

# Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday  
2<sup>nd</sup> June 2019

**SEVENTH SUNDAY OF  
EASTER – YEAR C**

**Response to the Psalm:**

*The Lord's king, most high above all the earth.*

**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, Felicity Goddard, Veronica Hurtswaite, Dominic Nutt, Rowena A, Pat Sullivan, Donald Terry, Josephine Terry, Shaun Wilkinson, Doreen Wood, Margaret Maloney, Merlyn Lee, Jackie McNamara, Christine Larkin, Margaret Mizen, Richard Cox, Eva Lee, Kathleen Dillon  
*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:**

Maire Kathleen McKay, William White, Mary Everett, Derry James Francis Trainor, Agnes France, Jean Petersn, David Holland, Christopher Gomez  
*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	1 <sup>st</sup>	9.00am 6.30pm	St Justin First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Deceased priests
Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00am 11.00am	Seventh Sunday of Easter, Year C	People of this Parish Kate Eardley RIP
Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30am	St Charles Lwanga and Companions	Thanksgiving by Ida and family
Tuesday	4 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm		Peace and healing
Wednesday	5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	St Boniface	Intentions: Joan & William Redgrave
Thursday	6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am		Persecuted and suffering
Friday	7 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am		In honour of the Holy Spirit
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	Priest's intention Bridget McGrath
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am 11.00am	Pentecost Sunday, Year C	Jim, Annie & Pat Meary People of this Parish

**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 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: Jim  
Flowers: Nuala

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:**

Acts 2: 1-11; First Corinthians 12: 3b-7, 12-1; John 20: 19-23

**Offertory Collection:** £810.64 Thank you.

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

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH**

**200 Club Winner**

26/05/2019    £25    No. 36                      Brian Coloe

**Chorus News**

Rehearsals every Monday at 8.00pm in the church.

**1st Communion Programme 2019 – Our Lady of Lourdes, Lee**

The next session will be on Saturday 8th June 2019 at 10:00am sharp, children to meet in the church and parents to meet in the hall. As noted on the original schedule this is a longer session and will finish at 11:30am, although we will try to finish earlier if possible. We will be covering Chapter 4: God's Word and final preparations for the 1st Communions and Mass of Celebration.

Teas & coffees will be available in the hall from 9:45am.

**Garden tidy-up**

Please come along on Saturday 8th June at 11 o'clock for our garden tidy up. The weeds are growing fast!

**Gift Aid**

If you are a UK taxpayer, the Parish can reclaim from the Inland Revenue 25p for every pound you donate. Please do consider joining the scheme if you have not already done so – further information is available in the attached sheet, or from the Gift Aid Co-ordinator Jillie Smithies. If you have already registered for the scheme please collect your envelopes from the back of the church. Envelopes for special collections are also there for those who donate by Bankers Order.

Please note that all donations (including Mass stipends) can be gift aided provided the donation is enclosed in an envelope with your gift aid number. If you make a donation by cheque, please ensure that it is made payable to the Parish account so that we can reclaim the tax on your donation.

**Missio Red Box Holders**

Your Missio promoter will be calling soon to collect your Red Box offerings for the summer collection. If they miss you or if it is more convenient, you can bring the contents of your box, in the envelope provided, to any Mass on the weekends of 1/2 June and 8/9 June where it will be collected. If you would like someone to call to collect your offerings please phone or text Mike on 07432 682322. Thank you for your continuing support of Missio through your prayers and generous contributions.

**The Gender Agenda: Wednesday June 12<sup>th</sup> 2019**

A conference of concern and interest to us all and of special interest to: Catholic teachers – clergy, catechists, youth workers, mission teams, representatives of Catholic groups and organisations. It will be held at St Mary Moorfields, Eldon Street London EC2M 7LS. 11.00am to 4.00pm.

Admission by ticket: £15 (includes lunch). Cheques to Association of Catholic Women, Flat 2, Salamander Court, 135 York Way London N7 9 LG.

Email: [acwconference@gmail.com](mailto:acwconference@gmail.com). More information is available on the website: [www.associationofcatholicwomen.org](http://www.associationofcatholicwomen.org)

**Kirkdale Sydenham Parish – Pentecost Programme:** See the noticeboard for more details.

**Second Collection:** This weekend for World Communications.

**PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**June**

Wednesday 12th	7.30pm	1st Baptism Preparation
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	2nd Baptism Preparation (one Godparent who is a practising Catholic to attend.)

**ALL UNIFORM SECTIONS - Meeting Times**

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**Tuesday Evenings during term time**

Beavers (6yrs-8yrs)	Upper Room	6.00pm-7.30pm
Cub Scouts (8yrs – 10½yrs)	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
Rangers (14yrs – 18yrs)		7.45pm-9.30pm
meet fortnightly		