

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday
15th July 2018
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

Response to the Psalm:

Let us see, O Lord, your mercy, and give us your saving help.

Mystery of Faith:

Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

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, 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:

Hilda Woods, Sheila LaPorte,
Roydon Sutton, June O'Connell,
Peter Fielding, Mark Grindley,
Richard Shewin, Margaret Victoria
Locke, Emily Roche
*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	14th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Joseph Castelino RIP
Sunday	15th	9.00am 11.00am	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B	People of this parish Special family intention
Monday	16th	9.30am	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Austin Ikwi & Eugene O'Dea RIP
Tuesday	17th	7.30pm		Maureen O'Shea
Wednes- day	18th	9.30am		End of wars in the Middle East
Thursday	19th	9.30am		Aborted babies
Friday	20th	9.30am		Mary & Ellen Donovan
Saturday	21st	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Welfare of Eva Lee
Sunday	22nd	9.00am 11.00am	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B	People of this parish Special family intention

**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 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month at 8pm.

ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Sunday Coffee: Volunteers
Collection Counters: Fabian
Flowers: Jocelyn

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34

Offertory Collection last weekend: £843.15. Standing order: £150. Thank you.

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

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

200 Club Winner

01/07/2018 £25 No.11 Kathy Salmon

Chorus News

STOP PRESS CHORUS NEWS. The Summer Concert will now start at 2-30pm in the Church this Sunday and not 3pm as originally publicised. The change was decided upon in anticipation of England winning through to the World Cup Final. However, since England will not be playing on Sunday, many people will have a free afternoon in their diary and so can now come along to the concert instead. Please support the Chorus and bring along friends and family as we are raising funds on Sunday for Water Aid a hugely important charity. The programme is very varied and so should suit all musical tastes. The performance will last one hour and tea and cakes will be available afterwards in the Hall .

Justice and Peace

The foodbank were delighted to receive our latest donation. They were very well stocked at Christmas time but supplies are currently running a bit low. Please do keep your donations coming. They urgently require tinned meat, tomatoes and fruit. Breakfast cereals, toilet rolls and toothpaste. Please do check that things are not close to their sell by date.

Facts about Homelessness

Sleeping rough has serious consequences. On average, homeless people die at just 47 years old, compared to 81 years for the average UK citizen. A homeless rough sleeper is 35 times more likely to commit suicide than the average person. Homelessness begins when something bad happens and you don't have family or friends around to help. It can happen to anyone.

Day of Recollection for Special Ministers 6th October

The Annual Lewisham Deanery Day of Recollection for Special Ministers will take place at Good Shepherd Downham on Saturday 6th October from 10.00am -12.00, with Refreshments from 9.30am.

Special Ministers are reminded that when they renew their commitment at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday they promise to attend a Day of Recollection in the coming 12 months.

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers

Kindly let Kate or Mark know if you will be unavailable for any dates from 28th July to 7th October. (markhopper@gmail.com or [07598969205](tel:07598969205)) If they do not hear from you by 9th July, they will presume you are available for all dates.

Obituary

Sadly Mrs Carole McQuaker died on Tuesday 10th July. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by her family.

Parish Summer Walk on Saturday 21st July: meet in the car park at 11.00 am

PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

July

Saturday 21st 11.00am Parish summer walk

August

Tuesday 7th 8.00pm Justice & Peace Group
Wednesday 8th 7.30pm 1st Baptism Preparation
Wednesday 22nd 7.30pm 2nd 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