

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

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14TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (B)

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

SUN 7/07/2024 MASS: 9:00am Thome & Lucy Pereira RIP, Fr. Pius's 9th Anniv Ordination.

MASS: 11am: Fr. Pius's 9th Anniv Ordination.

MASS: 6:30pm: Fr. Pius's 9th Anniv Ordination, Fleur O'Donoughue RIP, Hanshal Birthday Blessings

MON: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am A. Macdonald RIP 6.30pm: Adoration, Praise & Worship

TUES: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am Theo Monteiro RIP

WED MASS: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 4pm – 6.30pm 6:30pm MASS: Xadrian Monteiro Thanksgiving for Blessings Received

THURSDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am Angelisa RIP Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10.30am - 1 pm

FRIDAY: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10 am - 12.30pm MASS: 12:30pm A. Macdonald RIP

SATURDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am

SUN 14/07/2024 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, 7th July

9am Mass: Canelli F, Sanju R, Rainda11am Mass: Tara I, Okuse A, Kyla DS.

6.30pm Mass:

Readers for Next Sunday, 14th July

9am Mass: Sr. Caroline, Angel D, Kezia11am Mass: Vicky J, Constance N, Kodjo K.

6.30pm Mass:

Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 7th July

9am Mass: Alice S. John McN.11am Mass: Clara C, Agness N, John I.

6.30pm Mass:

Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 14th July

9am Mass: Chris L, Natalina S. 11am Mass: Sr. Therese O, Cecilia JP

6.30pm Mass:

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

Sunday: 9am: Charles 11am Iwe Family

Next 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

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Notices:

Confirmation: Congratulations to our 27 candidates who were confirmed by Bishop David last Sunday. May the Holy Spirit continue to grow within them.

9th Ordination Anniversary: This week was Fr. Pius' 9th Ordination Anniversary; we remember him at each of our Sunday masses. Please keep him in your prayers that he will continue to be blessed in his ministry.

Offertory Procession Each Week: If you would like to take the bread and wine up during the offertory procession at mass on Sundays, there is a list on the table at the back of the church that you can put your name down for the date you are interested in. We need two individuals for each mass.

Second Collection: There will be a second collection at all masses next Sunday, 14th July for Stella Maris (formerly AOS).

Youth Mass: The monthly youth mass will take place on Sunday 7th July at 11am. Parents, please encourage your children to attend.

Little Friends of Jesus: The LFJ group will meet this coming Saturday, 13th July at 12.30pm. Children aged one to 10 years are welcome.

Parish Retreat: We are planning to have a Parish retreat on Thursday, 25th July at 6.30pm, the speaker will be Dr. Mark Nimo from Chicago, USA. All are welcome, we hope that many of you will attend and we will provide a little more detail nearer the time. If you are attending, please bring something to share at the end when we will provide refreshments.

Parish Registration: We continue to encourage those by typing the link into your browser. www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086 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 of you who have not already done so to register as a parishioner of our parish. This can now be done online 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.

Summer Outreach BBQ: The BBQ is set to take place on 3rd August, please note the date in your diaries.

Filming at St Ethelbert's: As many of you will have heard Fr. Pius mention, there will be filming taking place at the Church on Monday, 8th July at 6.30pm where we will have Adoration and Praise & Worship for around 45 mins and Tuesday, 9th July at 9.30am Morning Prayer. This is being conducted by the National Office for Vocation for a Priesthood Promotional Video. We hope that as many of you as possible will be able to attend to support Fr. Pius. If you are a present on those days you will be asked to sign a form to confirm we have your consent to take your photograph/video.

Eucharistic Congress: We have a date for the Eucharistic Congress in Birmingham that Fr. Pius has recently mentioned, it is Saturday, 14th September at St Mary's College Oscott. Please see poster on the notice board for further details also note that a packed lunch is required. If you are interested in attending, please put your name and contact details down on the list at the back of the church so we can gauge interest and consider a coach hire if there are sufficient numbers.

25th Religious Anniversary: Sr. Chibuakum is celebrating her 25th Anniversary in religious life on Saturday, 13th July with mass at 11.30am at St. Anthony's Church, Farnham Road. All are welcome

Retreat Day for Married Couples: We are hoping to have a married couples retreat day. If you are interested in attending, please put your name down on the list at the back of the church so that we can gauge numbers.

Job Vacancy: YOUTH WORKER VACANCY: The Diocese is currently recruiting for a Youth Worker to join the Youth Ministry Office. The role will be for 35 hours per week and will include evening and weekend work. Full information for the positions, including how to apply, can be found by visiting https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs/ The closing date for applications will be 10th July and interviews will take place on 15th and 16th July. The start date for the position will be Tuesday 10th September 2024. All candidates should complete an application form and email it to: https://northamptondiocese.org

Mass for the Sick and Housebound – Saturday 13th July: There will be a mass for the sick and housebound at Holy Redeemer Church, Wexham on Saturday 13th July at 2pm If you need transport or know of anyone who would like to come and needs help with transport, please contact Angela on 07889 931818. All are welcome.

Holy Water: We have a new dispenser for Holy Water which is located near the Altar of Repose at the side of the church.