

Our Lady of Lourdes Wanstead

12th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Newsletter – 21st June 2020

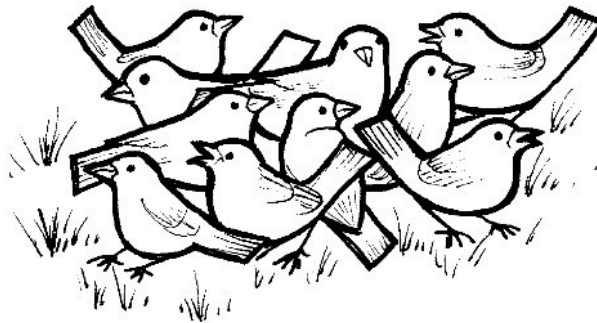
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Do not be afraid of those who kill the body

Dear Parishioners,

What a joy it was to throw open the doors of the Church on Wednesday morning. Thank you to Bernie Dando and her excellent team who acted so professionally in ensuring that government and diocesan regulations were observed.

I have been asked to publish the following thought provoking poem by Laura Kelly Fanucci.

The poem is called *WHEN THIS IS ALL OVER*.

When this is over, may we never again take for granted:

A handshake with a stranger

Full shelves in the shops

Conversation with neighbours;

A crowded theatre...

Friday night out;

The taste of Holy Communion

*A routine check up;
The school rush each morning
Coffee with a friend
The stadium roaring
Each deep breath
A boring Tuesday
Life itself
When this ends
may we find
that we have become
more like the people we want to be
we were called to be
we hoped to be and may we stay
that way-better for each other
Because of the worst.
May God bless you and yours this week.
Fr Pat*

Masses Intentions this week:

Sunday 21st June	11am Mass People of Parish Mass Live Streamed on YouTube http://tiny.cc/OLOLE11
Monday 22nd June	9am Mass James Howard RIP
Tuesday 23rd June	9am Mass William Kimberley RIP 10am to 12noon – Church Open for Private Prayer
Wednesday 24th June	9am Mass Roy Davis and Isabelle Tirado RIP
Thursday 25th June	9am Mass Diana Branley RIP
Friday 26th June	9am Mass Private Intention RIP 7pm to 9pm – Church Open for Private Prayer
Saturday 27th June	9am Mass Holy Souls RIP 10am to 12noon – Church Open for Private Prayer
Sunday 28th June	11am Mass People of the Parish Mass Live Streamed on YouTube http://tiny.cc/OLOLE11

RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of the following;

Toussaint Matthew. Funeral service 1st July City of London.

Marian McKenzie sister of Veronica Hayes from our parish who died during the week

Peter Fleming brother of Mike from our community, our sympathy and prayers to Mike and family

May they all Rest in Peace

Pray for the Sick

Denis Raines, Katie Cox, Peter Hain, Mrs Crolley, Carl Dean, Robert Britt-Hazard, Mary Martin, Mrs Carldan, Pat Hetherington, Noreen Cavanagh, Julia Taylor, Christopher Browne, Justina Paul, Maureen Walker, Fiona Robinson, Gerald Foreman, Mary O’Riordan, Grace Smith, James McGovern, Pauline McKenna, Ann Silcock, Katharine Bramwell, Norma Cohen-Johnson, Connor Colgan, Olive Flynn, Bridie Connolly, Simon Griffith, Mary Oldcorn, William Roche, Glafira D’Souza, Prem Kumar Menon, Sister Bernadette, Violet Ruttledge, Mary P. Sullivan, Baby Diego Ralon, Sandra Samler, Peter Fagan, Norina Gorni, Edgar De Souza, Bridie Halligan, Christopher Gillham. Irene Ward, Sarah Owens and Mikey McDonagh.

Sick and Housebound

As a community we pray every day for the sick and housebound at morning prayer and daily Mass. Each week we name the sick known to us in the newsletter, requesting prayers. The present list has not been revised for some time and many of the names there are not known to us- in fact some may have died and we have not been notified of the death. From the 1st Sunday in July, when hopefully the church will reopen we will begin a new sick list, with names of those we've been asked to pray for. So, if you would like a person's name mentioned please get in touch with the presbytery by telephone on 0208 989 2074 or email at wanstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org.

Likewise, if you would like a name to stay or to be deleted - please confirm this, e.g. if your loved one's name is on the present list you will need to confirm that it should stay on the list for prayers.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Opening of the Church

It was a lovely moment when we reopened the church for private prayer on Wednesday last week. Thank you to all who came along for private prayer.

This week the Church will be open for private prayer at the following times.

Tuesday 10 am to 12 noon.

Friday 7 pm.to 9pm.

Saturday 10 to 12noon.

All welcome for private prayer.

Pastoral Centre

Due to Covid-19 the pastoral centre will remained closed until further notice.This is to comply with government and Diocesan regulations.

Deacon Paschal

Deacon Paschal Uche is a parishioner of Our Lady of Lourdes. He is living at home with his family and helps out in the parish when possible. He will be ordained to the priesthood in the Cathedral Brentwood on Saturday 1st August.

Mass Intentions

We do our best to meet the requirements of people who request mass on a particular day and date .If this is not possible the mass will be celebrated on the next available date. Always try and book your mass in good time.

Fathers Day

Today is Fathers Day. We pray for and give thanks for all fathers living and dead. May God Bless those who are still with us and give eternal rest to those who have died.

Parish Finances

Contributions can now be made securely via a page on the Brentwood Diocesan website at <https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/?parish=wanstead> and selecting General Offertory.

You can, if you prefer, make a payment directly into the parish bank account using online banking. You will need to set up the OLOL Wanstead Parish as a payee on your online banking app or internet page.

The Parish Bank details are as follows:

Account Name: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Wanstead

Sort Code: 40-13-22 Account number: 71018973

Alternatively you can deliver your offertory envelopes though the presbytery letterbox with cheques made payable to Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Wanstead.

Thank you for your continued support during this difficult time.

WORTHWHILE CAUSE (PLEASE SUPPORT)

Part of the work of the **Knights of St. Columba (KSC)** is on the promotion and respect of Life from Conception to the Grave.

Seventeen abortions were performed on babies with a cleft lip or palate in 2019, with three of those taking place between 24 weeks and birth, figures released by the Department for Health & Social Care (DoHSC) revealed on 12 June 2020.

It is hoped that pregnancy terminations for cleft lip or palate will become outdated, as a cross-party group of MPs have launched a Bill seeking to protect babies with these correctable conditions from abortion.

The Abortion (Cleft lip, cleft palate and clubfoot protection) Bill, which received its First Reading in the House of Commons on 3 June 2020, seeks to clarify in law that cleft palate, cleft lip, cleft palate and lip, and clubfoot are not grounds for abortion in the UK.

An early day motion supporting the Bill, has now been signed by over 30 MPs from the UK Parliament's five largest parties.

Currently, abortion is allowed up to birth for babies with disabilities. This has been interpreted to include cleft lip, cleft palate and clubfoot, meaning abortion is legal up to birth based solely on a primary diagnosis of one of these conditions.

All of these conditions can be corrected.

We are campaigning and asking people to write to their MP asking them to support this bill so that life is protected and people are given the dignity they deserve.

The attached is a sample letter (from Right to Life) which you can personalise and send to your MP.



Letter to local MP re
cleft palate bill 2020.d

Online Safety

The document attached gives some useful advice regarding online shopping and as more of us shop online unfortunately there are more scams being identified.



EFAS 2020.06.12 -
ONLINE SHOPPING A

This document gives some information regarding scams re TV Licenses and HMRC Phishing emails.



EFAS 2020.06.05 -
PHISHING EMAILS - T

Finally this documented gives some information on a scam regarding the NHS Track and Trace system.



EFAS 29.05.2020 -
NHS TRACK & TRACE

Vacancies

Headteacher Vacancy ST Winefride's Catholic Primary School, Manor Park

Church Road, Manor Park, London E12 6HB

Required from 1st January 2021 or sooner if possible.

Group 3: L11 – L24 (starting salary based on experience).

NOR: 315 (1.5 form entry)

The Governors of St Winefride's Catholic Primary School are seeking to appoint an inspirational and dedicated Head Teacher. St Winefride's is a caring, friendly school and community where our Catholic Ethos is central to all that we do. Our new Head Teacher will work with governors to shape the strategic direction of the school, and will be responsible for the day-to-day leadership and management of St Winefride's.

Our new Head Teacher will lead a team that strive together in the best interest of all of our children, following the school's mission statement:

We celebrate God's love for everyone. We enjoy learning and growing together in our caring and welcoming family.

Please contact School Business Manager Percina Nunez to arrange a telephone conversation on 020 8478 0510 or email info@st-winefrides.newham.sch.uk

Application packs are available from Percina Nunez or online from the school website at www.st-winefrides.newham.sch.uk Completed applications should be sent to info@st-winefrides.newham.sch.uk

Closing date: 12 noon on Friday 3rd 2020.

Shortlisting: Tuesday 7th July 2020.

Interview: Thursday 16th July 2020.

The Ursuline Academy Ilford has the following vacancy is available:

Data and Admissions Officer – September 2020

Closing Date: noon, Monday 6 July 2020

For further information please visit: uai.org.uk/about/vacancies

Trinity Catholic High School Woodford Green has the following vacancy is available.

- Teacher of Mathematics - Sept 2020
- P/T Teacher of Science, 0.8FTE- Sept 2020
- Teacher of Science- Sept 2020
- Teacher of English- Sept 2020

Have you thought about becoming a Foundation Governor in a Catholic school?

The Brentwood Diocesan Education Service currently have several vacancies in Redbridge.

These schools are currently looking for Foundation Governors.

- Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary, Wanstead

- SS Peter & Paul's Catholic Primary, Ilford
- The Ursuline Academy, Ilford

Foundation Governors in the Diocese of Brentwood are appointed by Bishop Alan to represent his education policy in his school and to preserve and develop the Catholic ethos of the school.



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Brentwood flyer- four

Please see the flyer for further information or alternatively, please get in touch if you would like to discuss further sophierussell@dioceseofbrentwood.org or debbibotham@dioceseofbrentwood.org