SATURDAY 29th THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

17:00 Solemn Mass

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09:00 Solemn Mass

10:45 **Solemn Mass** *Our Parish Community*

MONDAY 31st Feria 09:15 Mass

11:00 Requiem Mass for Catherine Ford

TUESDAY 1st All Saints Holy Day of Obligation

09.15 Mass 19:30 Mass

WEDNESDAY 2nd Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

 09.45
 Mass

 19:30
 Mass

 THURSDAY
 3rd
 Feria

 No Mass

FRIDAY 4th St Charles Borromeo, Bp, Mm

19:30 Mass **SATURDAY** 5th Feria 12 Noon Mass

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: Edward (Russell) Crook (13); Stefan Dzielski (91); Margaret Fox (05); Margaret Milbank (86); Peter Stannard (89); Dan Hensey (98); Thomas Kevin Plumb (06); Anita MacArthur (14). 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, Jasintha Anton de Madonsa, 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 lifeaffirming power of Christ's Living Presence among all where Essex meets East Anglia.



THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY (C) 30th October 2022

Iesus In Our Midst

To him the whole world is like a grain of dust. Yet he loves all that exists, and comes to dwell with sinners.

Entrance Antiphon: Do not abandon me, Lord. My God, do not go away from me!

Hurry to help me, Lord, my Saviour.

1st Reading:

Wisdom 11:22-12:2 You are merciful to all because you love all that exists.

Responsorial Psalm R/. I will bless your name forever, O God my King.

2nd Reading:

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2 The name of Christ will be glorified in you and you in him.

Gospel Acclamation R/. Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessings on the King who comes, in the name of the Lord!

Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens!

R/. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading:

Luke 19: 1-10 The Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.

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 OCTOBER: We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching, the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Every 1^{st} 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 6^{th} **November 2022**.

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

If you are willing to consider opening your home to Ukrainian refugees, Caritas Social Action Network has more information here: https://siog-homesforukraine.uk/

PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE.

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

MONTH OF HOLY SOULS: 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.

LECTIO DIVINA PRAYER GROUP meets every Tuesday, in the SJP Church Hall, from 10.00 – 10.45. Come and join this friendly group as we pray the Gospel Reading for the following Sunday. Copies of the reading are supplied. There is usually a bit of social time afterwards. For further information see Judy after Mass or tel. 01206 869601.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: names are now being taken for the preparation programme which will start on **Saturday 5th November at 10am** in the SJP Church Hall.

COLCHESTER FOODBANK: The next collections will be on 13^{th} November and 11^{th} December. If you would like to donate at any other time please call me on 07582 502188. Many thanks! James.

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

OFFERTORIES: Last Week's offertory collection amounted to £238.23 (23rd October). 2nd collection (World Mission Day - Missio) £148.00. Prisoners' Sunday (PACT) £5.00. Colchester Food Bank (£15.00). Ladies Coffee Morning (MacMillan Cancer Support) £195.00. **Thank you!**

REFUGEE COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP UPDATE: We are busy getting the house ready to welcome the refugee family. Thanks so much to all who have offered to donate good quality furniture and household items, and for those who have volunteered to help with painting and minor repairs. We have almost reached our target in respect of the Home Office required "emergency fund" of £9,000. Further donations will provide for essentials for the family pending their receipt of benefits, and can be made by putting an envelope in with the SJP weekly offertory collections, clearly marked "Refugee Support Group" with 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

To volunteer or to offer furniture and household items please email sjprefugeeproject@gmail.com - or speak with Lindsay or Clarice Francis after mass or on tel 337225. Please continue to pray for the success of this project and for the safe arrival in due course of the refugee family.

CALAIS LIGHT IS CALLING YOU TO JOIN US ON OUR REFUGEE CONVOYS TO CALAIS: November 18th -20th and December 9th -11th. Age 18+. Experienced Continental drivers are extra welcome. A promised weekend of fun and fulfilment is guaranteed. Volunteer and help us to help refugees. This charity, based within the Diocese, provides meals, sleeping bags and clothing to refugees who are living in increasingly desolate conditions in Calais. Many have relatives in the UK and legitimate asylum claims, but there are no facilities to claim UK asylum from within France: the perilous channel crossings are a direct result of this policy. Full details and bookings at www.calaislight.com. Can't make the trip? Please donate at: https://www.gofundme.com/f/6n9sg-calais-light

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