

<b>SATURDAY</b>	6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)</b> <b>Solemn Vigil Mass</b> <i>Fr Richard Rowe – RIP (Fr Jon)</i>
17:00		
<b>SUNDAY</b>	7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)</b> <b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Our Parish Community</i>
09:00		
10:45		<b>Solemn Mass</b>
16:00		Evening Prayer and Exposition
<b>MONDAY</b>	8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St Dominic, Pr</b>
09:15		Mass
<b>TUESDAY</b>	9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS, V, M</b>
09.15		Mass
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>ST LAWRENCE, Deacon, M</b>
09.45		Mass
<b>THURSDAY</b>	11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St Clare, V</b> <i>No Mass</i>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Feria</b> Mass
19:30		
<b>SATURDAY</b>	13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Feria</b> Mass
12Noon		

**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: *Simon Boutflour (98); Arnold Otter (03); Ronald Allen (94); Ann Hytch (00); Kathleen Teahan (95); Edward Finch (06); Peggy Tiernan (07); Audrey Brown (84); Jocelyne Bohem (88).* **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, Grace Gosling-Campbell, Jasinthia 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.*



## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

### 7<sup>th</sup> August 2022

### The Lord Our God

The Lord has chosen us to be his people. Though a little flock, our history goes back into the dim and distant past. The God we worship is the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. We also look forward in hope to a glorious future in the Kingdom of our Father.

*Entrance Antiphon:* Lord be true to your covenant O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you. alleluia.

*1<sup>st</sup> Reading:*  
Wisdom 18: 6-9 By the same act with which you took vengeance on our foes you made us glorious by calling us to you.

*Responsorial Psalm* **R/. Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own.**

*2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:*  
*Hebrews:* 11:1-2, 8-19 Abraham looked forward to a city founded, designed and built by God.

**R/. Alleluia, alleluia!**  
*Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children.*  
**R/. Alleluia!**

*Gospel Reading:*  
Luke 12: 32-48 You too must stand ready.

**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 AUGUST: Small Businesses.** We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month between 4 - 5<sup>pm</sup>, beginning with Evening Prayer, we have a Holy Hour of hymns, prayer, and readings before the Blessed Sacrament, *'the source and summit of our faith'*.

**REFUGEE COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP UPDATE:** Donations towards the project's £9,000 target can be made by putting an envelope in with the SJP weekly offertory collections. Envelopes should be clearly marked "Refugee Support Group" and show your name and Gift Aid number if appropriate. Cheques should be made payable to "BRCDT Colchester Community Sponsorship". For more info:

<https://colchestercommunitysupport.wordpress.com>

Email: [sjprefugeeproject@gmail.com](mailto:sjprefugeeproject@gmail.com) - or speak with Lindsay or Clarice Francis after mass or on tel 337225. Please pray for the success of this project and for the safe arrival in due course of the refugee family.

**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.

**READERS & CANTORS:** We are looking for volunteers to read at each of the Sunday Masses, including the Vigil Mass on Saturday. If you can help or have any questions, please speak to Fr Jon. – Can you sing? Do you mind singing in front of others? (It's ok once you get used to it!) Are there any members of the 9am congregation who could sing the Psalm occasionally? If you can't read music don't worry as Jo can play it for you to rehearse. Any questions speak to Jo or Kathy after mass or ring Jo on 01206 299871.

**THE LECTIO DIVINA PRAYER GROUP** meets every Tuesday, in the Church Hall, at 10.00a.m. for approximately three quarters of an hour. Why not come and join this friendly group as we pray the Gospel Reading for the following Sunday. No need to bring anything, copies of the reading are supplied. There is usually a bit of social time afterwards. For further information see Judy after Mass or phone 01206 869601.

**COLCHESTER FOOD BANK:** I will be collecting donations for the foodbank on Sunday, the 14<sup>th</sup> of August. The foodbank has been running low on pasta sauces, cans of tomatoes, tea bags, toilet rolls and nappies. they have completely run out of toiletries, can openers and washing up powders/liquids. a donation from any of these categories would be greatly appreciated! I thank you all again for your monthly support! If you are unable to donate on this Sunday, please bring donations on following Sunday's or contact me on 07582502188 - James.

**OFFERTORIES:** Last Week's offertory collection amounted to £320.90, APF Red Box £14.05, Food Bank £20, and donation £5 **Thank you.**

**PARISH NEWSLETTER ADMINISTATOR REQUIRED:** A vacancy has arisen for a part time position as Newsletter Administrator in St John Payne, Greenstead Parish. Candidates must have good computer understanding, be familiar with Microsoft's 'Word', and have good typing skills. The post will be part-time, and approximately 2.5hrs hours per week. If interested, please speak to Fr Jon for details or email your CV and covering letter to: [greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:greenstead@dioceseofbrentwood.org)

**MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT - fundraising in memory of Tim Francis and Margaret Snelling:** Last Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> July, James and I finished the 26 miles in 8hrs 47mins improving on our time last year by almost 4hrs! The Francis family are so thankful to all who so kindly sponsored us and donated to Macmillan cancer support. So far, we have managed to raise £1782! – Lindsay

**MESSAGE FROM COLCHESTER FOODBANK:** I acknowledge, with continued thanks, the latest support from St John Payne totalling £132.87. This is very much appreciated.

**RETREAT FOR YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS:** During the weekend of the 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> October 2022, Young Catholic Adults will be running a retreat at Douai Abbey with the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge who will be holding Gregorian Chant workshops. Theme: "The Communion of Saints' prayer and the veneration of Holy Relics". Prices start from £12 (come for the day) and £55 per person per night (residential). Book soon as places are limited! Please note to guarantee your place Douai Abbey have requested that everyone books in 3 weeks before the start of the weekend (16/09/22).For More info: <http://youngcatholicadults-latestnews.blogspot.co.uk/> or <http://www.youngcatholicadults.co.uk>. To book go to :- <https://bookwhen.com/youngcatholicadults-douai2022>

**WALSINGHAM HOUSE TEAM 2022/23:** Just finished A-levels or Uni? Aged 18-22? Interested in working with young people? Join the Walsingham House Team 2022/23 for an amazing Gap Year opportunity **starting September 2022**. Details on [www.bcys.net](http://www.bcys.net) or contact Joseph Beattie – Phone: 01277 373959 or email: [josephbeattie@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:josephbeattie@dioceseofbrentwood.org)

**RENEWAL EAST ANGLIA** invites you to a Day of Prayer and Renewal at Clare Priory, Ashen Road, Clare CO10 8NX. Led by Fr Stefan Park OSA and Fr Gladson Dabre OSA. Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August. 10.30 - 4.30<sup>pm</sup>. Theme: 'Do you believe I am able to do this?' Bring a packed lunch. Tea and coffee provided. Contact Clare Fox: 07906523496

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

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