



CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

We require good quality raffle prizes for our Christmas hampers, please hand into either Clare or any welcomer. Thank you in advance.

Blessed Sacrament Parish Newsletter

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 5th October

5.30 pm – Rosary

Vigil Mass – First Mass of Sunday

6 pm – Intentions of Brendan Keys (F. & T. Rowberry)

Sunday 6th October

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

9.30 am – Tino Moreno RIP (N. Clifford-Shah)

11.30 am – People of the Parish including Baptism of Orla Grace Leversidge

Monday 7th October – **NO MASS**
Father's & Clare's Day Off

Tuesday 8th October – St. Osyth, Rel
Mass, Adoration & Benediction

6.30 pm – In thanksgiving (Fr. Paul & Clare)

Wednesday 9th October – ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN, Pr
(National Feast & Patron of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of
Walsingham)

9.15 am – Susan Horner RIP (B. Sharman)

12 Noon – Requiem Mass for Geraldine Smyth

7 pm – Praise and Worship

Thursday 10th October - **MASS ONLY**

9.15 am – Intentions of Cyril & Family (Cecilia)

Friday 11th October – **BROOMFIELD HOSPITAL MASS**

12.15 pm – Intentions of Patients & Staff

Saturday 12th October

5.30 pm – Rosary

Vigil Mass – First Mass of Sunday

6 pm – Birthday Intentions of Tony Fassnidge (M. Marsh)

Sunday 13th October

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

9.30 am – People of the Parish

11.30 am – Jim Bradley Jr. RIP (Lloyd Family)

SAFEGUARDING

Please accompany your child(ren) to the toilet if they need it whilst in the Church.

SILENCE!

PLEASE keep **SILENCE** before Mass especially during the Rosary on Saturday evenings. People may be trying to pray and listen to God.

CONFESSIONS

Father Paul is available for confession:

Saturdays 5-5.30pm.

Tuesdays during adoration after 6.30pm Mass.

Thursdays during adoration after 9.15am Mass.

OFFICE EMAILS

Please be aware that emails sent over the weekend or on a Monday will not be seen until the Tuesday. Thank you.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

If you require a notice to appear in the newsletter – the deadline is on **Wednesdays**.

COLLECTION PLATE

Week ending 28th & 29th September 2024

Envelopes & Loose Plate - £754.89

Thank you for your generosity.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Divine Mercy will take place in the side chapel

at **8pm on Wednesday 16th October.**

Please use the side door.

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Praise and Worship will take place at **7pm on Wednesday 9th October.**

GIFT AID ORGANISER

Our Gift Aid organiser is Greg Carvalho. His contact is: greg@god.co.uk or on 261302.

MEDITATION GROUP

WCCM Meditation Group meets online at 8pm on Mondays. Please contact Val directly on 07887785502 or email her on valhilsley@btinternet.com

BAPTISM

This Sunday (6th) at the 11.30 am Mass, we welcome Orla Grace Leversidge as she is baptised.

Please pray for Orla, Danielle, Michael and their family on this very special day.

CAFOD'S FAMILY FAST DAY

Please don't forget to hand in your CAFOD Family Fast Day envelopes. Just place them in the offertory basket. If you have forgotten your envelope there are spares on the welcomer's desk. Thank you for your support and your generosity.

GERALDINE SMYTH RIP

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Geraldine Smyth. Her Requiem Mass will take place here at the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday 9th October at 12 noon followed by a cremation at Chelmsford Crematorium. All welcome.

Please pray for the soul of Geraldine and for her family. Jesu Mercy, Mary Pray.

MURIEL TURNER RIP

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of Muriel Turner. She had reached the grand age of 102. Her Requiem Mass will take place here on Wednesday 23rd October at 1pm followed by a cremation at Chelmsford Crematorium. Her body will be received into Church the night before at 4.30pm. All welcome. Please pray for the repose of Muriel's soul and for her family. Jesu Mercy, Mary Pray.

JUSTICE AND PEACE THANK YOU TO OUR PARISHIONERS

The J and P group would like to thank everyone who donated to Fr Joseph Okumu's appeal to feed the children in his mission schools in Gulu, Uganda. A total of £800 was raised through the summer from donations in the green box, a cake stall and a generous gift of £300 from Wellesley Bourke's family after his funeral mass. Another generous anonymous donation of £200 has also been sent to the Sudan appeal.

MACMILLIAN COFFEE MORNING – THANK YOU

A BIG thank you to all who came to the coffee morning and to those of you who couldn't come but made cakes and gave donations. I have yet to finalise the amount. However, I forgot to ask those of you who are taxpayers to put your name on the donations list and gift aid your donation, I will give the list to Clare to put on the welcomers' desk if you wouldn't mind filling it in I would be grateful as I'm sure it will raise more for the charity. The raffle prizes were all won by people still at the event however Margaret Cousins has a prize to collect from Clare! Many thanks for your support - Liz Allen.

ENQUIRERS' EVENING

The next "Enquirers' Evening" for those considering or interested in a vocation to the priesthood is on Tuesday 8 October at Brentwood Cathedral. The speaker will be Fr Mark Reilly.

For further information, please contact Fr Mark Swires on vocprom@brcdt.org

LADIES' GROUP

The next meeting of the Ladies' Group is on Wednesday 9th October at 10.00 in the Hall. This group is open to all ladies in the parish and we hope to continue to welcome new ladies to join the group. We meet on the second Wednesday of every month for a coffee and a chat. Contact Margaret on 01245442067 for information or just turn up to a meeting.

LINKED PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM – MONDAY 7TH OCTOBER

There are a few seats available for Walsingham. The coach will leave Holy Name Church at 7:30am, Our Lady Immaculate at 8am and St Augustine Church at 8:30am. The cost is £20 per person. For further information please call Our Lady Immaculate Parish Office on 01245 352898.

JOB VACANCY – CANONESSES OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE

Senior carer position for a Community of 9 religious sisters in their home in Colchester. For further details please see our website: <https://canonesses.co.uk/senior-carer-position-how-close/> OR call Care Manager on 07394-980188. There is also a job share for 2 cooks. Please look at our website for further details.

CANONESSES OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE TALK

The Canonesses of the Holy Sepulchre are hosting a talk by Prof Tina Beattie at New Hall School. The talk, followed by discussion, starts at 7pm on Oct 8th. Refreshments will be served from 6.30pm. All are welcome but need to register via the following link: <https://canonesses.co.uk/event/we-need-to-talk-about-gender/>