

SATURDAY	30th	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) Solemn Vigil Mass
17:00		
SUNDAY	1st May	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) Solemn Mass <i>Our Parish Community</i>
09:00		
10:45		Solemn Mass <i>Fr. Berhane – Int</i>
MONDAY	2nd	St Athanasius, Bp, D Mass <i>Sue Kane – Her recovery (RK)</i>
10am		
TUESDAY	3rd	SS PHILIP and JAMES, App Mass <i>John & Dominic Henley – RIP (MW)</i>
9:15		
WEDNESDAY	4th	THE ENGLISH MARTYRS Mass
9:45		
THURSDAY	5th	Feria <i>No Mass</i>
FRIDAY	6th	St John Payne, Pr, M Mass
19:30		
SATURDAY	7th	Feria Mass
12.00		

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: *Elizabeth Osbourn (99); Joy Neal (15); Matthew Blackburn (16); Collette Strover (03); Frederick Goldsworthy 03); Charlotte Firman (96); Lloyd Elsom (00); Rose Ward (05); Emily (Bobby) Everett(10); Maisie Bigg - Wither (85); Joan Smith (10); Denis Patrick Conway (02).* **May they 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, Jasintha Anton de Madonsa, Catherine Ford, Joan Kerins, Cassie Reilly, 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.



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (C)

St Joseph the Worker: Day of Prayer for Human Work

1ST MAY 2022

It Is The Lord

In this eucharist we proclaim that Christ is the Lord, the Lamb that was sacrificed and who is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing. The apostles accepted every kind of humiliation rather than give up proclaiming his name.

Entrance Antiphon: Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name, O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

1st Reading:
Acts 5: 27-32. 40-41 We are witnesses of all this: we and the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm *R/. I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me. Alleluia!*

2nd Reading:
Apocalypse 5:11-14, The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given riches and power.

Gospel Acclamation: *R/. Alleluia, alleluia!*
Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us.
Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.
R/. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading:
John 21:1-19 Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish.

The wearing of face coverings whilst in church is at the individuals' own discretion. However, I would respectfully ask that people continue to be mindful of the 'personal space' of those who remain anxious and still feel vulnerable.



THE POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR MAY for *faith-filled young people*. We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

HELPING THOSE IN THE UKRAINE, AND UKRAINIAN REFUGEES. Caritas Brentwood welcoming those who are fleeing the Ukraine. You will find everything at: <https://www.caritasbrentwood.org/ukraine/>

PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

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

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER: In 1955, Pope Pius XII dedicated May 1st to St. Joseph the Worker; this feast promotes and defends the dignity of human work under the patronage of St. Joseph.

NEXT DIOCESAN 2ND COLLECTION: There will be a 2nd collection taken for Promotion of Vocations on 8th May 2022.

THE BEFRIENDING AND SUPPORT GROUP will meet on Wednesday 4th May at 10.30 in the Church Hall. If you think it would help to chat about any type of loss with others who have suffered loss come and join our friendly, supportive group where confidentiality is stressed. There are so many situations of loss such as loss of home, livelihood, friends, relationships, marriage, security, or death of a family member or someone close. For more information phone Judy on 01206 869601, or just turn up

THE LECTIO DIVINA (Sacred Reading) PRAYER GROUP meets every Tuesday at 10_{am} in the Church Hall. Everyone is welcome to join us as we pray the Gospel for the following Sunday. For more details see Judy after Mass or by phoning 01206 869601

LADIES COFFEE MORNING: 5th May 10:30 til 12:00. We meet for coffee and a chat to make plans for our summer events and meetings. For contact. 826491 Maureen Bulmer

PARISH OFFICE: NEWSLETTER ADMINISTRATOR REQUIRED: A vacancy has arisen for a part time position as Newsletter Administrator in St John Payne, Greenstead Parish. Candidates must have good computer and typing skills. The post will be part-time (approximately 2.5hrs hours per week) additional time will be required from time to time as Holiday cover for book-keeping which will be on the Diocesan Finance system, training will be given for both roles. If interested, please speak to Fr Jon for details or email your CV and cover letter to greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org

PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS: Please send **all** correspondence, and Newsletter items (by Wednesday evening) to: greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org

OFFERTORIES: Last Sunday's offertory collection amounted to £229.75; APF Red Mission Boxes £25.29. **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: [Donate - Brentwood Diocese \(dioceseofbrentwood.net\)](http://Donate-BrentwoodDiocese(dioceseofbrentwood.net)) where you can also find Gift Aid forms if you are a taxpayer.

ST. JOHN PAYNES ART GROUP invite you all to an exhibition of our work on Monday 2nd May. Doors open at 11 am, some of our work and lots of cards will be on sale. Proceeds to Church funds. A light lunch will be served for you all to enjoy with us. We look forward to catching up with everyone.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM – 28TH MAY 2022: Join Bishop Alan and other parishes around the Diocese of Brentwood in Walsingham as we celebrate the Year of the Family '*Hearing and Doing the Word of God*'. We will celebrate Mass at the Basilica before walking the Holy Mile to the grounds of Walsingham Abbey to celebrate Vespers and Benediction on the site of the Holy House. Bring your own packed lunch. If you would like to join us on this Pilgrimage, please add your name + details to the coach booking form in Church Porch. Coach seats are £15.00 per person and will be departing from East Hill (*near corner Priory Street*).

REFUGEE COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP: A volunteer group is being set up here at St John Payne, in conjunction with the Diocese of Brentwood and Caritas Brentwood, to raise funds and provide practical support for a refugee family, to be housed in Colchester. Anyone interested in becoming involved or finding out more is warmly invited to attend a meeting, chaired by Fr Dominic Howarth, on Saturday 7th May 2022 at 1.30_{pm}, at St John Payne Catholic Church Hall, Blackthorn Avenue, Colchester CO4 3QD. Please email: SJPRefugeeProject@gmail.com for more information.

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES: Throughout the fifty days of Easter, we read from the Acts of the Apostles, the New Testament book which narrates the early years of the Church. Fr Adrian Graffy, parish priest of Gidea Park and member of the Pontifical Biblical Commission, has prepared faith talks on '[The Acts of the Apostles](#)' and '[Paul in Acts](#)', for your use through the Easter season. To access these free audio recordings please go to the home page of www.whatgoodnews.org and scroll down to 'Acts in Easter'. Thank you.

FULLY ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND, 23RD MAY 2022. £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight with 10_{kg} hand luggage, all transfers, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

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