

# Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday  
10th June 2018  
**TENTH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B**

## Response to the Psalm:

*With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.*

## Mystery of Faith:

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

*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.*

## **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, Felicity Goddard, Veronica Hurtswaite, 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, Sylvester Chege, Richard Cox  
*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:**

Ellen Brown, Barbara Beatty, James Williams, Augustin Tello, Rosaleen Owen, Maureen Brennan, Sonia Maria Bracken, Thomas Joseph Leahey, Annie Bustatd, John Byrns, Arthur Edward Thraves, Lesley Mifflin, Edward Samuels, William (Bill) Verrall  
*May these, and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace and joy of Christ.*

## **THIS WEEK – MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS**

Saturday	9th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention John Prendergast RIP
Sunday	10th	9.00am 11.00am	Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B	People of this parish Tony Victor Hyland
Monday	11th	9.30am <b>12 noon</b>	St Barnabas, Apostle <b>Funeral Service</b>	Patricia Locking RIP <b>Myrine E. Thompson</b>
Tuesday	12th	7.30pm		Margaret Woodhead
Wednesday	13th	9.30am	St Anthony of Padua	Joseph Castelino RIP
Thursday	14th	9.30am		Tom Ryan RIP
Friday	15th	9.30am		Fr Austin Shultz RIP
Saturday	16th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Santhan D'Souza RIP
Sunday	17th	9.00am 11.00am	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B	People of this parish James Williams RIP

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

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

Next Saturday 9.30-10.15am and 5.45-6.15pm

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**

1/2 hour Adoration after the weekday morning masses.  
First Friday Adoration: until 12 noon every month.

### **CHURCH CLEANING:** 9.00am every Tuesday

**FATHERS PRAYER GROUP:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 8pm.

### **ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEKEND**

Sunday Coffee: Volunteers  
Collection Counters: Fabian  
Flowers: Bozena and Martha

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

Ezekiel 17:22-24; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34

**Offertory Collection** last weekend: £711.13. Standing order: £635. Thank you.

**Boiler Appeal:** £3925.20. Thank you.

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

### THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

#### 200 Club Winner

03.06.2018      £25                      No. 15                      Sarah Tucker

#### Gift Aid

Your new envelopes should be used from last weekend. If you have not already done so, please collect your envelope boxes from the back of the church. If you contribute by standing order, please collect your envelopes for the special collections.

**You are invited to a Catholic Tour of London @svp.org.uk** with renowned Catholic historian, EWTN presenter and journalist, Joanna Bogle, on Thursday 14th June 2018. Meeting point – Westminster Cathedral at 1.45pm for a 2.00pm departure. There is no cost for the day but donations towards the tour will be collected. For more information on the optional dinner that evening please contact [youngvincentians@svp.org.uk](mailto:youngvincentians@svp.org.uk)

#### **A Day of Reflection for Men of the Parish on Saturday 30th June 2018: 10am to 4.30pm**

Venue: The Convent of the Sisters of St Andrew, Belmont Hill, Lewisham SE13 5DY

Theme: 'Challenges for the Christian Man in the 21st Century'.

There will be three thought-provoking main sessions throughout the day, interspersed with some fun activities. The Sisters will provide tea and coffee but have asked that we each bring a packed lunch on the day. A suggested donation of £25 per person would be greatly appreciated.

If you would like to attend or to find out more, then please contact Mike Sheridan by email at [sheridan\\_mk26bf@runbox.com](mailto:sheridan_mk26bf@runbox.com) or by phone on 020 8516 3171. On-site parking is available.

#### **Justice and Peace news**

##### **Message from the Jesuit Refugee Service**

Thank you so much to the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes Lee for your generous donation of toiletries collected during Lent. Your donation will make a real difference to the refugees we accompany, serve and advocate for. As a small organisation we rely on the generosity of individuals, parishes and religious communities to enable us to continue our work. Thanks to donations like yours, we are able to run a weekly Centre for about 200 destitute refugees each month providing hot meals and a warm welcome, as well as basic help, advice and toiletries. We know that the situation for refugees is likely to get tougher, so we are especially grateful for donations which will help us respond to this growing need.

Thank you again for your kindness and generosity and for your continued support.

With best wishes

*Megan Knowles*

*Communications and Development Manager*

**The annual Aylesford Summer Youth Day** - Saturday, 23rd June 2018, run by the Southwark Catholic Youth Service (SCYS), will take place at Aylesford Priory (nr. Maidstone), Kent from 10.00am – 8.00pm. The Youth Day is for young people aged 12 – 16 (school years 7-11). A coach to Aylesford will leave from outside Holy Cross parish hall (Culverley Rd) at 9:00am on Saturday, 23rd June - see below for further information. Please see the noticeboard for more details

**Second Collection:** this weekend for Catholic Trust for England and Wales

**Second Collection** next weekend for Day for Life

### **PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### **June**

Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	8.pm	Justice & peace meeting
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Baptism Preparation
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Baptism Preparation (one Godparent who is a practising Catholic to attend.)

### **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 (10½yrs -14½yrs)	Parish Hall	7.45pm-9.15pm
Explorer Scouts (14½yrs-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		