



St. Theresa of Lisieux Catholic Church  
Stansted Mountfitchet



**Baptism of the Lord (Year C)**  
**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2019**



DATE	TIME	INTENTIONS
Saturday <b>12<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†6.00pm</b>	<b>John, Kath Whiting &amp; Family</b> (M Keane)
Sunday <b>13<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†10.00am</b>	<b>Michael Aldridge RIP, Dereck Alfred Collier</b>
Monday <b>14<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>No Mass on Monday</b>	
Tuesday <b>15<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†9.30am</b>	
Wednesday <b>16<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†9.30am</b>	
Thursday <b>17<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†9.30am</b>	
Friday <b>18<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†9.30am</b>	
Saturday <b>19<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>†6.00pm</b>	<b>Margaret de Maillet RIP</b> (M & T Rhead)

**Today's Readings** can be found on page **118** of the Parish Mass book.  
The **Communion Antiphon** is on page **122**.



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*I baptize you with water for repentance, but he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.*

**Matthew 3:11**



## **Parish News & Events**

### **SOCIAL EVENTS**

**Wine Tasting** On **16<sup>th</sup> March** There will be a Catenian Wine Tasting which is open to all members of the parish. The charge will be £10 per person and it will involve tasting 6 wines with a virtual tour of the region they come from. The usual format is for people to bring their own food.

**St. Patrick's Day Celebration** For all who wish to celebrate the Feast of St. Patrick, we are having celebration here at St. Theresa's Parish Centre on Sunday **17<sup>th</sup> March**. A chance to celebrate all that is Irish from food to music. Starts 6pm. Details to follow. If you are interested, please let Anna Watkins or Teresa Kemp know.



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## New Year

If you are interested in a new opportunity this year, how about helping out in the church in some way? It could be reading, cleaning, maintenance or serving tea and coffee after Mass. There are many groups hard at work behind the scenes who would be happy to have a new helping hand. If you are interested, please put your details into the post box in the church foyer so it can be passed onto the relevant group.



## Local & Diocesan News & Events



## Encounter

The next Encounter meeting is this Friday, **18<sup>th</sup> January** in Windhill Churches Centre. '**Listening to God's call**'; formation for the priesthood & personal ministry, 18 months on... talk & discussion led by Fr Carlos Quito.

**10.00am** coffee, **10.30am** meeting opens, 12.30pm shared lunch; please bring food to share, 2.00pm day ends. All welcome to come for all or part of the day. Enquiries: B/S 65060.

## Cheese and Wine Evening

The Stansted / Rungis Twinning Association are hosting a cheese and wine evening on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January at 8pm in the Crafton Green Day Centre. Everyone is welcome.

## LONDON WALKS

### The City and Tower of London

Sunday **13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> January**, 3pm.

A walk through the city with its turbulent history, as we hear the story of brave heroes such as St Thomas More and St John Fisher, walking towards the Tower of London. Meet at Monument Tube Station.

### A Royal Walk

On Sunday **27<sup>th</sup> January**, 3pm. A walk exploring the history of the Royal Family and Catholicism, through St James' Park and on to Buckingham Palace. Meet on the steps of Westminster Cathedral. Nearest Tube: Victoria.



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**Spring Spirituality Talk** Mgr David Manson will be giving a talk on “**The Spirituality of Pope Francis**”- Saturday **19<sup>th</sup> January** 2019 - 10.30am-12.00noon at Cathedral House Conference Centre, Brentwood. Contact details: [jude@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:jude@dioceseofbrentwood.org) Tel. 01277 265285.

**Governor Training** Saturday **26<sup>th</sup> January** 2019 - 10.30am-12.00noon at Cathedral House Conference Centre, Brentwood. The topics are: “**Preparing for OFSTED and Section 48 Inspections.**” This training will be led by Debbi Botham Diocesan Coordinator for Governance and Derek Kelly Educational consultant and Section 48 Inspector. Contact details: [debbibotham@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:debbibotham@dioceseofbrentwood.org) Tel. 01277 265284.

## The Gospel of Luke

On Wednesdays **23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> January** at 7 pm Fr Adrian Graffy will lead an exploration of the Gospel of Luke, the gospel being read on Sundays in 2019. These ‘Gidea Park Faith Evenings’ will take place in the hall at Gidea Park Catholic Church (410 Brentwood Road, Gidea Park, RM2 6DH). Please book by email to [GPstudydays@gmail.com](mailto:GPstudydays@gmail.com) Refreshments provided. Admission free.

## Catholic Singles

This is an organisation which helps single adult Catholics of all ages meet, either one to one or through social events. Please tel. 0161 941 3498, visit the website [www.catholicsingles.org.uk](http://www.catholicsingles.org.uk) or email [info@catholicsingles.org.uk](mailto:info@catholicsingles.org.uk)


## Healing service

If you are feeling stressed, anxious, emotionally/psychologically broken or generally struggling with life, you are warmly invited to attend the English Martyrs' Healing Service from 6-8pm Saturday **26<sup>th</sup> January** for emotional, psychological and spiritual healing. To register your attendance please email [HealingService@English-Martyrs.com](mailto:HealingService@English-Martyrs.com) or contact Mandy on 0780 1470 516. English Martyrs RC Church, 240 Alma Ave, Hornchurch RM12 6BJ.

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