

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday
14th JUNE 2020

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND
BLOOD OF CHRIST - YEAR A**

Response to the Psalm:
O praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

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, 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:

Arthur Edward Thraves, Lesley Mifflin, Edward Samuels, Cathie Shaw, Willian (Bill) Verrall, James Williams, Edward Kenevane, Patricia Rigney, Nora Highland, Evelyn Beatrice Stanton, Joseph Power, Edward Taplin
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	13 th	10.00am		Holy Souls
Sunday	14 th	11.00am	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	People of this Parish
Monday	15 th	10.00am		Mary Wright RIP
Tuesday	16 th	10.00am		Bridget & Timothy McCarthy RIP
Wednesday	17 th	10.00am		Cathal Whelan RIP
Thursday	18 th	10.00am		Julia & Patrick McCarthy RIP
Friday	19 th	10.00am	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	Peace healing and conversion
Saturday	20 th	10.00am	The Immaculate Heart of Mary	Seamus Sheridan RIP
Sunday	21 st	11.00am	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A	Welfare of Kate Cullen

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:

Jeremiah 20:10-13; Romans 5:12-15; Matthew 10:26-33

Offertory Collection:

Thank you.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

200 Club Winner

07/06/2020 £25 No. 36 Denise Seudieu

Justice and Peace news

The Foodbank is busier than ever, not least because newly unemployed people are having to wait too long for benefits. We are currently unable to do our regular collections and deliveries, whilst the church remains closed. If you would still like to donate you can do this easily via their website <https://lewisham.foodbank.org.uk>

A very simple way is to text lewishamfood5 to 70085. This will cost you £5 plus your standard rate message charge. You can donate any whole amount up to £20

Reopening our church

Please make sure you read the very important Pastor Letter from Archbishop John to us all which you will find in full on the Parish Website at

[https://olol-lee.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Pastoral Letter Concerning the Reopening of Churches for Individual Prayer 11 June 2020.pdf](https://olol-lee.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Pastoral%20Letter%20Concerning%20the%20Reopening%20of%20Churches%20for%20Individual%20Prayer%2011%20June%202020.pdf)

We are seeking volunteers to act as stewards or possibly cleaners to enable the church to open for private prayer, initially on Saturday mornings. Thus far we have only received a few offers to help and certainly not sufficient to enable us to open the church. Sadly, many of our parishioners who are faithful in their service are in the more vulnerable categories and so not able to step up on this occasion. However, we really do ask that if you are member of our parish family who does not fall in the vulnerable category, please do consider very seriously in the next few days how you could help. Please reply to our email lee@rcaos.org.uk to let us know.

It is a stark fact that unless we have a good response for help by next week we do not see how we will be able to open the church any time soon. We pray this will not be the case.

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
