

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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Parish Newsletter for Sunday
11th OCTOBER 2020
TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME -
YEAR A

Response to the Psalm:

In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever.

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, Phil McNamara, Patricia Holland, Louisa Brown, Teresa De Acosta

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:

Elmo Arnolda, Edward Shanahan, Margaret Huggett, Margarey Sullivan, Hugh O'Connor, Charles Philip, George Walter, Michael O'Sullivan, Elizabeth Burrows
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

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday Masses are Private

Saturday	10 th	6.00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Danny Duggan RIP
Sunday	11 th	10.00am	Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A	Wellbeing: Marie Elizabeth Guye
Monday	12 th	10.00am		End to Covid-19
Tuesday	13 th	10.00am	St Edward the Confessor	Noel Moran & deceased of his family
Wednesday	14 th	7.00pm		Wellbeing: Fr Emeka & all parish volunteers
Thursday	15 th	10.00am	St Teresa of Jesus	James Redgrave RIP
Friday	16 th	10.00am		
Saturday	17 th	6.00pm	St Ignatius of Antioch First Mass of Sunday	People of this Parish
Sunday	18 th	10.00am	Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A	James, Michael & the deceased of McCormack family

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

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.

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

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Isaiah 45:1. 4-6; Thessalonians 1:1-5; Matthew 22:15-21

Offertory Collection:

Thank you

200 Club Winner

04/10/2020 £100 No. 22 Mandy Pywell

Holy Mass Attendance

The latest guidance from the government has allowed the continuation of collective worship – for the time being. To ensure the churches do not become major infection hot spots as overall numbers rise it is even more critical that we all follow these basic regulations. Also, some parishioners have been concerned at the slip in compliance that comes with regular attendance.

The wearing of a face mask that covers both nose and mouth at ALL times is now mandatory in places of worship. If you have a health exemption it would be helpful if you could bring some form of verification.

If you are the first person or family occupying a pew you should sit in the middle of the pew to allow either end to be filled later. This avoids the need to squeeze past other parishioners.

As always, Sunday mass always has the highest and limit challenging attendance so instead please consider the other masses on Saturday evening at 6.00pm and Wednesday at 7.00pm.

Of course, we continue to extend thanks to all the volunteers making the celebration of the Eucharist possible. Do remember that we can never have too many volunteers so if you have some time to spare please let us know and we can include you in the rota. The greater the number of volunteers, the less frequently you will be asked to serve!!

200 Draw 2020/21

The 200 Draw for 2020/21 begins on 11th October so do not miss the chance to win amazing prizes; join up NOW. Thank you to everyone for your participation in previous years. This has been one of our parish fundraisers for many years and it would be great if we can continue to give the profit raised this year to our parish particularly now as the parish has suffered a large drop in its regular income. Each number costs £15 for the year and you can have as many numbers as you wish. Every week there is a prize of £25 except for 4 times a year when the prize is £100. If we sell 200 numbers, our parish will receive a profit of £1,400 with £1,600 going to members in prizes. If you would like to join and have friends and family interested in joining as well, forms are available from Fr Emeka by emailing lee@rcaos.org.uk or Linda Carton llcarton36@gmail.com. Payments can be made by cash or cheque returned to the church, or by bank transfer (the details are on the application form).

SVP Quiz Night

The online quiz will be **on 17th October** with the help of the regular quiz masters, Tony and Tess. As we mentioned last week, **you now need to register your team to secure your Zoom invitation.** Places are filling up fast and so do not delay any longer to register. To do this, simply follow the link below and complete the registration form and submit. Within a few days the team co-ordinator will receive an email explaining how to pay and also what will happen next. bit.ly/svp-quiz-signup

The quiz will be run on trust that no one Googles the answers and does not cheat when self-marking answer sheets. On that understanding, there will be a prize for the winning team.

Uniform Sections

We are still working on the final plans for reopening the uniform groups but as we mentioned last week, we will need more helpers for this to work. Whether you are a parent or not but able to help with any of the uniformed sections, Guiding or Scouting please contact Mandy on 1stleesouthguides@gmail.com

Second Collection

This Weekend - for Home Mission, World Communications and Day for Life. Kindly support as your means allow.

Second Collection Next weekend for Missio

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**