	
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	9:00am	Eunice Lynch (Spec Ints)	T Onyemah
	11:00am	Students (Spec Ints)	T Seidu

### Feria

<b>Mon 14<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Anne Forkan (RIP)	
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### St Teresa of Jesus, V, D

<b>Tue 15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	12:00pm	Funeral Mass for Antoine Allet (RIP)	
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### Feria

<b>Wed 16<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Johnston Family (Spec Ints)	
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### St Ignatius of Antioch, Bp, M

<b>Thu 17<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	David Anthony (RIP)	E Lynch
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### St Luke, Ev

<b>Fri 18<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Francis Theophile (RIP) Followed by Holy Hour	M Heyman
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### Feria

<b>Sat 19<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9:00am	Teresa Cardar (RIP)	J Tracy & Alan
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<b>Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	6:00pm	Marian Fitzgerald (Spec Ints)	M & T Onyemah
<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Oct</b>	9:00am	Theresa Onoh (RIP)	9am Choir
	11:00am	People of the Parish	

**Mass Attendance** 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> Sep: 366 Late: 132  
**Collections** 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> Sep: £871.77

28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> Sep: 407 Late: 161  
 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> Sep: £932.26  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: £346.05**