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Sunday
18th June
2017



Corpus Christi
Most Holy Body
& Blood of Christ
(Year A)

Sat 17th June	10.00 – 11.00am †6.00pm	Confessions People of the Parish
Sun 18th June Corpus Christi	†10.00am	People of the Parish
Mon 19th June	†9.30am	
Tues 20th June	†9.30am	
Wed 21st June No morning Mass)	1.30pm 2.30pm	Rosary Group Wednesday Club
Thurs 22nd June	†9.30am	
Fri 23rd June	†9.30am	
Sat 24th June	10.00 – 11.00am †6.00pm	Confessions Lawrence McCreanor (S Wood)

†Masses



Please join us for tea and coffee in the parish centre after Mass on Sunday.

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I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever.

Parish News & Events

First Holy Communion 2018

Should you wish your child to be registered for the First Holy Communion programme commencing September 2017, please fill out the form at the back of the church and give /post it to Father John as soon as possible **but no later** than noon, Sunday **June 25th**, 2017. (Late registration will mean your child will be registered for the 2019 group). Your child will need to be a practising Catholic in Year 3 or above, (from September 2017), and have regularly attended Mass in St. Theresa's. (at least one year, unless you have moved into the Parish recently). We will be having an administration meeting with the new group and parents straight after the 10.00am Mass on Sunday **2nd July** in St. Theresa's room.



Diocesan pilgrimage to Walsingham from St. Theresa's Church

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham is on Saturday **22nd July**. The coach, which is shared by the 6 Deanery parishes, is filling up! The cost is £15 per person and places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Please put your name down on the list today if you want to be sure of a seat. This will be a very special occasion of honour to Our Lady of Walsingham and will also celebrate 100 years of the Diocese of Brentwood. More details can be found on the parish noticeboard.

Mass at Chickney Church

On Saturday **1st July**, Fr. Richard Rowe from Thaxted will celebrate what has now become an annual event; Mass in this tiny Anglo-Saxon pre-reformation church. Full details are on the noticeboard. If the weather is good, Frances will walk the fields of barley from Woodland Green, Henham. Meet 11am, leave 11.10am. Ring 01279 850460 if walking.

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Ladies' Italian Shopping Evening



We will be hosting an Italian Shopping Evening for the ladies of the parish on Wednesday **5th July** at 7.15pm in the Parish Centre to raise money for the charity EACH. There will be clothes, shoes, handbags and jewellery at affordable prices and suitable for all ages and sizes. We have been to see the items which will be on sale and are confident that you will love them. The ticket price has been amended to £7 as we want to make as much money for our chosen charity as possible and we hope you will be able to support us too. This price will include a glass of Prosecco and nibbles. We really hope you will be able to make it.

For more information on products, please go to the Mandy's Heaven Facebook page. All proceeds will go to EACH (East Anglia's Children's Hospices), a charity who support families and care for children and young people with life-threatening conditions across Cambridgeshire, Essex, Norfolk and Suffolk. Please contact Ann-Marie Dickason or Anna Watkins on 07810417646 for tickets. As part of the fundraising on the evening, we will be holding a raffle. If you have any suitable unwanted gifts or items, we would be very grateful to have them.



Christian Aid Summer Concert – Thank You

A very big THANK YOU to all those who supported the U3A Singers charity concert last Saturday. It was a great success and we raised the magnificent sum of £507.71 which has been passed to the Chair of Stansted Christian Aid, Catherine Dean, who has expressed her sincere thanks. Mary Warnett.

Food Bank

We are short of certain items for our food bank. If you are able to donate the following items, please leave them in the box in the church foyer. We are in need of pasta sauce, biscuits, tinned vegetables and fruit juice. All donations are gratefully received. Many thanks.



Mass Intentions

If you would like a Mass to be said for a friend or a loved one, please complete the envelopes which can now be found on the shelves in the church entrance. Remember to securely seal any donations inside of the envelopes and post these into the parish post box also in the church foyer.

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Local News & Events

Music for a Summer Afternoon

At Holy Trinity Church in Littlebury at 4pm on Sunday **18th June**. With the University of London Chamber Choir. Tickets £12, children and students free. Call 01799 521312.

Garden Waste Skip dates

The green skip for garden waste will be on Lower Street, Stansted on Sunday **25th June** and Sunday **9th July** 12.30 – 4.30pm.

Home Farm Trust Garden Centre, Ugley



HFT is a national charity, providing services for people with learning disabilities throughout England. Please visit their Garden Centre on Pound Lane, Ugley for a wide variety of plants and herbs as well as handmade gifts.

Diocesan News & Events

30th Anniversary Celebration

Please join us for this wonderful event on **8th July** at Abbotswick Diocesan House of Prayer, Brentwood from 11.30am - 4.30pm. A Thanksgiving Mass will be celebrated at 2pm by Bishop Alan Williams and Bishop Emeritus Thomas Mc Mahon. You are invited to bring a packed lunch. Cake and refreshments will be provided. For further information please call 01277 373959 or visit our website www.abbotswick.org.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Led by Fr. John Corbyn Wickford. Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, **24th July** 2017. £699 per person sharing. Price includes flight with 15kg checked in bag, all taxes, luxury transfers, 5 nights in hotel behind the Basilica with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Contact Patricia anytime on 01268 762278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Pilgrimage to Rome

In this Jubilee Year of Mercy Tangney Tours are offering a tour to Rome, San Giovanni and Assisi from **2nd to 9th October**. Price is £749.00 half board flights are not included. If you wish to have their insurance price is £31.00. Single room supplement is £180.00. If you are interested please telephone 01732 886666 and ask for Gill. They have asked Fr Stephen Myers to lead this pilgrimage.

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