

SUNDAY	21st	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING (B)
09:00		Solemn Mass <i>Our Parish Community</i>
10:45		Solemn Pontifical Mass <i>Magdalen Lerins – RIP (JK)</i>
16:00		Ordinate Mass <i>Graham Smith – RIP (MW)</i>
MONDAY	22nd	St Cecilia, V, M
09:15		Mass <i>Deceased Members of Eileen Kelly Family – RIP (EH)</i>
TUESDAY	23rd	Feria
09:15		Mass <i>Deceased Members of Stephenson Family – RIP (CS)</i>
WEDNESDAY	24th	St Andrew Dung-Lac, Pr, & Comps, Mm
09:45		Mass <i>Michael Horgan – RIP (EH)</i>
THURSDAY	25th	Feria
		<i>No Mass</i>
FRIDAY	26th	Feria
		<i>No Mass</i>
SATURDAY	27th	Feria
12Noon		Mass

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

CONFESSIONS: Are heard on Saturdays between 11:15 - 11:45_{am} 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: *Peter Divers (04); George Young (96); Graham King (16); William Mullen (84); Bridget Gaughan (03); Jason Hart (93); Geoffrey Tuckwell (20); Millie Germain (97).*

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, Peter W, Gina O, Carmelo S, Samantha B, Jenny C, John, Isaac Nelson, Ann Mary B, Brian B, Steve F, Kay Shaw, Jasinta Anton de Madonsa, Catherine Ford, Joan Kerins, Grace Gosling-Campbell, Beth Thompson.

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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.



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World Youth Day

Week beginning 21st November 2021

Christ The King

Today we celebrate Christ the universal King. He did not claim to be only the king of the Jews. His kingdom was not to be an exclusive one. He is the king of all who are on the side of truth and listen to his voice.

Entrance Antiphon: *How Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.*

1st Reading:

Daniel: 7: 13-14 His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty.

Responsorial Psalm *R/. The Lord is King, with majesty enrobed.*

2nd Reading:

Apocalypse: 1: 5-8 Ruler of the kings of the earth...he made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God.

Gospel Acclamation.

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!

Alleluia!

Gospel Reading:

John: 18: 33-37 It is you who say that I am a king.



Please note that face masks must be worn in church unless proof of exemption has been established



THE POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER: People Who Suffer from Depression. We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

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.

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

REPOSITORY: Whilst the Repository remains closed, any Parishioner needing to make a purchase should speak to Ann Roughan after the 10.45_{am} Sunday Mass or telephone Ann on 07889101762 and your request can be left out for you. Thank you.

THE LECTIO DIVINA PRAYER GROUP meets every Tuesday at 10.00-11.30 in the Parish Hall. Come and join us in praying the Gospel for the following Sunday to hear what it is saying to each of us. It is not as difficult as it sounds so why not join our friendly group to give it a try. Details from Judy after Mass or on 01206 869601.

THE BEFRIENDING AND SUPPORT GROUP Christmas OUTING will be on Wednesday 1st December at 10.45_{am} for Brunch at the usual place. All those who come to the group or have been in the past are invited. Please would you let me know in the next week or two if you will be coming, so that I can book it. Please phone Judy on 01206 869601 or see me after Mass.

DIOCESAN 2nd COLLECTION: This weekend there will be a collection taken at all Masses for **National Youth Sunday** (now World Youth Day). It is a unique opportunity to celebrate the role and significance of young people in the Catholic Church in England and Wales along with the global Church. Jesus calls to be a positive change in the world which comes from the recognition that we have purpose and we are appointed.

COLCHESTER FOOD BANK send a big thank you for 55kg of groceries and toiletries and for £111 donation. Please keep them all in your prayers. Ann.

BCCS: This November, Brentwood Catholic Children's Society is pleased to re-launch their virtual **Tree of Angels** which will allow you to light up an angel on a virtual Christmas tree in memory of a loved one who has died while making a donation to the work of 'bccs'. Please visit <https://www.bccs.org.uk/christmas/tree-angels> to make your dedication and secure donation.

PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS: Please send all correspondence and Newsletter items to our Diocese email address: greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org by Wednesday evening. Due to several scamming attempts, our 'SJP.....' email address is no longer to be used.

OFFERTORIES: Last Sunday's offertory collection amounted to £209.26, World Day of the Poor £170.50, Food Bank £111.00, Donations £259.00, Ladies Coffee morning £17.00. 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.

BCYS (WORLD YOUTH SERVICE) and Walsingham House at Abbotswick offer retreats, pilgrimages and many other events for many thousands of young people every year; most of the work is led by volunteers, trained as young leaders in the Church. The BCYS also supports our catechists and school lay chaplains. Next week there will be a collection for their vital work, or you can donate online at www.bcys.net/donate.

THE THRESHOLDS OF HOPE QUESTION: *Why should we listen to the Church?* takes place by Zoom on Sunday 21st November 4-5_{pm}. The input and discussion will be led by Fr Stephen Morrison, O Praem, Chelmsford. To join this meeting go to Events at: www.thresholdsofhope.co.uk

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE: You are warmly invited to join us at Walsingham House at Abbotswick for our annual Advent Carol Service on Sunday 12th December. We will have Christmas carols both classic and contemporary performed by our incredibly talented BCYS musicians, accompanied with readings from scripture and Christmas poems & stories. This year we are running two concerts, at 3_{pm} or 7_{pm}, however there will be limited capacity at each event, and this will be dependent on any current Government restrictions or social distancing, in place at the time. Tickets are £10 and the money will go towards supporting our pilgrimages to Lourdes. To book your place please contact Joe Beattie, Walsingham - josephbeattie@dioceseofbrentwood.org or 01277 373.

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ALTERNATIVE GIFTS THIS CHRISTMAS. St Mother Teresa of Calcutta said, "It is Christmas every time you let God love others through you." As part of Advent, we naturally reflect on our Christmas giving. Many charities now offer inventive and wonderful ways to support their work, as a gift to others - you can buy goats or bees, help preserve sections of rainforest, and much more. To help in your search for such gifts our Diocesan Caritas has brought a range of charity details all together on one page, and you will find it at: <https://www.caritasbrentwood.org/christmas/>

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