

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday
8th July 2018
FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

Response to the Psalm:

Our eyes are on the Lord till he shows us his mercy.

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:

Victor Segalini, Noel Harold Duff,
George Vassov, Derekne Patricia
Smith, Mary Ellen Whyte, Rose
Kathleen Lindsey, Lily Dillon, Vera
Liddlow, Elizabeth Maher
*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	7th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Joseph Castelino RIP
Sunday	8th	9.00am 11.00am	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time B	People of this parish Special family intention
Monday	9th	9.30am		Elizabeth Gilchrist
Tuesday	10th	7.30pm		In T/g for medics
Wednesday	11th	9.30am	St Benedict, Abbot	The deceased of the Doherty family
Thursday	12th	9.30am		Mariyathan RIP
Friday	13th	9.30am		T/g: Bridget & family
Saturday	14th	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Santhan D'Souza RIP
Sunday	15th	9.00am 11.00am	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 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: Peter
Flowers: Bozena

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Amos 7:12-15; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:7-13

Offertory Collection last weekend: £831.86. Standing order: £733. Thank you.

PARISH NEWS (Please see notice board for full details)

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

200 Club Winner

01/07/2018 £100 No.128 Adrian Toothe

The OLOL Chorus Summer Concert will be on Sunday 15th July at 3.00pm in the Church and will be raising funds for Water Aid. This charity has the aim of ensuring everyone, everywhere has access to clean water, decent toilets and understands good hygiene.

All the pieces being performed have a connection with the theme of Water and Drink and trace very varied musical styles from Elizabeth I to Elizabeth II and so include something for all tastes. The concert will itself be an "Oasis" of calm from the wall to wall sport that weekend. There is no admission charge but a collection will be taken for our chosen charity.

The performance will be followed at 4.00pm by afternoon tea style refreshments for which a donation would be welcome.

To find out more about Water Aid visit their website at - www.wateraid.org/uk/

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.

The Friends of St Winifreds Catholic Primary School would like to invite you to their Internationally themed Family Fun Day on Saturday 14th July from 12-3pm. £1 adults and 50p children. There will be a BBQ and buffet food, sweet treats, refreshments, entertainment for the kids. If you are feeling lucky, the Raffle is full of wonderful prizes including: dinner for two at Damascus Pop Up restaurant; bouncy castle hire; gambados play passes; £50 Boden voucher, London Zoo tickets, Pottery on the Parade voucher; Seven Wonders of the Weald and more.

The St Winifreds buffet and cake stalls are legendary and we are always looking for extra donations, so if you could bake us a cake/cookies/something sweet or offer something for the buffet, please let us know on stwinifredsfriendsse12@gmail.com

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.

Second Collection this weekend for the Apostleship of the Sea.

PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

July

Thursday 12th 7.30pm SVP meeting

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.)

September

Saturday 21st 11.00am Parish summer walk

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