

SATURDAY	27th	TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) <i>No Mass</i>
SUNDAY	28th	TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)
	09:00	Solemn Mass <i>Eugene Horgan – RIP (MF)</i>
	10:45	Solemn Mass <i>Our Parish Community</i>
MONDAY	29th	The Passion of St John the Baptist
	10:00	Mass
TUESDAY	30th	Feria
	09.15	Mass <i>Eugene Horgan – RIP (JM)</i>
WEDNESDAY	31st	Feria
	09.45	Mass
THURSDAY	1st Sept	St Sebbi, King of the East Saxons <i>No Mass</i>
FRIDAY	2nd	Feria
	19:30	Mass <i>Eugene Horgan – RIP (IS)</i>
SATURDAY	3rd	ST GREGORY THE GREAT, P, D
	12Noon	Mass <i>Gino Diaferia – RIP (TD)</i>

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: *Ken Hytch (00); Elizabeth Aherne (94); Colin Taylor (03); Arthur Campbell (14); Patrick Long (85); Susan Driscoll (05); Barry White (00); **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.



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY (C)

28th August 2022

Jesus, the Mediator Of A New Covenant.

God made the new covenant of his love with the poor, the lowly, the down-trodden and the oppressed. It is therefore in a spirit of humility, the spirit of Jesus, that we make our celebration today, asking him to accept the homage of the humble.

Entrance Antiphon: Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.
O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

1st Reading:
Ecclesiasticus 3: 17-20,
28-29 Behave humbly and then you will find favour with the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm *R/. In your goodness, O God, you prepared a home for the poor.*

2nd Reading:
Hebrews 12: 18-19,
22-24 We have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God.

Gospel Acclamation *R/. Alleluia, alleluia!*
If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.
R/. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading:
Luke 14: 1. 7-14 Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and the man who humbled himself will be exalted.

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 SEPTEMBER: Abolition of the Death Penalty. We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Every 1st Sunday of the month between 4 – 5^{pm}, 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'*. Next Date 4th September 2022.

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 the laying down of weapons and true peace in that land.

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.

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTION: There will be a 2nd collection taken for Education Day on 11th September. Education Sunday is one of the oldest Days of Special Prayer in this country's liturgical calendar, its main purpose is to celebrate the work of Catholic education and to enable it to continue to flourish with the support of the whole Catholic community.

LADIES COFFEE MORNING: On 1st September 2022. We meet this week for coffee & chat unfortunately our quiz is postponed until another date. Any ideas welcome for more events please contact Maureen Bulmer 826491.

RELIC TOUR OF ST BERNADETTE TO THE UK: Be part of the St Bernadette Relic Tour this Autumn - Brentwood Diocese (dioceseofbrentwood.net). As a reminder, the relics will be visiting Brentwood Cathedral on 16/17 October and Our Lady of Lourdes, Wanstead on 18 October. Those wishing to attend should register through the tour website in order to manage numbers safely: (<https://stbernadette.org.uk>) [Registration - St Bernadette](#)

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

OFFERTORIES: Last Week's offertory collection to be advised next week. **Thank you.**

REFUGEE COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP UPDATE: So far, we have raised a total of £3,587.25 towards the Home Office requirement of £9,000. 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 - 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.

PARLIAMENT IN YOUR PARISH (CAFOD): Last year, in the lead up to COP26, St Teresa of Lisieux took part in an on-line discussion with our MP, Will Quince, supported by Chris Driscoll from CAFOD, in which Mr. Quince was questioned about a number of issues related to the climate crisis and the impact it was having on the poor and the environment. Mr. Quince has very kindly agreed to meet with us again, this time face-to-face in our parish hall, on **Friday 30 September at 2.00pm**. If you are interested in attending this event, please email Peter Johnson maryandpeter13@btinternet.com for more info and number-attending event.

RETRouvaille: A Programme for Couples Struggling in their Marriages: Help Your Marriage. Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples who have difficulties in their marriage. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend **on 13 - 16 October 2022** or a Face to Face weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 24 - 26 Feb 2023, call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443 or email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com - or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

THE PARABLES OF LUKE: A Gidea Park Faith Talk on the Parables of Luke will be broadcast by live stream on **Wednesday 21st September from 7pm**. Our distinguished speaker is Deacon Sean Loone, well-known in the diocese of Birmingham for his work in education and in evangelisation. Sean will speak about the parables in the Gospel of Luke, which we shall be hearing at Sunday Mass as we continue through Year C of the lectionary. To listen to the presentation live simply go to www.whatgoodnews.org There is no charge and no booking is needed. The recording of the talk will be available on the same website in due course.

VOCATIONS: The next "Enquirers' Evening" for those considering or interested in a vocation to the priesthood is on **Tuesday 6th September** at St Edmund of Canterbury Church in Loughton. The speaker will be Bishop Alan. For further information please contact Fr Mark Swires vocprom@dioceseofbrentwood.org

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