

## OUR LADY IMMACULATE AND ST. ETHELBERT'S PARISH, WELLINGTON STREET SLOUGH, SL1 1XU - REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 234091

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## 18TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (C)

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

SUN 3/8/2025 MASS: 9:00am

MASS: 11am: Alejandro Catipon Manese RIP, Alma Manese Jaurigue RIP, Mrs Azizia RIP, Zena Jones Birthday Thanksgiving

MASS: 6:30pm

MON: 9.30am: Morning Prayer MASS: 10.00am A. Macdonald RIP, E. Fernandes Family Thanksgiving & Intentions

TUES: 9.30am: Morning Prayer MASS: 10.00am Maria Experanca Dias & Milagres Fernandes RIP

WED: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 4pm – 6.30pm MASS: 6.30pm Angelo Da Silva Thanksgiving

THURSDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer MASS: 10.00am Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10.30am – 1pm

FRIDAY: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10am – 12.30pm

MASS: 12.30pm A. Macdonald RIP,

SATURDAY 9.30am: Morning Prayer MASS: 10.00am

SUN 10/8/2025 MASS: 9:00am 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, 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug 9am Mass: Angel, Rainda, Aleluia 11am Mass: Okuse A, Tara I, Fozia K

6.30pm Mass:

Readers for Next Sunday, 10th Aug

9am Mass: Jemima, John McN, Parry S. 11am Mass: Sandra M, Valentine, Alegrina F.

**6.30pm Mass:** 

Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 3rd Aug

9am Mass Chris L, Sr. Pauline, Natalina S.11am Mass: Clara C, Jan M, Cecilia JP

6.30pm Mass:

Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 10th Aug

9am Mass Alice S, Millie A, Sr. Pauline11am Mass: Jan M, Cecilia JP, Jessicah M.

6.30pm Mass:

**OFFERTORY PROCESSION** 

This Sunday: 11am Nuria

Next Sunday: 9am Socorro & Robin

11am Nuria

**Our Readings** 

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23

What has a man from all his toil.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 90 (89):3-4, 5-6,12-13, 14, 17.R1

O Lord, you have been our refuge, from generation to generation.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Seek the things that are above, where Christ is.

Gospel: Luke 12-13-21

The things you have prepared, whose will they be?

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

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## **NOTICES:**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Next Week:** There will be a second collection at all masses this Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> August for the Outreach BBQ.

**Outreach BBQ Meeting:** We would like to have a meeting with those of you who have volunteered to help and organize the day. The meeting will take place after the 6.30pm mass this coming Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> August.

**Holy Land Pilgrimage October 2025:** Those of you who have applied to go to the Holy Land in October 2025, please note that your **deposit is required by 16<sup>th</sup> August**. Please get in touch with the agent to make your payment.

## **Church Restoration Event Raffle Prizes:**

There are a number of raffle prizes to be claimed, tickets numbers are as follows:

Pink Tickets					Orange Tickets	Yellow Ticket
204,	9,	75,	57,	102	140, 71, 85, 37	130

If you are a lucky winner, please come to the Presbytery to collect your prize bringing your ticket along with you.

Can you help please: We are looking for volunteers to help get an individual who is in a wheelchair to mass on a Sunday for the 11am mass. They live very near the church, near Tesco, and require help to push their wheelchair to St Ethelbert's for mass and then to get them home. Would you be willing to assist? If we get a few volunteers then a rota can be put in place. Please get in touch with Ellen Ketter mobile: 07342341099 if you could help support.

**Youth Meeting and Youth Mass:** The next youth meeting will take place on Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> August at 12.00pm with a youth mass on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August at 11am. Parents, please encourage your young ones to attend.

**Summer Outreach BBQ:** Weather permitting, we intend have our annual Summer Outreach BBQ on Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> August at 12pm. Volunteers to help organise and run this event are required. If you are able to help and would like to join in, please put your name and contact details down on the list at the back of the church. We are also requesting your help and support for items towards the BBQ, if you are able to help, please provide details on the list at the back of the church so that we have an idea of what is coming in

**RCIA 2026 Applications:** Do you know someone who would like to become a catholic? Please ask them to put their names down on the list at the back of the church for the course that begins in the Autumn of this year. We will then be in touch.

**Non-Perishable Food Request:** We are continuing to request your help with non-perishable food to help those in need. We have shared all the items that were previously donated. Your support would be very much appreciated.

**First Holy Communion & Confirmation 2026**: At the end of August will be forms available to begin the process of applying for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. If you intend to enroll your child in either one of these groups please note that we will need a copy of their Baptism certificate and you should get in touch with the church they were baptised at for a copy certificate if you have not already got one.