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17th Sunday (17th Week of Ordinary Time) Year 1 Eucharist Prayer II Memorial Acclamation –2

The Fruits of the Holy Spirit: Love, Joy, Peace, Kindness, Forbearance, Goodness, Faithfulness, and Self-Control (Gal 5:22-23). Gifts of the Holy Spirit: Wisdom, Understanding, Fortitude, Counsel, Knowledge, Piety and Fear of God.

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Date -2025 July	Time	MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED Livestreamed (via YouTube or on our website)	LITURGY OF THE DAY Div. Off. Psalter Week 1			
Saturday 26 th	6.00 pm	For the repose of the soul of James Braekman R.I.P	17th Sunday Vigil Mass			
Sunday 27 th	8.30 am 10.00 am	For the prayers and intentions of the people of the parish For Noel Watkins R.I.P (requested by Brian & Eileen)	17 th Sunday (Year C			
Monday 28 th		w .	Feria (17 th Week Year 1)			
Tuesday 29 th	7.30 pm	For Fr. Clement's intentions and prayers	Martha, Mary & Lazarus			
Wednesday 30 th	12.30 pm	For the prayers and intentions of Jeanne B. and Family	Feria			
Thursday 31st	10.00am	For the intentions and prayers for Catherine Wanja	St Ignatius of Loyola			
Friday 1 st AUGUST	11.00 am 12.00 pm	ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions For Teddy Pereira's intentions & thanksgiving (birthday)	Holy HOUR St Alphonsus Mary			
Saturday 2 nd	9.00 am 6.00 pm	For the Intentions of Sylvia and all the Mason family For Anniversary of Francis & Judy Pereira R.I.P	Our Lady Votive Mass 18th Sunday Vigil			
Sunday 3 rd	8.30 am 10.00 am	For the prayers and intentions of the people of the parish For Liz Parsons R.I.P (requested by Brain and Eileen)	18 th Sunday Year C			

Confessions Saturdays at 5.15 pm to 5.45pm

Offertory: Thank you very much for your generous support. Cheques are made payable to: Catholic Church Stansted St Theresas. For online donations, our parish Account Number: 41017519, Sort Code: 401322, and account name: Catholic Church Stansted St Theresas.

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Parish Census forms 2025: Please fill in the required details for those who have not taken/returned the census forms. Please do take the census forms to anyone who may wish to be be connected to our parish. Thank you for those who have returned the forms.

Receiving Holy Communion on Christmas Day: I have agreed with Emily (a teenager) to start a specific spiritual preparation toward reception of Holy Communion on Christmas Day for the first time. I would like to welcome more teenagers or baptised adults who may have not had a chance to celebrate their First Holy Communion before. I invite prospective candidates to speak to me after Mass.

"Important Date for Your

Diary" Following our successful BBQ get together, **on Saturday 27th September 7pm** we will be honouring the Feast of St Theresa with a Celebration of the wonderful unity in our Parish with all our beautifully diverse backgrounds. Please bring and share traditional food with one another. We are also hoping for a variety of live music from all sections of the Community. More details nearer the time. Wearing of National Costumes would be lovely.

2025/2026 First Holy Communion initial preparations have already started. Would all prospective candidates please speak to me asap.

Holiday Season: We pray for our young people and everyone's intentions during this holiday season. May Our Lady, St Joseph and all Saints pray for us. A Prayer to St Joseph:

O Blessed Joseph, husband of Mary, be with us this day. You protected and cherished the Virgin; loving the child Jesus as your Son, you rescued Him from the danger of death. Defend the Church, the household of God, purchased by the blood of Christ. Guardian of the Holy Family, be with us in our trials. May your prayers obtain for us the strength to flee from error and wrestle with the powers of corruption so that in life we may grow in holiness and in death rejoice in the crown of Victory. St Joseph, pray for us who have recourse to thee. Amen. Hail Mary...

OUR RETREAT - Devotion to the Sacred Heart: https://www.sttheresastansted.org/sacred-heart-devotion/

Step 5: Through Baptism, Jesus brings us into his Consecration. The Spirit of God descended upon Jesus at his Baptism. A voice of God was heard pronouncing the Consecration of Jesus to the Father: "this is my beloved Son, with him I am well pleased". Jesus also pronounces his consecration just before he is about to start his public ministry. He says, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me. He has anointed me...." (Lk: 4: 17-21). Jesus also consecrates himself to the Father, and to us, in his great Priestly Prayer: "...For them, I consecrate myself...." (John 17:19). Through our baptism, we are consecrated to the Holy Trinity. We belong. We become sons and daughters of the Father. Jesus becomes our brother and we become the temple of the Holy Spirit - we are consecrated. The priest anoints us at baptism with sacred Chrism while saying these words: "God Himself consecrates you with the chrism of salvation, so that, inserted into Christ, priest, king, and prophet, you may always be members of His Body for eternal life.

Step 6: Renewing one's Baptism by Consecrating oneself to the Heart of Jesus. It is a solemn and voluntary renewal of our baptismal consecration. It means placing Jesus at the centre of our lives and thus responding to God's love. Mary was consecrated.

Everyone is warmly welcomed & appreciated here: I

have been so happy to see new parishioners and I thank God for everyone who comes to Mass here. I would like to welcome everyone to our parish especially those who are new or joined us recently. As a parish, we all hope to be friendly and welcoming – so do please come to the Parish Hall after Mass to meet fellow parishioners and share tea/coffee. May everyone feel warmly welcomed, valued and respected in this parish. Here, in the House of the Father, nobody is entitled to judge anyone for to do so is a sin – (**Do not Judge**Matthew 7:1). Here, no one will question you about your personal or professional life. We are all equal and the same before God. As a parish family, we are all united in the Mission of Christ. We support each other and we pray for each other's intentions and salvation. If you are new, please let me know your details/address for pastoral reasons.

Helping the poor in London: Please do bring your items to the Church and we will send them to the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal (St Fidelis Friary, Killip Close, Canning Town, E16 1LX. Telephone 0207 4740766). Using the measurements of M, L, XL and XXL: Socks, T-shirts, Jeans, bottom Tracksuits, Sweaters, shoes (only trainers and walking boots), Jackets, Small Toiletries (shampoo, shower gel, toothpaste, shaving foam, toothbrushes, razors, Roll-on-deodorant), underwear (this is the only item that must be new). There are 90% men and 10% women. If possible, it would be lovely to help with monetary donation during the season of Lent for food purchases. I am so grateful to everyone for your help

Dear St Anne, mother of Mary and grandmother of Jesus. Pray for our families in every generation. Help our children and grandchildren to grow in faith and to live their lives in loving service to others and in gratitude and praise to God. Be with elderly members of our families who need comfort and courage as they face the problems and pains of old age. Be with parents as they try to do the best for their children in giving an example of faithfulness and true values. We ask your help for members of our family who are sick or in need at this time, and especially for those families who are broken and suffering. St Anne, mother, grandmother, friend, pray for us all. Amen. Hail Mary....

+ A thank you message from The Bethlehem Nativity Group

TBNG. We would love to thank you by allowing our group to come to your church and sell the olive wood religious articles, the result of which was very beneficial and rewarding for our needy Christian families. Which raised £1758.00. Your help is a great support for us, and for our Christian families in the Holy Land . We don't have enough words to thank you and your parishioners, but make sure that you are always in our prayers. If anyone has missed the carvings display, You can place an order online directly from them at www.tbng.co.uk God bless you all Love and blessings from The Bethlehem Nativity Group +

Devotion to the Sacred Heart: Would you like Christ to heal your home, heal your relationships, your marriage, your illnesses and your children? Would you like Christ to help you with family differences and tensions? Would your like Christ to help you financially and holistically? Would you like Christ to Protect you against internal and exterior attacks from the enemy? Christ is All and is in All (Col 3:11). Our Saviour, Christ the Lord, has the answer and the hope we need in every situation of our lives. The Sacred Heart Devotion is a beautiful way to encounter Our Lord. The Sanctuary of the Sacred Heart at Paray-Le-Monial, France, has prepared a 12-steps presentation on the meaning of the Devotion to the Sacred Heart. I recommend this presentation to everyone. Please visit our website to read this presentation: https://www.sttheresastansted.org/sacred-heart-devotion/

Jesus revealed to Saint Margaret Mary the secrets of His Heart and the wonders of His love. This is a grace we can ask for as well. It is the grace received by Saint Margaret Mary, the grace that thousands of pilgrims have received, the grace of the Heart of Jesus: to encounter the personal love of Jesus for me. Jesus affirms that His love is for all humanity, and for each one of us in particular. It is as if Jesus is saying: My Heart remains restless until what I have done for all humanity takes on a personal shape and a particular rooting in your life. At Paray-le-Monial, Jesus tells us that the love He has for all humanity, the salvation He works for all humanity, His presence that He maintains with all humanity.....He wants this to take on a wholly personal reality in each of our lives. Please read the twelve steps on our website – You may choose to read two steps daily and think about them.