

SUNDAY	10th	TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)
09:00		Solemn Mass <i>Our Parish Community</i>
10:45		Solemn Mass <i>Johnny Horhan RIP (EH)</i>
MONDAY	11th	St John XXIII, P
09:15		Mass <i>P. J. McCrohan RIP (EH)</i>
TUESDAY	12th	Ss Ethelburga, Hildelithe & Cuthberga, Rel
09:15		Mass
WEDNESDAY	13th	Feria
09:45		Mass
THURSDAY	14th	Feria
		No Mass
FRIDAY	15th	St Teresa of Jesus (Avila) V, Rel, D
		No Mass
SATURDAY	16th	Feria
12.00		Mass <i>Owen Fogarty RIP (PF)</i>

MASS INTENTIONS: Contact Fr Jon for a Mass intention for yourself or your family.

CONFESSIONS: Are heard on Saturdays between 11:15 - 11:45am or by appointment outside these times.

Chantry List for the coming week:

We pray for the happy repose of the souls of all the faithful departed, especially for those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time: *Pauline Stormont (04); Vera Miller (05); Dick Kelly (87); Charles Raison (90); Eileen Bone (15); Rita Cranfield (18).*

May their souls rest in peace. Amen.

Our prayers for the Sick & Suffering include:

Angela L, Barry S, Kerri H, Betty B, Maura G, Sid B, John F, Gary R, Lily Dopson, Marjorie S, Elaine S, Genette F, John W, Teresa H, Noel K, Dean K, Christopher D, Carmelo S, Peter W, Gina O, Samantha B, Jenny C, John, Isaac Nelson, Ann Mary B, Brian B, Steve F, Kay Shaw, Jasintha Anton de Madonsa, Catherine Ford, Joan Kerins, Beth Thompson.

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St John Payne Catholic Parish

Greenstead, Ardleigh and Mistley

We of St John Payne Catholic Parish seek to reflect the joyful life-affirming power of Christ's Living Presence among all where Essex meets East Anglia.



28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

Week beginning 10th October 2021

Christ, Our Wealth

Even though we had nothing in this world that we could call our own, in having Christ, the wisdom of God, we possess all things; we are rich in him. He is the world of God that is alive and active in our hearts.

Entrance Antiphon: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

1st Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11. Compared with wisdom, I held riches as nothing.

Responsorial Psalm R/. Fill us with your love that we may rejoice.

2nd Reading: Hebrews 4: 12-13. The word of God can judge a secret emotions and thoughts.

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, Alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading: Mark: 10: 17-30. Go and sell everything you own and follow me.



It is respectfully asked that you please ensure all mobile phones are switched off while you are in church.

THE POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER: Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY has now recommenced on Sundays during the 10:45am Mass. Also, names are now being taken for the 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation programmes. For further information please contact Grace on 07917784232.

REPOSITORY: Currently the Repository remains closed; however, should any Parishioner need to make a purchase either speak to Ann Roughan after the 10.45am Sunday Mass or telephone Ann on 07889101762 and your request can be left out for you. Thank you.

MONTH OF HOLY SOULS: As you will be aware, it is Fr Jon's custom to pray as part of his Daily Office for the souls of departed loved ones during the month of November. If you would like a loved one included, please take one of the envelopes provided and return it to Fr Jon.

FOOD BANK: There will be a collection at the Sunday Masses today. I will be by my car at 8.30am. and again at 10.15am. Thank you for your support, as you know there is a growing need for our help. Ann

THE LECTIO DIVINA GROUP are unable to meet on Tuesday 12th October, but meetings will return to the usual time of 10.00 - 11.30am every Tuesday from 19th October onwards. Any queries please phone Judy on 01206 869601.

LAUDATO SI': Last weekend the Diocese of Brentwood launched *Laudato Si' Invitations, Commitments and Actions*. This is our response to the heartfelt plea from Pope Francis, "*Listen to the Cry of the Earth, the Cry of the Poor.*" For further information, prayers and resources [Laudato-Si-Main-Document-Low-Res-PDF-for-website-1.pdf](https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/?parish=greenstead-with-ardleigh-and-mistley) ([dioceseofbrentwood.net](https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net)) or take a leaflet from Church Porch.

GATEWAY TO HEAVEN, REFUGE ON EARTH: Retreat at Clare Priory Thurs 14th - Sun 17th October. Arrive 5pm Thurs. Depart 2pm Sun.

- Mary's role as Queen and Mother in our salvation
- Testimonies about her interventions and apparitions throughout history till nowadays
- Seeking her concrete help in these difficult times
- Finally placing ourselves and our families under her heavenly protection by consecrating us to her Immaculate Heart.

Cost £185 residential / £85 non-residential.: Kathy 01787 277326
or: clarepriory@clarepriory.net

LADIES COFFEE MORNING: A big thank you to all who came and all who supported our Macmillan Coffee Morning, to date the total is £250. A wonderful total in these difficult times. Hopefully we can meet again soon. You may contact Maureen Bulmer on 826491.

OFFERTORIES: Last Sunday's offertory collection amounted to £207.85, CAFOD Harvest Fast Day £131.50, Donation £350.00. Thank you.

OFFERINGS TO THE CHURCH may be made through standing orders or posted to the presbytery (Cheques only). You can make regular or one-off donations at any time at: <https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/?parish=greenstead-with-ardleigh-and-mistley> where you can also find Gift Aid forms if you are a taxpayer.

ONLINE RETREAT: October 15th-18th – Bishop Alan Williams is opening the retreat, and there are a variety of expert speakers throughout the weekend. For more information, and to book, click here: [Living-Laudato-Si-Online-Retreat-October-2021.pdf](https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net) ([dioceseofbrentwood.net](https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net))

THE THRESHOLDS OF HOPE QUESTIONS are a series of talks for adults who want to grow in understanding & confidence when questioned or speaking about their Catholic Faith. The talks and discussion will take place on Zoom Sunday 10th October from 4-5pm: *What does it mean to speak about God?* This talk will be given by Fr Mark Reilly, parish priest of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Wickford. To join this discussion please email adultformationvicariate@dioceseofbrentwood.org or for more information see www.thresholdsofhope.co.uk.

REDISCOVER YOUR MARRIAGE: Retrouvaille simply means 'rediscovery' and is a programme that offers you the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Tens of thousands of couples having difficulties in the marriage and even heading for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending and using the tools provided. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the programme commencing with a 'Virtual' weekend on 21st–24th October 2021... Call or text +44 788 7296983 or +44 797 3380443 – or Email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

REST AND REFLECTION WEEKEND RETREAT FOR ADULTS (3pm Friday 19th – 3pm Sunday 21st November 2021): We welcome you to join us for a weekend of reflection and prayer in the beautiful house, grounds and chapel of Walsingham House at Abbotswick. The cost is £150 for a single room, £200 for a twin (twin bookings must be made together with someone known to you). This price is for 2 nights accommodation and all meals (all rooms are en-suite). For more info, enquiries and bookings please contact Joe Beattie on 01277 373959 or email josephbeattie@dioceseofbrentwood.org.

NEWSLETTER: Send items for next week's newsletter by Wednesday evening to the Church Office at greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org
Please note the change of address

View Parish Newsletters and Fr Jon's Sunday Homilies online at:
<https://stjohnpayne.org.uk/newsletter>