

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

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## 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEK OF THE YEAR

*Today's Gospel tells of two people coming to Jesus for healing. We too need healing, every one of us:: from our selfishness, our pride, our sin, our fear. With humility and with faith let us all approach the throne of grace, and ask the Lord to heal us. He will not let us down – how could the Lord who bought us with the price of his own blood?*

*With every blessing for the coming week*

*Fr Gerry*



5.00pm meeting on Mondays in the St Teresa's Church Narthex.



The GALS Annual Mass of Thanksgiving takes place on

Monday 2nd July at 7.30 pm at St Teresa's Church, followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre. We warmly invite the whole parish (yes, men too) to share in our thanksgiving Mass, then join us for a cuppa, a biscuit and a chance to catch up with friends old and new before our summer break - no fee, we look forward to seeing you!



**The Legion of Mary:** working and praying for the Kingdom of God in our Parish. All welcome to the



**HEALING EVENING:** at St. Joseph's Church, Champion Road, Upminster on Tuesday 3 July with Fr. Angelus and team 8 pm ..



Our Pastoral Assistant, Val Hawes, has now served our parish faithfully for three years, and I want to thank her personally for her dedication and faithfulness in all that

she has done for us. On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30, Val will be re-commissioned by the Bishop at Brentwood Cathedral. Tickets are VERY limited for this service, so if you would like to come along and support her, please see Fr Gerry after Mass.

an orchestra member or please call or text Phil on 07922 554343.



Next weekend is Sea Sunday. Please remember the hard and lonely work of seafarers, a large majority of whom are Catholic, in your prayers, and be ready with a generous offering for the work of the Apostleship of the Sea. This one Sunday a year collection is the only income the Apostleship receives.



St. Teresa's Primary School Summer Fete is being held on Saturday 7 July 2012 from 12pm - 4 pm - Refreshments,

Bouncy Castles, Childrens Stalls, BBQ, Arena Events, Grand Draw Raffle, Coconut Shy - come along and enjoy the fun and games, look forward to seeing you there. Admission 50p adult - children free.



Good luck to our Scout Group taking part in the District Hike and Camp next weekend, and those on the District Survival Competition!



The Deanery Orchestra presents Music for a Summer Evening.

Popular and classical music and the wonderful vocals of Hannah Prince Saturday July 7th at 7.30pm in The New Mazenod Hall St.Peter's RC Church, Eastwood Road North, Eastwood, SS9 4BX Tickets £7.00 (£3.00 for 16 and under). Please bring and enjoy your own Food & Drink For ticket reservations, contact



A Special Mass being held for and by the Youth of our area on Sunday, 8 July 2012 at Our Lady and St. Helen's, Milton Road, Westcliff-on-Sea 6pm Mass Followed by a Social Afterwards. For more info call

Gabriella on 07977779306



The Parish Parochial Council meets on Tuesday 10th 8.00pm. In the Narthex at St Teresa's.

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 07819 418 283

Pat Dorman 07890 753 342

Ann Marie King 01702 200784

Paddy Lester 01702 203773

### St Bernard's Open Evening for Year 5 Students (Prospective Year 7 in 2013)

Wednesday 11th July 2012 6.00pm to 9.00pm. We shall be delighted to welcome to our Open Evening Year 5 girls, together with their parents / carers, who are interested in joining St Bernard's High School's Year 7 in September 2013. St Bernard's High School offers selective places based on success in the CSSE selective tests and non-selective places based on Faith based admissions criteria. (Please see school website for full details.) 'In lessons, students typically learn well and make good progress. Their attitudes are excellent and they work well with each other, respecting their opinions and views', OfSTED2012. 'The

gifted, able and talented programme provides challenging enrichment across all year groups and is acknowledged by the NACE Award', OfSTED2012.

**ST. THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL - OPEN EVENINGS, THURSDAY, 12th JULY AND THURSDAY 18th OCTOBER 2012, 6.00P.M. TO 9.00P.M.** - FOR FAMILIES WHO HAVE A SON DUE TO TRANSFER TO SECONDARY SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2013 - COME AND SEE THE SCHOOL, MEET THE STAFF AND PUPILS. THE ACTING HEAD TEACHERS TALK WILL BEGIN AT 7.30PM PROSPECTIVE SIXTH FORM STUDENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2013 ARE ALSO WELCOME, ALTHOUGH THERE WILL BE AN OPEN EVENING FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY IN YEAR 11 ON THURSDAY 22ND NOVEMBER 2012. PARENTS OF BOYS ATTENDING NON-CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS WHO WISH TO APPLY TO ST. THOMAS MORE SCHOOL FOR A PLACE IN SEPTEMBER 2013 SHOULD COMPLETE THE LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITY APPLICATION FORM AND FILL IN THE SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FORM (SIF) THAT CAN BE COLLECTED AT THE OPEN EVENING. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO COME TO THE OPEN EVENING, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL IN ORDER TO GET THE SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FORM. THE FORM CAN ALSO BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE SCHOOL WEB SITE:- [WWW.ST-THOMASMORE.SOUTHEND.SCH.UK](http://WWW.ST-THOMASMORE.SOUTHEND.SCH.UK)



Grandparent Pilgrimages - 2012, to Aylesford Priory, Saturday 14th July and Walsingham Sunday 22nd July. A full day of Faith and Fun for Grandparents and Grandchildren (and of course Mums

and Dads!). Full programme of events for all. Bring your own picnic lunch. For more details contact Phil Butcher tel. 01277265252 or e-mail familylife@dioceseofbrentwood.org



**LEGION OF MARY SUMMER OUTING**

This year members are visiting private gardens in Rayleigh on Sunday afternoon, 22nd July, from 2.00 pm. We will be joined by our friends from Rayleigh Legion. All parishioners are most welcome to come along. Adults £5.00/Children Free,

this will include tea and cakes. Contact Gerald on 207234 or Clare on 200353 for more information.



The John Paul II Walk to Walsingham, for the New Evangelisation of our country.

Starts with open-air Mass at Bury St Edmunds - in the ruins of the old Abbey - on Thursday Aug 9th. Walking to Walsingham from there - a three-day pilgrimage. Bring a sleeping-bag. Meals and accomodation provided. Cost: £55. more info and booking sister.hyacinthe@gmail.com. This Walking Pilgrimage began as a tribute to the great

John Paul a few years ago, organised by the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph, and has grown and flourished since then - this year it is also being supported by the new Ordinarate of Our Lady of Walsingham. Day-pilgrims warmly welcomed for the open-air Mass at Bury St Edmunds. For this, there is no need to book - just turn up!

**Notices**



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

Tel: 07799 677600.

**Advanced notice: please mark your diaries: Saturday 29th September 2012: Parish retreat to Abbotswick, nr Ongar, to mark the start of the Year of Faith.**

Have you listened to Heart Gives Unto Heart Catholic Digital Radio CIC? [www.hguh.co.uk](http://www.hguh.co.uk) [hguh.info@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:hguh.info@yahoo.co.uk)



We are still collecting foreign coins and notes, The jar for your contributions is at the back of church.



London to Brighton Cycle Ride for BCCS!

*OFFERTORY GIVING*

1ST COLLECTION FOR 24TH JUNE WAS £925.19

THE COLLECTION FOR WORLD COMMUNICATIONS WAS £46

OUR PARISH COSTS £1620 PER WEEK TO RUN.

Brentwood Catholic Children's Society are looking for people to take part in the London to Brighton Cycle on Sunday 16th September. With just a small registration fee and raising a minimum sponsorship of £100 you could help support the work of bccs. For further details or an information pack please contact Julie Abbott 01268 784544/ jabbott@bccs.org.uk or visit the website www.bccs.org.uk



**THE JOSHUA CAMP** is the Catholic Church's first e v e r Olympic-related 'Mini

World Youth Day' experience for Catholics aged 18 and over. This indoor camp runs from 01 to 13 August at St Bonaventure's School, London E7 9QD, a 20-minute walk from the Olympic Park. Participants can be resident or not and can attend for 8 or 13 days. Come and engage in the Olympic party in a vibrant, sacramental setting. Training and formation is offered to participants as they go out and serve the Games alongside others from across the globe. With packages costing between £60 for 8 days non-residential to £193 for 13 days full board there is something on offer for everyone. Come and be where the party is happening! Further info: karen@sioncommunity.org.uk & 01277 215011.

*PLEASE REMEMBER  
IN YOUR PRAYERS*

The safe return of Natasha and Phoenix.  
*SUNDAY:* The Sick: Tom Cullen, Sidney Barker, Mary Smith, Ann Shrimplin, Del Williams, Baby Leah, Derek Steward, Fr Andrew Dorricott, Mike Cross, Craig Perryman, Sid Williamson, John Colvill, The people of the Middle East and especially our Christian brothers and sisters.

*MONDAY:* The Sick: Joe Mulaney, Maria Santana Rodrigues, Ann Whines, Colin Burwell, Philomma Antony, Emily Rose Gough, Christopher Carr, Sarah Knight, Mary Stacey, David Squires, Ellie-Mae Robinson. Those who live in Somerset Avenue, Townfield Road, Sunny Road, and Welbeck Close.

*TUESDAY:* The Sick: Margaret Lench, Ellen Gander, Maureen Savage, Edward Cunado, Betty Allen, Dee Fage, Vicky Fage, Joseph Merceica, Lisa Hughes, Elizabeth McManamon, Constance Longman. The people of St Nicholas Canewdon, St Andrew Ashingdon with All Saints South Farnbridge. And the Revd Timothy F Clay their vicar.

*WEDNESDAY:* The Sick: Ethan Adlum, Delia Cheek, William McArthur, Collette Hague, Margaret Hennessy, Sarah Fisher, Ciaran Freely, 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: Terry Alexander, Joanne Lloyd, Gail Airey, John Quinn, Joyce Hall, Len Smith, Mary Plews, Dexter Jackson, James Robinson, Sianne Robinson, Claire Dean, Samantha Robinson. Those selecting the new Bishop of Brentwood.

*FRIDAY:* The Departed; Baby Challis, Michael Jackson, Sister Mary Francis, Paul Wallaker, Jules Lincoln, Alf Aldridge, Derek Hollier and all the Holy Souls who have none to pray for them.

*SATURDAY:* The Sick: Alan Gunn, Aaron Hobbs (wounded in combat), Anthony 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.

# MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

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

Sat	30	5.30pm	Thirteenth Sunday of the Year	The People of the Parish	
Sun	1	9.00am St Pius X		Ints Joe Mulaney	B M
		10.30am		Fr Robert Mortimer-Anderson RIP	JH
Mon	2	7.30pm		GALs Annual Mass	
Tues	3	9.20am	St Thomas, Apostle	Fr Gerry & Sarah on their 20th Wedding Anniversary	GD
Weds	4	9.20am	St Elizabeth of Portugal	Gerard & Ruth Leahy RIP	GL
Thurs	5	9.00am St Pius X	St Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Pr	Ints Tom Cullen	E & AS
Fri	6	9.00am St Pius X	St Maria Goretti, V,M		
Sat	7	9.30am		Fr Robert Mortimer-Anderson RIP	GD
		5.30pm	Fourteenth Sunday of the Year	May & William Catling RIP	M G
Sun	8	9.00am St Pius X		The People of the Parish	
		10.30am		Ints Molly Buggy	

## *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.*