

# Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday  
18th June 2017

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND  
BLOOD OF CHRIST YEAR A**

**Response to the Psalm:**  
*O, praise the Lord, Jerusalem.*

**Mystery of Faith:**  
*When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we  
proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.*

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

We remember especially:  
Ellen Altringham, Emilia Cassie,  
Katherine Cunningham, Felicity  
Goddard, Veronica Hurtswaite,  
Roisin McCabe, Dominic Nutt,  
Rowena A, Pat Sullivan, Donald  
Terry, Josephine Terry, Shaun  
Wilkinson, Doreen Wood,  
Margaret Maloney, Antoinette  
Abraham, Christopher Karimi  
Muthike, Merlyn Lee, Jackie  
McNamara, Christine Larkin,  
Margaret Mizen, Mary Moll,  
Sylvester Chege  
*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  
especially those whose  
anniversary fall about this  
time:**

Edward Kenevane, Patrick  
Rigney, Nora Highland, Evelyn  
Beatrice Stanton, Joseph Power,  
Edward Taplin, Margaret  
Stamford, Michael Corkerry,  
Margaret (Peggy) Garnish  
*May these, and the souls of all the  
faithful departed rest in the peace  
and joy of Christ.*

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	17th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention James Williams RIP
Sunday	18th	9.00am 11.00am	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Year A	In honour of the Holy Spirit People of the parish
Monday	19th	9.30am		Conversion of sinners
Tuesday	20th	7.30pm	St Alban, Protomartyr	Albert Lawrence RIP
Wednesday	21st	9.30am	St Aloysius Gonzaga	Deborah Cafferky
Thursday	22nd	9.30am	Saints John Fisher and Thomas More	Missing People
Friday	23rd	9.30am	Sacred Heart of Jesus	In thanksgiving
Saturday	24th	9.00am 6.30pm	The Nativity of John the Baptist First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Tom Ryan RIP
Sunday	25th	9.00am 11.00am	Twelfth Sunday in ordinary time Year A	People of the parish Seamus Sheridan RIP

### **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: David  
Flowers: Judy Sheridan

### **NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:**

Jeremiah 20:10-13; Romans 5:12-15; Matthew 10:26-33

**Second Collection** this Weekend for Catholic Trust for Day for Life

**PARISH NEWS**  
(Please see notice board for full details)

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH**

**200 Club Winner**

11.6.2017      £25      No.117      Brian & Imelda Coloe

**Churches Together in Lee: Christian Unity Service:** Today Sunday 18th June at Burnt Ash Methodist by 4.00 pm.

**Justice and Peace news**

Please make a donation of toiletries for Refugee Week. We will be collecting on the weekends of 17th / 18th and 24th / 25th June.

**Gift Aid**

New boxes of envelopes for those who gift aid their weekly contributions are available at the back of the Church for collection. If you contribute by standing order, there is a brown envelope for you containing the additional envelopes for special collections.

**Missio Red Box Holders**

Promoters will be delivering the summer edition of the Missio magazine between now and the end of the month and will be collecting the contents of your Red Box for the half yearly collection. You may bring the contents of your box to any Mass on the weekends of 17/18 June and 24/25 June, if you have missed the promoter or if this is more convenient for you, where it will be collected. Thank you to all Red Box holders and promoters for your continuing support for such a worthwhile cause.

**Church Flower Arranging Workshop** - Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 10.00 a.m.

We are holding a workshop in the Sacristy for anyone who may be interested in joining our team of parish Flower Arrangers. Nuala Clarke will lead the workshop and will demonstrate how to make the different flower arrangements required within the church.

We really need people to commit to helping with this ministry on a regular basis to increase our team. Currently we work on a 'once a month' rota but the more people we can recruit the lighter the load will be. Please contact Judy Sheridan on 077891 52862 if you are interested in attending the workshop.

**Guides:** Congratulations to the following guides who were presented with their Baden Powell Challenge Award last Friday evening:: Juevanna, Serena, Victoria, Hannah, Connie and India. Well Done.

**Second Collection** next weekend for Peter's Pence.

**Deanery Mass:** At Our Lady of Lourdes Lee on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 7.30 pm

**First Holy Communion Weekend – 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> : Rehearsals in the Church**

Candidates for 1<sup>st</sup> Communion on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>, the rehearsal is at 6:30pm on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>; those on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am, the rehearsal is at 10:00am on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>; those on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am, the rehearsal is at 11:00am on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>. Please keep our 34 Candidates and their families in your thoughts and prayers.

**Invitation - Coffee is served in the parish hall after 9am Sunday Mass.  
Please come and join us for coffee and a chat.**

**PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

(Please see notice board for full details)

**June**

Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	4.00pm	Christian Unity Service
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 pm	Justice and Peace group meeting
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	7.30pm	Baptism Preparation (one Godparent who is a Practising Catholic to Attend.)

**July**

Friday 7 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Deanery Mass at Lee
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**ALL UNIFORM SECTIONS**

**Meeting Times**

Tuesday Evenings during term time

Beavers (6yrs-8yrs)	Upper Room	6.00pm-7.30pm
Cub Scouts	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)	Upper Room	7.45pm-9.30pm
(14yrs-26yrs)	Upper Room	
meet fortnightly		