

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for
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**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT -
YEAR A**

Response to the Psalm:

*O that today you would listen to his vice!
Harden not your hearts.*

Mystery of Faith:

*When we eat this Bread, and drink this Cup, we pro-
claim your death, O Lord, until you come again.*

***Please remember in your
prayers: the sick and the
housebound, at home, in hos-
pital or in residential care.***

We remember especially:

Ellen Altringham, Katherine
Cunningham, Felicity Goddard,
Veronica Hurtswaite, Roisin McCa-
be, Dominic Nutt, Rowena A, Pat
Sullivan, Donald Terry, Josephine
Terry, Shaun Wilkinson, Doreen
Wood, Margaret Maloney, Antoi-
nette Abraham, Christopher
Karimi Muthike, Merlyn Lee, Jack-
ie McNamara, Christine Larkin,
Margaret Mizen, Mary Moll

*May the Lord bring them comfort
and healing and bring strength to
those who care for them.*



***Please pray for those who
have died, remembering espe-
cially those whose anniver-
sary fall about this time:***

Kathleen Mary Scully, Mary Eliza-
beth Galley (Lillian), Pat O'Keene,
Annie Elizabeth Baker, Noel Han-
nifan, Winifred Corbett, Ellen
(Nel) White, Ellen McEvoy, Emma
Barry-Smith, James Griffin

*May these, and the souls of all the
faithful departed rest in the peace,
and joy of Christ.*

Website news!!

Our Parish website is now live. The
address is lol-lee.org We will of
course continue to provide paper cop-
ies but hope to reduce the number to
save paper and printing costs. Please
help by using this option if you can.

We, the priest and parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Lee, seek to
continue to give witness to God's inclusive love, by welcoming everyone.

THIS WEEK - MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday	11th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Thanksgiving
Sunday	12th	9.00am 11.00am	Third Sunday of Lent Year A	Fr Jacques Hamel RIP People of the parish
Monday	13th	9.30am	St Joseph	All Missionaries
Tuesday	14th	7.30pm		W/f: Lucy Raphael
Wednes- day	15th	9.30am		Denis Daly RIP
Thursday	16th	9.30am		Ann & John Price RIP
Friday	17th	9.30am		W/f: Rosalind Burrows
Saturday	18th	9.00am 6.30pm	The Annunciation First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Peggy Curran RIP
Sunday	19th	9.00am 11.00am	Fourth Sunday of Lent Year A	Antoniete Temudo RIP Elizabeth Moran & family deceased

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Next Saturday 9.30-10.15am and 5.45-6.15pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

½ hour Adoration after the weekday morning masses.

First Friday Adoration: until 12noon every month.

CHURCH CLEANING: 9.00am every Tuesday

PRAYER GROUP: Every Wednesday at 2.00pm

FATHERS PRAYER GROUP: Every first Wednesday of the month at 8pm.

ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Sunday Coffee: Volunteers

Collection Counters: Fabian

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

1 Ssamuel 16:1,6-7,10-13; Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9_1-41

Second Collection this weekend for Cafod

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

200 Club Winners

12/03/2017 £25 No.140 Justin Joseph

RCIA - Our Journey in Faith

Meeting every Wednesday in the Presbytery at 7.30pm. Please do keep all those attending RCIA in your prayers.

Stations of the Cross every Sunday at 5 pm

The recent Clergy Support Fund Campaign Appeal

A gentle reminder that you please note that the forms for one off-donations or regular gifts should be completed and returned in the stamp addressed envelopes provided and popped in the post. For those who prefer to donate by cash only, please drop the envelope into the Presbytery with a completed form, or if you would prefer your details to be anonymous use the envelope for cash without your details and write 'Our Lady of Lourdes, Lee' on the back of the envelope. They will then be taken by hand, still sealed, to the Campaign office.

If you would prefer to go online and use the BT MyDonate button at:

<http://www.southwarkclergysupportfundcampaign.org>, then please navigate your way to the BT MyDonate button on the left hand side of the homepage. You will be offered the option of making a one-off donation or regular gift at intervals and amounts of your choosing.

Lenten Soup Lunch

The soup lunch this week is being provided by the Justice and Peace group. Do please come and join us!

The Guides would like to thank everyone who came and supported the soup lunch last Sunday. We raised £110 which will be divided between the 2 charities The Guide Friendship Fund & Harambee for Kenyan.

Justice and Peace news

Those who come visit the Jesuit Refugees Service Centre are often struggling with homelessness or hunger. They are surviving without cash whilst dealing with stress or trauma due to their experience of destitution and the uncertainties of their situation, as well as isolation and separation from family back home. JRS provide travel money to access legal and medical appointments, emergency mini-grants for newly destitute individuals and a healthy lunch each week. The Day Centre is a safe space to rest, get referrals to key

services and meet friends over a cup of tea or coffee. Each month they give out over 150 toiletry packs and in winter distribute coats and food parcels.

Our Lady of Lourdes parish is responding with overwhelming generosity to this cause during Lent. Please keep the toiletries coming in! Next week we will be collecting soap (liquid or bar).

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

If you are a reader or an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, please let Mark (markhopper@gmail.com or 07598969205) know if you will be unavailable for any dates from 15th April to 2nd July before Kate and Mark write the new rota at the end of this month. Also let them know if you are available for the Palm Sunday masses (readers only), for the 8 o'clock Mass on Holy Thursday, the 3 pm service and 7.30 Prayers around the Cross on Good Friday, the Easter Vigil at 8pm and the masses at 9 and 11 on Easter Sunday and are available to take Communion to the sick. Many volunteers are needed for these services so please respond if you are available.

Cafod

Please remember to return your Cafod Fast Day envelopes.

Funeral Details for Father Cyril, RIP

The funeral mass will take place on Monday 3rd April at 11.00am at Saint Joseph's Catholic Church, 1 Orchard Road, Bromley, Kent BR1 2PR.

The reception into church will be at 4.30 pm on Sunday 2 April. This will be followed by the parish Sunday Mass at 5 pm. There will be refreshments in the parish rooms afterwards.

Altar Servers

Sign-on lists for Easter (including Stations of the Cross on April 2nd) are now available just outside the sacristy. Please could you add your name to these to indicate when you can serve as soon as possible please.

Redevelopment of Mayfield Hostel Site

Lewisham Council are seeking comments on the proposed building of new Council homes on the site of the Mayfield Hostel next door. Leaflets are at the back of the church for more details.

**Invitation—Coffee is served in the parish hall after 9.00am Sunday Mass.
Please come and join us for coffee and a chat.**

PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

April

Tuesday 4th	8.00pm	Justice & Peace meeting.
Wednesday 12th	7.30pm	Baptism Preparation
Wednesday 26th	7.30pm	Baptism Preparation (one Godparent who is a practising Catholic to a attend).

ALL UNIFORM SECTIONS

Meeting Times

Tuesday Evenings during term time

Beavers (6yrs-8yrs)	Upper Room	6.00pm-7.30pm
Cub Scouts (8yrs-101/2yrs)	Parish Hall	6.00pm-7.30pm
Scouts (101/2yrs -141/2yrs)	Parish Hall	7.45pm-9.15pm
Explorer Scouts (141/2yrs-18yrs)	Upper Room	7.45pm-9.15pm
(meet fortnightly)		

Friday Evenings during term time

Brownies (7yrs-10yrs)	Parish Hall	6.00pm-7.30pm
Guides (10yrs-14yrs)	Parish Hall	7.45pm-9.30pm
Senior Section (Rangers) (14yrs-26yrs)	Upper Room	7.45pm-9.30pm
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