

THE PARISH OF ST TERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS, ROCHFORD & ST PIUS X HOCKLEY

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32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We Catholics are thankful to God the Father for his infinite love that reminds us to be wise in the management of our spiritual lives. We are thankful for the Body of Christ, the Holy Church, where we can find spiritual support from our brothers and sisters so we may all persevere until the end in our spiritual journey as pilgrims. We are thankful for today's message that awakens our awareness to our human weaknesses so we may spiritually mature in Christ to answer our call to become as shining lights in the world. May the grace of God be with all of you this week.

With every blessing

Fr Gerry

FIREWORK DISPLAY

SAT. 5TH NOV. 6.30pm

at St Teresa's (straight after Mass)

Entrance = one decent firework per

family 😊

Licensed Bar, Hot dogs, homemade soup, jacket pots & chilli available!

demonstrating **Christmas Cocktails and Festive Entertaining**, come along and learn a new culinary skill to wow your guests this Christmas. If you were wondering, yes, we will be tasting her creations too (non-alcoholic versions also available). Members £1, non-members £2 - warm welcome guaranteed!!! For further information please ring Sally 541880 (after 6pm please) or Tracey 202267."

Baby & Toddler Group



Baby & Toddler Group meets every Wednesday 9.30am -12 noon during term time. Why not come

along for a coffee and a **chat?**



HEALING MASS at Abbotswick on Wednesday, 9th November at 2.30pm celebrated by Fr Eamonn Power. For further information or travel

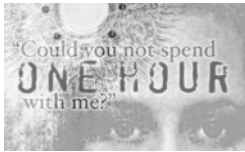
directions visit www.abbotswick.org or call 01277 373959.



The Legion of Mary: working and praying for the Kingdom of God in our Parish. All welcome to the 5.30pm meeting on Mondays in the Parish Centre.

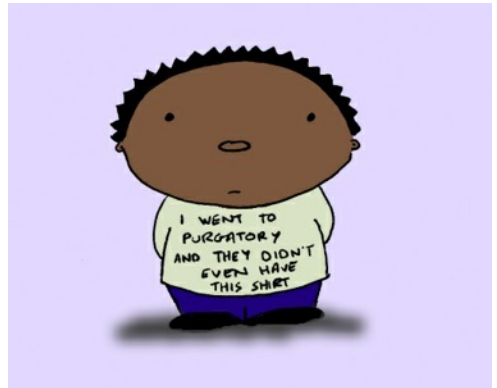


The next **GAL's (Girls & Ladies)** meeting takes place on Monday 7th November 7.30 - 9.30 pm in the Parish Centre at St Teresa's. Our very own Alain Fern will be



Holy Hour with Tea and Biscuits. From 2.00 to 3.15 at St Teresa's Church every Thursday during term time. A

great opportunity for parents of school children to drop in for a chat and spend a few minutes in prayer as they wait for their children to come out of school. Father Gerry will of course be there as well.



IRISH NIGHT

SAT. 12TH NOV. 7.30pm onwards
at St. T's Parish Centre

Live Band: TAILORS TWIST plus
Irish Dancers

Tickets £5 adults / £2 kids (£12 per family)

Licensed Bar & raffle

You don't have to be Irish to come along!!

Mass as it affects the giving of communion, and sharing experiences of our ministry. Please make every effort to come along.



Christmas Bazaar

St Teresa's Primary School are holding their Christmas Bazaar on Saturday 19th November from 1 pm - 5 pm
Come along and visit

Santa's Grotto, and lots of stalls such as Tombola's, Arts and Crafts, Raffle, Roll a Tenpence, Pick a Lolly, Refreshments,



New Translation of the Mass next session Tuesday 15th November at 7.30pm in St Teresa's.

Refreshments provided. Just come along!

CAFOD just one world CAFOD afternoon on Saturday 19th November from 2.30pm to 5.30pm at St. George's Shoeburyness. Find out things you didn't know about CAFOD, meet the CAFOD Brentwood team and volunteers. Enjoy a relaxed and informative afternoon and please bring your friends too. Contact us on brentwood@cafod.org.uk or 0208 502 9722 and let us know if you can come. We look forward to seeing you.



Eucharistic Ministers' Meeting for ALL Eucharistic ministers Wednesday 16th November 8 - 9.30pm in St Teresa's Church. We

will be looking at the New Translation of the



St Bernard's Open Evening for Prospective Sixth Form

The Parish of St Teresa of
The Child Jesus, Rochford

& St Pius X Hackley



Cuppa & Comfort

Bereavement Care Group

The group aims to give a place and time for friendship, support and encouragement to anyone experiencing loss or bereavement.

We meet on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 3.30pm in St Teresa's church porch. Please come and join us for a cuppa, cake and comfort. The church is open for quiet prayer or contemplation. One-to-one support is also available.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Matthew 5:4

If you would like further information call:

Father Gerry	07919 416 283
Pat Doman	07930 753 342
Ann Marie King	01702 200784
Paddy Lester	01702 203773

Wednesday 23rd November 2011, 7.00 to 9.00 pm:

We shall be very pleased to welcome students currently in Year 11, to our Open Evening for Prospective Year 12s. During the evening there will be the opportunity to tour the school visiting the various departments and to speak to staff and current students.



There will also be an address by Mrs Barron, Head Teacher and staff available to give advice on Higher Education

opportunities and student finance. If you have any queries, please call the school on 01702 343583.

Two new opportunities for Young People - Are you in school year 7 to 9? Want a chance to visit/revisit Walsingham House, the Diocesan Youth Retreat Centre in Canvey Island. Then we have the weekend for you! Beginning at 8pm on Friday 25th November and finishing at 3pm on Sunday 27th November. This retreat will give you a chance to prepare well for Christmas, offer the opportunity to make new friends and spend time enjoying many activities and prayer time with the Walsingham House Team. The cost for the weekend is £55 and for application forms or queries you should email jon@walsinghamhouse.org or call 01268 515970.

Notices



The Parish Safeguarding Officer for Children & Vulnerable Adults is Mr Richard Grimes. Tel:

07799 677600.



V A C A N C Y : PRINCIPAL - ST B E N E D I C T ' S CATHOLIC COLLEGE COLCHESTER

The Governors of this popular and successful Catholic

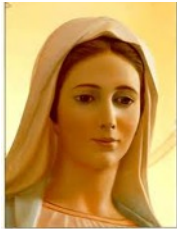
College are looking to appoint a dynamic and visionary Principal to lead this potentially outstanding school as it faces the challenges ahead. For informal enquiries, to obtain an application pack or to arrange a

1ST COLLECTION FOR 23RD OCT WAS
£1045.20

OUR PARISH COSTS £1620 PER WEEK
TO RUN.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED
GENEROSITY.

visit to the college, please contact: Mrs Mary Moriarty on 01206 514910 / moriarty.benedicts@gmail.com. The closing date for completed applications is Tuesday 22nd November 2011.



Would You Like to do Something Beautiful for Our Blessed Lady ?

Would you like to deepen your spirituality, while helping Fr. Gerry and the wider community of our parish? Do you have a few hours to spare each week? If you can answer 'yes' then maybe the Legion of Mary is for you. The object of the Legion is the glory of God through Mary and the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active work designated by the parish priest (includes visiting sick and housebound). For more information please speak to Fr. Gerry or one of the Legion members, who currently meet Mondays in the Parish Centre at 5.30 pm.



Don't forget we are still collecting **foreign coins and notes**, if you have been away on holiday and have left-over currency. The jar for your contributions is at the back of church.



Father Gerry's daughter, **Jemima Drummond** is available for **babysitting**. For further information please call 07957 330489.



MISSIO BOXES – there are a number of empty Mission boxes at the back of the church feeling rather homesick!

☹ Please do remember to pick up your emptied boxes so that you can start filling them up again for this very good cause. If you don't have a box and would like one contact Tracey: 202267 tracey@greengages.com Thank you!

November Dead envelopes are still available at the back of church for your offerings and names for those who have died. These will be remembered throughout the month of November at every Mass.



THANKS TO FACEBOOK WE'VE HAD TO
TRIPLE THE SQUARE FOOTAGE IN PURGATORY.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

SUNDAY: The Sick: Betty McCarthy, Sidney Bull, Kate Morpew's twins, Craig Perryman, Sid Williamson, Emily Rose Gough, Elizabeth McManamon, Jeanette Oatley, Ruby Evans, John Colvill, The people of the Middle East and especially our Christian brothers and sisters.

MONDAY: The Sick: Philomma Antony, Christopher Carr, Sarah Knight. Audrey Northfield, Siobhan Taylor, Terry Alexander, Alex Brennan, Joanne Lloyd, Mary Stacey, David Squires, Ellie-Mae Robinson. Those who live in Central Avenue, Gardeners Lane, and Holt Farm Way .

TUESDAY: The Sick: Diana Lambourne, Edward Cunado, Betty Allen, Dee Fage, Vicky Fage, Joseph Merceica, Lisa Hughes, Constance Longman. The people of St. Thomas of Canterbury Hullbridge CofE and their minister, Rev'd Harvey Reed.

WEDNESDAY: The Sick: Felicity Rowe, Delia Cheek, William McArthur, Collette Hague, Margaret Hennessy, Sarah Fisher, Ciaran Freel, Angele De Can, Marjorie Jay, Cassie

Thompson, Michael King, Paul Clarke, Ken Cropley, Louise Knight, Ann Moore, Mark Reilly. The Queen and her ministers, that the may govern us wisely.

THURSDAY: The Sick: Gail Airey, Antoinette Cane, John Quinn, Joyce Hall, Len Smith, Mary Plews, Dexter Jackson, James Robinson, Sianne Robinson, Claire Dean, Samantha Robinson. Deacon Duncan Whitehouse, Fr John King. Those selecting the new bishop, for the needs of the diocese a wise appointment to the See of Brentwood.

FRIDAY: The recently departed: Tania Bartlett, John & Doreen Steward. The Departed: Michael Canty, Denis Caudy, Tom Murphy, Yvonne Robinson, John Baker, Rebecca Bourne, Alice Connor, Reg Twitchett, Olga Courmes, Thomas Moss, and the Holy Souls who have none to pray for them.

SATURDAY: The Sick: Alan Gunn, Aaron Hobbs (wounded in combat), Tony Micallef, Ross Giza, Oliver Kelly, Drummond & Helen Clapp, Chris Sheehan, Jim Bourne, Shirley Kennenson, Gareth Lewis, Bartly Igoe, Dexter Govia. Ourselves and our own needs. The Pope's intentions.



The Faith Store

3, Roche Close, Rochford (opposite the Co op)

OPEN MONDAY - SATURDAY

10 til 4

Our parish shop is run entirely by volunteers and 100% profit made goes straight to the church for much needed funding. We always welcome your donations of clothes, toys, books, CDs, DVDs, bric-a-brac etc.

Donation pick up is available ~ call Tracey on 202267

Many thanks for your continued support

The Parish Prayer

*Heavenly Father, send out your light and your truth.
 Open our eyes to the opportunities you give us;
 Open our ears to hear your call; Open our hearts to your love,
 That we may serve you And bring others to your light,
 Through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.*



St John Lateran is the oldest of the four Papal Basilicas or major basilicas of Rome. It claims the title of ecumenical mother church among Catholics. The current archpriest of St. John Lateran is Agostino Vallini, Cardinal Vicar General for the Diocese of Rome. The President of the French Republic, currently Nicolas Sarkozy, is ex officio the "first and only honorary canon" of the basilica, a title inherited from the Kings of France, who have held it since Henry IV.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Confessions: Saturdays 10.30-11am St Pius X, 5.00-5.30pm St Teresa's or by appointment

Sat	5	5.30pm	Thirty second Sunday in Ordinary Time	The People of the Parish	
Sun	6	9.00am St Pius X		Tom Fleetwood	CB
		10.30am St Pius X			
		10.30am		Deceased members of the Legion of Mary	OLR P
Mon	7	7.30pm		Deceased members of the Legion of Mary	OLR P
Tues	8	9.20am			
Weds	9	9.20am	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica		
Thurs	10	10.00am St Pius X	S Leo the Great, P, D	Michelle Duncan RIP	AM
Fri	11	9.30am St Pius X	S Martin of Tours, B		
Sat	12	9.30am	S Josaphat, B, M		
		5.30pm	Thirty third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Carmela Parisio & Lilian Trinder RIP	JT
Sun	13	9.00am St Pius X		The People of the Parish	
		10.30am St Pius X			
		10.30am		Those who have given their lives in battle	