

WEEKDAY/SUNDAY MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (RACIAL JUSTICE DAY)		
Sunday 5th	9.30am	MASS - Mary Lovett RIP
February	11.30am	MASS - Ben Sandison RIP
	3.00pm	MASS - Catholic Fellowship (Spring Mass)
	6.30pm	MASS - People of Parish

Monday 6th		
February	9.00am	ST PAUL MIKI and COMPANIONS MASS - Diana Branley RIP

Tuesday 7th		
February	9.00am	FERIA MASS - Mary Lovett RIP

Wednesday 8th		
February	9.00am	FERIA MASS - Marie Francis RIP

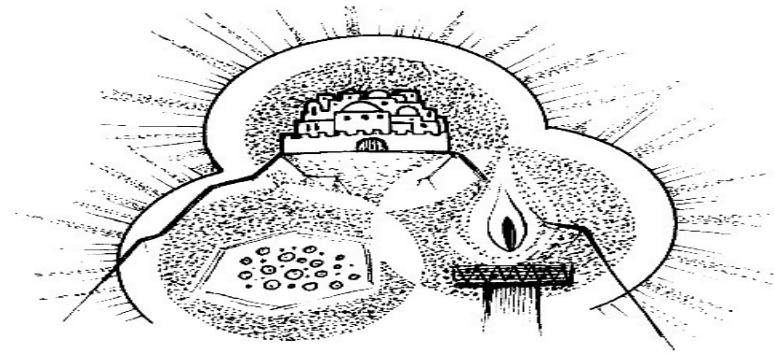
Thursday 9th		
February	8.30am	FERIA MASS - Barney Duffy RIP

Friday 10th		
February	9.00am	ST SCHOLASTICA MASS - Mass for Uganda

Saturday 11th		
February		OUR LADY OF LOURDES (WORLD DAY FOR THE SICK)
	9.00am	MASS - Doris and Denis L'Estrange RIP
	10-10.30am	CONFESSIONS
	5.30-6.00pm	CONFESSIONS
	6.30pm	MASS - Private Ints

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Sunday 12th	9.30am	MASS - Mary Wood RIP
February	11.30am	MASS - Patrick Eves RIP
	6.30pm	MASS - People of Parish

OUR LADY OF LOURDES
FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
Sunday 5th February 2023



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Priest in Charge - Fr Adrian Lowe
Pastoral Assistants - Carmel Docherty, Frank Adesegha
Parish Secretary – Eileen Crotty
Chair of Parish Council - Fiona Christison
OLOL Site Manager - Bernie Dando
Pastoral Centre Caretaker - Camille Mouquet
Catechetical Co-ordinator - Michaela Mouquet
Headteacher OLOL School - Ruth Boon

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on Fridays from 9:30am to 1pm and Friday evenings from 7pm to 9pm. All are welcome to come and pray and spend some time in the presence of the Lord.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION ON FRIDAY EVENINGS UNTIL 10TH FEBRUARY WHEN IT WILL RESUME.



ST PATRICK'S QUIZ NIGHT



Where: Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Wanstead
(Pastoral Centre)

When: Saturday 18th March at 7.30pm for a 7.45pm start

Tickets: £8 per person (bring your own drink and food)

Booking: Drop money into the Parish Office by Thursday 9th March in an envelope clearly marked: FAO Social Committee, including the following details: your name, phone number, email address and number of people.

Don't feel you have to book a whole table as we have a number of tables reserved to seat smaller groups/individuals so that you can share the fun and pool your knowledge. If you are booking a table, the ideal size is 6 people (min of 4 and max of 8).

Early booking is recommended as this is always a popular night. Tickets are limited and therefore, to avoid disappointment, ensure you buy your tickets early.

Any questions, please contact events@ourladyoflourdeswanstead.com

We will be serving tea/coffee and cakes in the interval, plus a chance to participate in the raffle (cash required). All proceeds going towards the upkeep of the Parish Centre.

If you are affected by the Cost of Living crisis, or if you are part of a group that is offering help and support locally, please look at <https://www.caritasbrentwood.org/cost-of-living/>

CYMFED FLAME, AT OVO ARENA, WEMBLEY, SATURDAY 4TH MARCH 2023

All information at www.bcys.net/events

THE BRENTWOOD CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY is an established children's charity delivering vital mental health services in schools throughout the diocese. We are currently seeking to appoint new trustees to our Board to help guide and develop our work. Further information is available on our website <https://www.bccs.org.uk/who-we-are/our-trustees/> or please email Bernadette at bfisher@bccs.org.uk who will be happy to discuss this important role with you. Thank you.

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL - JOB VACANCIES

- Experienced KS1/KS2 Class Teacher. Immediate start. Adhoc & PPA Cover.
 - Urgently Needed – Adhoc Cleaner and Adhoc Midday Assistant
- For any further information please contact Miss Watson, School Office on **0208 529 4723** or email: finance@st-marys-pri.waltham.sch.uk.

THE URSULINE ACADEMY ILFORD—JOB VACANCY

IT Technician (Term-time only) Start: ASAP
Closing Date: noon, Friday 17 February 2023

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

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - JOB VACANCY

Part Time 0.8FTE Teacher of Art (maternity cover)

For further information please visit the school's website.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK/DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 6th February	1.30pm-4pm - NHS Retirement Fellowship (Pastoral Centre)
Tuesday 7th February	10.50am-11.50am - Meditation Group 1pm-3pm - Under 5's Group (Pastoral Centre) 4.15pm -6.15pm - Tutor Group 5.30pm-6.30pm - Tutor Group
Wednesday 8th February	1.30pm-3.30pm - Sheila Lovell Group (Hall) 4.30pm-5.30pm - Tutor Group 7pm-9pm - Pilates (Hall)
Thursday 9th February	3pm-7pm - Perform (Hall)
Friday 10th February	3pm-6pm - Perform (Hall)
Saturday 11th February	-
Sunday 12th February	No Children's Liturgy this week.

DIOCESAN NEWS/VACANCIES



COULD YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION BE TO HELP BUILD A BETTER WORLD THROUGH VOLUNTEERING?

CAFOD, the Catholic Agency for Overseas Development, are looking for people to give some time and join them in their mission. Could you help develop our work in parishes or Catholic schools? Or raise a voice and campaign for justice throughout the diocese? Training and support are provided. See cafod.org.uk/Volunteer for more information or get in touch with cdriscoll@cafod.org.uk

CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP—WANSTEAD AND WOODFORD GROUP

A Spring Mass will be celebrated this Sunday 5th February at 3pm with refreshments in the hall afterwards. Fr Pat Sammon was a true friend to our fellowship and we will be remembering him especially. All are welcome to attend.

HELP NEEDED WITH THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Role 1

Have you a design and marketing background? If so, it would be lovely if you could help us with designing and advertising future events. The role is mainly designing posters or tickets for approximately 10 events a year and advertising events on social media and in a local press.

Role 2

Val has been our Treasurer for a number of years, but after this year she would like to step down, so if you would like to help and be part of the Social Committee, it would be great to have a handover period.

GENERAL HELP NEEDED

We are also collating a list of parishioners who are happy, on occasion, to have boards outside their house to advertise certain events. A number of local estate agents are willing to support us and pay for each board we have. This is a great way of us both raising funds and promoting our events.

We are always looking for raffle prizes, so if you have wine or spirits that you could donate, or your company is happy to donate a hamper or maybe would sponsor an event, please get in touch.

If you feel you could help with this or any other events, please contact Natasha on 07977 863362.

PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND

Robert Britt-Hazard, Steve Britt-Hazard, Justina Paul, Ann Silcock, Bridie Connolly, Glafira D'Souza, Mikey McDonagh, Sandra Samler, Jane O'Halloran, Caroline Sarpong, Thelma, Lanre Falano, Vivian Bazuaye, Julia Shearman, Grace Harding, Edward Burns, Gerald Clarke, Nenad (Len) Ivanovic, Sister Marian, Patricia (Pat) Hallahan, Pat Flannery, Tony Loffhagen, Danny John-Baptiste, Leanne de Silva, Margaret Davies, Eva Acton. Tara Fallon. (If you wish to include the name of someone for prayers, please contact the parish office}

WEDNESDAY TEAS - Come and join us for tea and biscuits every Wednesday after the 9am Mass. We look forward to seeing you there.

THE SHEILA LOVELL CLUB meets every Wednesday from 1.30pm to 3.30pm. Come and join us for a welcome cup of tea and a chat. We look forward to seeing old and new members.

UNDER 5-s GROUP meets every Tuesday from 1pm to 3pm in term time.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday 11th February 6.30pm - Maria Davighi, John Davighi.
Sunday 12th February 9.30am - Rebecca Adshead, Marco Barah.
11.30am - Maureen Greensmith, Jonathan Blakesley.
6.30pm - Elizabeth Leonard, Paul Leonard.

READERS

Saturday 11th February 9.00am - Crispin Acton.
6.30pm - Paul Plane, Gwen Hindley.
Sunday 12th February 9.30am - Jennie Gumbrell, Augusta Joseph.
11.30am - Audrey Castelino, Paul Godin.
6.30pm - Maggie Warren, Michaela Mouquet.

PARISH FINANCES - PAYMENT METHOD

Contributions to the parish can be made online via the Diocesan website at: www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/?parish=wanstead or by scanning the QR code shown here with your smartphone 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 - Bank: HSBC - Account Name: Catholic Church Wanstead Our Lady of Lourdes - Account number: 71018973 Sort Code: 40-13-22. You can also use contactless giving using your phone's QR reader and the QR codes as shown on posters in the Parish Centre and also on the OLOL website which provides further detail. (<http://www.ourladyoflourdeswanstead.com/offertory-donations>)



GIFT AID When you donate to the Church through Gift Aid, we can reclaim 25p in every £1 donated, so for all collections, donations, Masses etc. Please Gift Aid your donation. If you have any queries, please contact Bob on wansteadchurch@gmail.com



SOCIAL MEDIA - The parish has a growing presence on social media. Please like or follow us by searching @lol_e11 on Facebook and Twitter

BAPTISM PREPARATION - 2023

The next Baptism Preparation Courses for parents will be held in the Pastoral Centre on Thursday evenings: 2nd & 9th March, 11th & 18th May, 6th & 13th July, 7th & 14th September and 2nd & 9th November. Registration is from 7.45pm with an 8pm start. Parents are required to attend both sessions.

Please note that this course is for parents of babies including those babies not yet born. If your child is 7 or over, they will have to attend a separate course.