

Mass Intentions for week beginning 2nd July 2017

Sat 1	13TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	6.00pm	Birthday Thanksgiving (Edeko) Intentions of Betty Hetherington The People of the Parish
Sun 2		10.00am 12noon	
Mon 3	ST THOMAS, AP.	10.00am	Special Intention (Long) <i>followed by Novena Prayers</i> Private Intention (1962 Missal)
		6.30pm	
Tue 4	St Elizabeth of Portugal	10.00am	Anthony Fleming RIP
Wed 5	St Anthony Zaccaria, Pr.	10.00am	July Anniversaries RIP
Thur 6	St Maria Goretti, V.M.	10.00am	Herbert Apaloo RIP (1st anniv.)
Fri 7	Feria	10.00am	Vittore Selvini RIP (anniv.)
Sat 8	Of Our Lady	9.30am	Anthony Fleming RIP
Sat 8	14TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	6.00pm	Lestor Miranda RIP Thanksgiving (Michl) / Josie & Seamus Gorman RIP The People of the Parish
Sun 9		10.00am 12noon	

Confessions this Saturday 5.30 – 5.45pm

Your prayers are asked for the sick and housebound, especially:

Roland Selvini, Clare Merrins, Bandelete Majiyagbe, Bernadette Prudence, Kathleen Newell, John Liddard, Jones Bediako-Antwi-Benneh, Leslie Cook, Trevor Barnham, Ann Dunseath, Christopher Johnstone, Josie D'alters, Christina Whiting, Anne Purcell, Ken Stanton, Kathleen Simpson, Pamela Allen, Grace Lobendhan, Marcus Prospert, Eoin Oliver, Bob Edgar, Peggy Gajewski, Victor Francis, Mary Evelyn Piotrowski, Derek Pyner, Gerald Rowe, Mary Brock, Ann Divine, Ann O'Donovan, Anthony Fonseca, Margaret McQueen, Paul Westrop, Maria McLoughlin, John Phillips, Mick Martin, Adriano Agatiello, Kay Fahy, Tony Baldwin, Paul Doyle, Susan Coker, Daniel Sutton, Tony Morton, Bernadette Thomas, Jane Anne Harvey, the Kitteridge Family, Maximilian Peluso, Patricia Theobalds, Jean Salter, Terry Eales, Norah Kelly, the residents of Sherrell House, Belmont Lodge and Pinewood.

Mass Attendance last weekend: 315

Offertory Collection last weekend: £584.60

(Sick & Retired Clergy: an additional £35)

THE ASSUMPTION, Hainault, is twinned with the Parish of Our Lady of Sorrows, Maria Ratschitz, in the diocese of Dundee, South Africa.

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1st/2nd July 2017

13TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

(CENTENARY OF THE DIOCESE OF BRENTWOOD)

Reflections on Christian Hope

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In our continuing catechesis on Christian hope, we now consider *the source of that hope in the fatherhood of God*. When the disciples asked Jesus to teach them to pray, he taught them to call God *Our Father*. Here we see the great religious revolution introduced by Christianity: taught by the Saviour's command, we dare to speak to the transcendent and all-holy God as children speak, with complete trust, to a loving father. In the parable of the merciful father, who welcomes his prodigal son with supreme forgiveness, Jesus speaks to us of the Father's unconditional love. In his Letters, Saint Paul twice repeats the original Aramaic word used by Jesus in his prayer: "*Abba*" (cf. *Romans 8:15; Galatians 4:6*). As God's adoptive sons and daughters in the Holy Spirit, we share in the intimate relationship between Jesus and the Father, and this is the basis of our sure hope in God's saving help. Each day, as we pray the Lord's Prayer, may we be confirmed in the knowledge that, in his merciful love, our heavenly Father will watch over us, respond to our petitions, and never abandon us.

Franciscus PP.

ADVANCE NOTICE: because of the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham there will be NO Mass (morning and evening) on Saturday 22nd July.

WELCOME THIS WEEKEND to *Fr Davor Senjan* and *Fr Pavao Mikulčić* from Croatia and currently studying in Rome. During their stay they will be attending classes at an English Language School in Central London.



TEA & COFFEE

are served in the Parish Hall after the 10.00am Mass every Sunday. Please come along, even if only for a few minutes, to meet and chat with your fellow parishioners.

THIS MONDAY:
10.00am Mass & Novena Prayers
6.30pm Mass (1962 Missal)

THE LEGION OF MARY meets this Thursday at 7.00pm

THE ROSARY is recited *this Saturday* half an hour before the morning Mass.

CHURCH CLEANING

We urgently need people to help with the cleaning of the church – usually every two weeks. We now find ourselves with only one volunteer who cannot possibly manage on her own. Any offers of help please contact Bridie on 020 3441 1551. Thank you in advance!

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

Saturday 22nd July 2017

The coach will depart promptly at 7.00am from the front of the church. To prepare for the Diocesan Pilgrimage why not come to “*A Morning with Our Lady of Walsingham*” on *Saturday 15th July* -

9.00am Rosary

9.30am Holy Mass

followed by “The Story of Walsingham” in the Parish Hall



Confirmation Programme 2018

Anyone who would like to be prepared for the Sacrament of Confirmation next year should collect a Confirmation pack from me. The forms should be returned before 1st September 2017. After this date, they will not be accepted. Thank you for your generous co-operation.
Fr Selvini

First Communion/First Confession Programme 2017-2018
Application forms for the First Communion/First Confession programme 2017-2018 are now available and can be obtained directly from the Parish Priest. They should be returned to the Presbytery no later than 1st September, please!
Fr Selvini

MICHAEL FITCH RIP: his body will be received into St Teresa’s Church, Newbury Park on *Wednesday 5th July at 5.00pm*. His Funeral Mass will be on *Thursday 6th July at 11.00am* followed by Interment at Forest Park (Hainault) Cemetery.

ST PATRICK’S CEMETERY, LEYTONSTONE: the *Annual Requiem* will take place on *Monday 10th July at 11.30am*. All welcome!

SICK AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL

If anyone is seriously ill at home or is in hospital, it is most important that a priest be informed so that the sick person may receive the spiritual help of the sacraments. Relatives or friends should inform their parish priest their parish priest and/or the Catholic chaplain of the hospital (*at King George Hospital, 8590 9026; at Queen’s Hospital, 01708 477890 (Helen Miranda); at Whipps Cross Hospital, 8520 5877.*)

GOING INTO HOSPITAL?

I draw your attention to the *Sick Parishioner Care* forms at the back of church. Please take one if you are going to hospital and wish the Catholic chaplain to look after you!

Fr Selvini

MASS INTENTIONS/OFFERINGS

Special envelopes are available at the back of church. If you would like a Mass offered on a *particular anniversary*, please let the Parish Priest know well in advance – the sooner the better! Thank you for your co-operation.

The Holy Father’s Prayer Intention for the month of July

That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.

THE ANGELUS

As is now our custom, the Angelus is said at the beginning of the 6.00pm Mass on Saturdays and the 12noon Mass on Sundays. The text of the prayer can be found in the Parish Mass Books on page 2 (opposite the Table of Contents).