

**ST TERESA ROCHFORD &
ST PIUS X HOCKLEY**

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**Second Sunday of Easter
Divine Mercy Sunday**



My dear people,
A huge thank you to everyone for
your cards, prayers, gifts and
generous offerings this Easter.
Please be assured of our
continued prayers always.
Wishing you all every blessing.
Fr Gerry

A very warm welcome to you all,
especially those who are visiting our
parish. If you have any questions
about our liturgical life and the
many wonderful parish groups we
have please do ask.

Our week at a glance

Monday 29th April

2-4pm - Wellspring Tearoom Open

Tuesday 30th April

2 - 4pm - Wellspring Tearoom open

4 - 5pm - Meeting for First Holy
Communion children

7.10pm - Evening Prayer

7.30pm - Mass followed by the
Crowning of Our Lady

8pm - Parish Party Planning

Meeting in the narthex

Wednesday 1st May

9.10 am - Morning Prayer

9.30am - Mass

10.30 am - Legion of Mary

2 - 4pm - Wellspring Tearoom open

Thursday 2nd May

9.10am - Morning Prayer

9.30am - Mass

10am - Adoration for Children

2-4pm - Wellspring Tearoom open

7pm - Prayer & Fellowship Group
meet in the Narthex

Friday 3rd May

9.10 - Morning Prayer

9.30am - Mass

10 - 3.15 - Wellspring Tearoom

3.30 - 4.30pm - Adoration

Saturday 2nd May

The annual Edel Quinn Pilgrimage
to Aylesford Priory.



As Catholics, one of the most profound ways we encounter Jesus

Christ is in the Sacraments.

Baptism - If you are thinking about preparing your child/children for Baptism please speak to Fr Gerry after Mass.

RCIA - During the Easter Vigil our dear Sister in Christ, **Ruth** was received into the Catholic Church. Please do keep Ruth in your prayers.

First Holy Communion -

Our next meeting for children is this Tuesday at 4pm. Please continue to keep : **Serge, Jack, Zakary, Victoria, Isla, Ruby, Ellen, George, James, Ethan, Jessica, Rejoice, Harrison, Sienna, Max, Betsy, Francisco** all our children in your prayers.

Confirmation -

Our next meeting is this Sunday after 10.30am Mass.

Please remember in your prayers: **Noah, Dominic, Aidan, John, Sophia, Joseph, Anthony, Oliver & Robert** .

Do you know someone that would like to come to Mass but cannot get there?

We would love to hear from you.

Please drop an email to

frgerryd@gmail.com. Thank you

How we Serve in the name of Jesus

The Legion of Mary is here to serve our parish beneath the standard of Our Lady's loving care. Meetings are held at **10.30 am on Wednesdays in the narthex of St Teresa's Church.**

New members welcome.

Quote from The Legion of Mary:

"Prepare for great battles. Know that you are now on a great stage where all heaven and earth are watching you. Fight like a knight, so that I can reward you. Do not be unduly fearful, because you are not alone." - Taken from: *The Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska: Divine Mercy in My Soul.*

St Vincent de Paul Society - Turning concern into action

If you can help in any way please call **David Whines on 01702 205269.** This SVP is based at Our Lady of Ransom, Rayleigh.

Notices

MAY'S ROSARY BRUNCH:

Due to the *Annual Edel Quinn Pilgrimage to Aylesford* with the Legion of Mary - we shall not be meeting for Rosary followed by breakfast this month. Why not sign up for the Pilgrimage instead?

Everyone welcome! Contact Gerald or Tracey asap please ...

Legion of Mary

The annual Edel Quinn Pilgrimage to Aylesford Priory takes place on Saturday 4th May.

All members and auxiliaries are welcome along with parishioners. There is a coach leaving St. Peters Eastwood at 9.15 am Cost £15. Mass is at Noon, followed by lunch, (bring own packed lunch) followed by

Rosary Way and Benediction. Return around 5.30 pm.

For more information contact **Gerald 207234**

Parish Summer Party Planning Meeting



Our Parish Party will be held on Sunday 23rd June and it is time to start planning this fun family event.

Please come along on **this Tuesday at 8pm** and share your ideas and become part of a friendly 'parish party team'. Events like these are great fun and your help is always greatly appreciated. **If you cannot attend the meeting but would like to offer your time and help on the day please contact Christine: 07525248298**



ST TERESA'S FRIDAY NIGHT YOUTH!

Alternate Weeks in the Parish Centre
7 – 9.30pm

MAY 10TH & 24TH

JUNE 7TH & 21ST

JULY 5TH & 19TH

* Pizza * Chips * Southern Fried Chicken *

* Tuck Shop * Soft Drinks * Milk Shake * Hot Choc *

* Table Soccer * Safety Darts * Table Tennis *

* Board Games * Music * FUN! *

Run on a donation basis ~ School Year 6 upwards ...

Everyone Welcome!

Parish Finances

1st Collection - 14th April 2019 - £650.13

Please continue to pray for our parish, that we may raise sufficient funds to cover the many outgoings.

If you have anything you would like in the newsletter please email Christine

before Thursday at stteresarochford@icloud.com

Situations Vacant

A Catholic Academy for Arts and Science

MIDDAY SUPERVISOR

Part-time, 12:30 – 13:40, Monday - Friday
Hourly Rate - £9.00

The School is looking to appoint an additional Midday Supervisor to assist management and teaching staff with the supervision of students during their lunch break. This may be in the Dining Hall, playground or around the school buildings.

Application is via our website www.stbernardswestcliff.org.uk

Closing Date: Monday 13 May 2019, 9.00am

Please contact Mrs Sue Clancy, Executive Assistant to the Head Teacher for further information. sjc@stbernards.southend.sch.uk

The Governing Body is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share in this commitment.

Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Primary School a member of the Assisi Catholic Trust

Class Teacher

MPR/UPR ~ Full time ~ Required September 2019. Our Lady of Ransom Catholic School is looking to appoint an enthusiastic and highly-motivated class teacher in Early Years/KS1 to join our friendly and dedicated team.

To arrange a visit to the school, speak to the Head Teacher, Mr Parascandolo, or download an application form please either contact the School Office 01268-785741 or visit the school website www.olorcps.net

Closing date: Thursday 9th May 2019 (4pm).

Development Officer South East Catholic Partnership (0.3FTE, 2-year Fixed term contract) The Catholic Education Service (CES) has an opportunity for an individual, able to demonstrate an outstanding

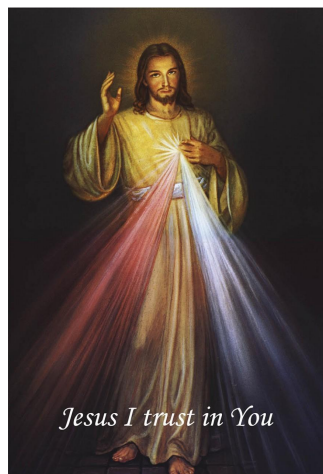
leadership track record in education, to work with diocesan directors, academies and Catholic teaching schools in the region to develop and deliver effective programmes of leadership development and ongoing formation. For more information about this post please email Sophie Russell at sophierussell@dioceseofbrentwood.org

Closing date 9th May.

Future Dates for Your Diary

Tues 30th April - 7.30pm Mass
followed by the Crowning of Our Lady
Sat 18th May - First Holy Communion
Sunday 2nd June - Going Forth Mass
Sunday 9th June - Confirmation
Sun 23rd June - Parish Party.

2.30PM  SUNDAY 28TH APRIL



Divine Mercy Sunday 2019

OUR LADY OF LOURDES, CATHOLIC CHURCH
161-181 LEIGH ROAD, LEIGH ON SEA SS9 1NG

Liturgy of the Word, Homily, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Veneration of the Reli-
Exposition and the Chaplet. Benediction. Priests available to hear Confessions

Weekly Prayers

Daily: *Pray for each other, that we may hear the voice of Jesus speaking clearly to us, and that we may have hearts open to share his love.*

Sunday: The Sick: Karen Landy, Renate Butler, Angela Read, Jonathan Somervell, Norma Goater, Andrew Stevens. The people of the Middle East and especially our Christian brothers and sisters.

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Tuesday: The Sick: Alan Gunn, Keith Short, John Rice, Nellie Smith, Graham Gardener, Mary Reilly, Pat Murray, Christina Thomas, Edward Cunado, Chris Godfrey. For the people of St Nicholas Canewdon, St Andrew Ashingdon with All Saints South Fambridge CofE and their successful appointment of a new Minister.

Wednesday: Gerald Miller, Eve Stocks, Jim Beck, Sarah Knight, Kevin Cosset,

Ethan Adlum, William McArthur, John Hennessy, Margaret Hennessy, Sarah Fisher & Marjorie Jay. For the Queen and her ministers, that they may govern us wisely.

Thursday: The Sick: Rosie, Kenneth Jobson, Venus Rubertazzi, Ellen Franklin, Ron & Jackie Gravestock, John Vasey, Baby David, Mary Norris, Sheila Van de Vyver, Len Smith & Sarah Jane Jackson. The Farming Community. For our own Priest Fr Gerry.

Friday: The recently departed: Lorna Davinson and Terence Coffey. Those whose anniversaries fall this week: Alf Maynard, Thomas Clare-Dunbavand, Jimmy Nagle, Frederick Aylett, Maria Hesketh, Joseph Boslem, Albert Bourne, Martin Box, James Caudy, Paula Fitzgerald, John Coyte & Fr Andrew Dorricott.

Saturday: The Sick: Elsie Clayton, Bartly Igoe, Padraig Evers, Margaret Thomas, Oliver Kelly, Helen Clapp & Terry Lewis. Our Student Priests: Rick, Patrick, Gary, Michael, Adrian, Paschal, Eamonn, Alexander, Tony, Damien & Jonathan.

Sat	27	5.30pm	Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday	Pro Populo	
Sun	28	9.00am St Pius X 10.30am		Ita Hanly RIP	AH
Mon	29	No Mass Today	St Catherine of Siena, V,D		
Tues	30	7.30pm	St George, M, Patron of England		
Wed	1	9.30am		Ints Angela & Christopher Read	R&JG
Thur	2	9.30am	St Athanasius, Bp, D		
Friday	3	9.30am	SS Philip & James, App		
Sat	4	No Mass Today	THE ENGLISH MARTYRS		
Sat	4	5.30pm	Third Sunday of Easter	Ints Sally & Andy Dawes	R&JG
Sun	5	9.00am St Pius X 10.30am		Pro Populo	