

OUR LADY IMMACULATE AND ST. ETHELBERT'S PARISH, WELLINGTON STREET SLOUGH, SL1 1XU - REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 234091 Parish Priest: Rev. Fr. Pius Amoako

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CORPUS CHRISTI (B)

We welcome all to today's Mass, especially visitors and friends who are celebrating with us.

SUN 2/06/2024 8.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS: 9:00am Santano Antonio Fernandes RIP,
Michael Sheehy RIP, Clare & Melroy God's Blessing, Cloe Mae Faith & Elsie Thanksgiving, Goan Community God's Blessing
10.30am: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS: 11am: Rita God's Blessing, Flavia & Russell God's Blessing,
Goan Community God's Blessing 6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament MASS: 6:30pm: Elena Intention,
Goan Community God's Blessing, Fleur O'Donoghue RIP

MON: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am Christian RIP

TUES: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am

WED MASS: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 4pm – 6.30pm6:30pm MASS: Flavia Thanksgiving, Dimitrie RIP

THURSDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer
 Mass: 10.00am Emiliana Fernandes RIP

Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10.30am - 1 pm

FRIDAY: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10 am - 12.30pm MASS: 12:30pm

SATURDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am

SUN 9/06/2024MASS: 9:00am Zenaida Anna D'Costa Birthday MASS: 11am:MASS: 6:30pm:

CONFESSIONS: Available this week on, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday during the Exposition of the Holy Sacrament. Please contact Father at the Presbytery if you would like him to hear your confession <u>during</u> this period if he is not already in the confessional.

OFFICE HOURS: THURSDAY 1pm until 7pm – Please come to the Presbytery with your enquiries.

MINISTRIES:

Readers for this Sunday, 2nd June

9am Mass: Anabel M, Kezia, Sr. Caroline11am Mass: Youth Readers6.30pm Mass: Clement A, Ruby J.

Readers for Next Sunday, 9th June

9am Mass: Alina R, Aleluia D, Aleina11am Mass: Jessica O, Vicky J, Rose L.6.30pm Mass: John Jude, Olivia G.

Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 2nd June

9am Mass: Jim B, Alice S.11am Mass: Mathew T, Jan M.6.30pm Mass:

Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 9th June

9am Mass: Sr. Pauline, Sr. Caroline11am Mass: Cecilia JP, Jan M.6.30pm Mass:

OFFERTORY PROCESSION Sunday:

Thank you for your generous giving, May God bless you.

St Ethelbert's Bank Details for Bank Transfers:

R.C.D.N. ST. ETHELBERT CATHOLIC CHURCH SLOUGH A/C 46714642 NatWest SORT CODE: 60 06 11

Next Sunday:

Notices: Corpus Christi: This Sunday, 2nd June is the Feast of Corpus Christi and to mark this special day there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for 30 mins before each of the masses at 8.30am, 10.30am and 6pm.

Second Collection: There will be a second collection at all masses this, Sunday, 2nd June for the Diocesan Mission.

Youth Mass: The monthly youth mass will take place this Sunday 2nd June at 11am. Parents, please encourage your children to attend.

First Holy Communion Group: The First Holy Communion Group will meet on Saturday 15th June at 10.30am for a practice session.

Little Friends of Jesus: The LFJ group will meet on Saturday, 8th June at 12.30pm. Children aged one to 10 years are welcome.

Important Car Park Announcement: We are due to have essential gas works take place this Monday 3rd June until Friday, 7th June and as a result the front car park will be out of use. If you attend a service, please park at the back of the church ensuring you park carefully so as not to cause an obstruction. We request that the car park is not used for out of hours parking i.e. when services are not taking place until this work is complete.

Parish Registration: We continue to encourage those of you who have not already done so to register as a parishioner of our parish. This can now be done online by typing the link into your browser. <u>www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086</u> and completing the registration form. During the registration you will also have the opportunity to sign up for the parish newsletter to keep up-to-date with the latest parish news. Please do sign up for this. If you don't have an email address, please speak to the parish who can complete the form on your behalf.

Church Gardens: Can you help by spending some time looking after our gardens? Please put your contact details on the form on the table at the back of the church. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Preparation for Marriage: There are now some strict deadlines for paperwork etc. to be prepared for those who are preparing to get married in this country or overseas. If this applies to you, please get in touch with Fr. Pius ASAP to avoid disappointment as there is a minimum time frame of 6 months required to process various items and he will not be able to help if you do not meet this guideline. The fees have also changed and Fr. Pius will advise you accordingly.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham: On 8th June there will be a Pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady in Walsingham organised by the Diocese with Bishop David in attendance and will celebrate mass too. St Ethelbert's & Our Lady of Peace are organising a coach to this event, tickets are £30. The coach leaves St Ethelbert's at 7:00am and Walsingham at 5:30pm. If you are interested, please call Natty on 07397149269 or Edward on 07802753575

New Lectionary Thank You: A big thank you to all those individuals and the Goan community who made a special donation towards the new lectionaries that we will begin to use in Advent 2024. We are very grateful for your generosity.

Piety Shop: First Holy Communion & Confirmation gifts are now available in the piety shop along with many other items. Please stop by and have a look.

Summer Outreach BBQ Meeting: Thank you to all those who put their names down to help at the summer Outreach BBQ. It is not too late to join in, there will be a short meeting next Sunday, 9th June at 10.30am for those who have volunteered and those who you who did not have a chance to enlist to go over next steps. All are welcome.

D-Summer (residential in Brentwood): NYMO are partnering with the Sion Community this year to run a weekend residential at their house in Brentwood, Essex from the 5th to the 7th July. It's going to be a great weekend, starting on the Friday night and finishing on the Sunday at lunch time, exploring what it means to be 'Called.' It's £80 for the weekend, and we have limited places, so we'd encourage everyone to book sooner rather than later so they don't miss out! <u>https://nymo.org/d-summer/</u>

Fr. Kevin O'Driscoll, parish priest of Holy Family parish in Langley writes: I was ordained a priest for the Diocese of Northampton by Bishop Charles Grant on July 5th 1974. The ceremony took place in Our Lady of Peace church in Burnham, which was my home parish. I will be celebrating my Golden Jubilee with a Mass at Our Lady of Peace church on the actual day of the anniversary (Friday, 5th July 2024) at 7pm. I am honoured that the priests and deacons of the Pastoral Area will be concelebrating the Mass, as will Bishop David, who was ordained on 5th July 1980. Please know that there is an open invitation to the Mass. Everybody would be most welcome. It would be a particular delight for me to see people there who actually attended the Ordination those years ago. If you have any questions about the event, you can contact me on 01753-543770 or at parish.holyfamily@northamptondiocese.org