

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday
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**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER -
YEAR A**

Response to the Psalm:

Show us, Lord, the path of life.

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, Felicity Goddard, Veronica Hurtswaite, Dominic Nutt, Rowena A, Pat Sullivan, Donald Terry, Josephine Terry, Shaun Wilkinson, Doreen Wood, Margaret Maloney, Merlyn Lee, Jackie McNamara, Margaret Mizen, Richard Cox, Kathleen Dillon, Josiane Guest, Phil McNamara, Patricia Holland, Louisa Brown

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 anniversaries fall about this time:

Sheila Buckingham, Agnes Mary Foreman, Julia Tallen, Jack Phillips, Minnie Kathleen Bell, Katherine Eakebread, Wallace George Rose, Monica Bowler, John Balfour Crawley, Lilian Cochisame.

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	25 th	10.00am	St Mark, Evangelist	Maureen O'Kelly RIP
Sunday	26 th	11.00am	Third Sunday of Easter – Year A	Intentions: Joan & William Redgrave
Monday	27 th	10.00am		Living victims of Covid-19
Tuesday	28 th	10.00am		Families of Covid-19 victims
Wednesday	29 th	10.00am	St Catherine of Siena	Nations Suffering from Covid-19
Thursday	30 th	10.00am		Pope Francis & all religious
Friday	1 st	10.00am	St Joseph the Worker	People of Great Britain
Saturday	2 nd	10.00am	St Athanasius	Boris Johnson & his Cabinet
Sunday	3 rd	11.00am	Fourth Sunday of Easter – Year A	For Medics

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Every Sunday, during term time, at 9.00am Mass

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Acts 2:14, 36-41; Peter 2:20-25; John 10:1-10

Offertory Collection:

Thank you.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

200 Club Winner

19/04/2020 £25 No. 20 Mary Prendergast

RCIA Journey to Easter

Pray for our 6 RCIA Catechumens who completed their 5 month programme of preparation but were unable to be Baptised, Confirmed and receive the Eucharist at the Easter Vigil as planned. The RCIA programme will continue after Easter as usual up until Pentecost.

Missio Red Box Collections 2019

A very big thank you to our parish Missio Red Box promoters and Red Box holders. The total amount collected for 2019 was an amazing £2,052.40. Add to this £155 from Red Box holders who registered for gift aid which brings our total to £2207.40. Our Missio supporters are enormously generous in their prayers and contributions in helping support the very important work of Missio where the Church is young and where there is great need of financial support. Please remember in your prayers all those who continue to live and work with the communities in need at this particular time, and those in the communities who benefit from their work and presence. We pray the Lord will continue to bless them and keep them safe.

Sunday Offering

If you would like to give your Sunday offering kindly put it in an envelope and drop it through the Presbytery letter box or make a transfer to Our Lady of Lourdes account: **34273786 Sort code 602327. Thank you.**

Prayer for the Year of the Word: The God who Speaks

All: **Living God, you walk alongside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures. Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another. Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world.**

Amen

Priest: *Your word is our path and your truth our light.*

All: **This day and every day**
