

**Services in the Church and Mass Intentions**

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| Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> January   | 8.30am<br>9.00am<br>5.30pm<br>6.00pm | <b>Confessions</b><br>Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br><b>Confessions</b><br>Dan Sullivan (Anniv.)  |
| Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> January<br><b>THE BAPTISM of the LORD (A)</b>                         | 9.00am<br>11.00am                    | Mary Ann Murphy & Theresa O'Callaghan (Anniv.)<br>Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br><i>Knights of St Columba Nominations</i>                         |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> January   | 9.00am                               | 1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Mary & Patrick Galvin (Anniv.)<br>3. Wendy Chapman (Spec. Int.)  |
| Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January  | 9.00am<br>9.30am                     | 1. Denis Courtney (Anniv.)<br>2. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br><b>Devotion of Our Lady of La Salette</b>   |
| Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> January  | 9.00am<br>9.30am                     | 1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Brenda & Denis Bone (Spec.Int.)<br><b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>                                |
| Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> January   | 9.00am                               | 1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Alan Birlson (Spec.Int.)   |
| Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> January<br><b>St. Anthony, Ab</b>                                     | 9.00am                               | 1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Lary Symith & Peter Doyle (Anniv.)   |
| Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> January   | 8.30am<br>9.00am<br>5.30pm<br>6.00pm | <b>Confessions</b><br>1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Carmel Heart (RIP)<br><b>Confessions</b><br>Ada Marie Jones (2 <sup>nd</sup> Birthday) |
| Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> January<br><b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time- World Peace Day (A)</b> | 9.00am<br>11.00am                    | Osmond-Igomu Family (Thanksgiving)<br>1. Unomah Family (Spec.Int.)<br>2. Mary Brogan (RIP Anniv.)   |

**Office Hours: Mon, Tues and Thurs between 10-11am again between**

**5.30-6.30pm** \*\*\*Admin office hours are Thurs and Fri from 9-2pm

*Assistance can be provided on request to persons with disabilities during Mass.*

**Parish Diary:**

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| Sun 12 <sup>th</sup> Jan        | 9.00am MASS       | & Confirmation Session- Youth Hall/Re Rm |
| <b>Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>  | <b>10-11.30am</b> | <b>1<sup>st</sup> Communion Session</b>  |
| Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan        | 9.00am MASS       | & Confirmation Session- Youth Hall/Re Rm |
| <b>Tues 21<sup>st</sup> Jan</b> | <b>7.30pm</b>     | <b>RCIA Session- Presbytery</b>          |
| Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb         | 7.30pm            | Parish Council meeting-RE Room           |

**CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST PETER**



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**Missionaries of Our Lady of La Salette:**

Fr. Edward Tredota MS, Fr Augustyn Hamielec MS, Fr Andrzej Wierzba MS

**Masses:** Saturday 6.00pm, Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am

**Confessions:** Saturday 8.30-9.00am, 5.30pm- 6.00pm or by appointment

**FOR PARISH WEBSITE, CURRENT NEWSLETTERS & UPDATES, VISIT:**

[www.stpeterdagenham.co.uk](http://www.stpeterdagenham.co.uk)

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2020

**The Baptism of the Lord (A)**

Readings: pg. 53

*Resp. Psalm: The Lord will bless his people with peace.*



The Lord Jesus is ever ready to renew and refashion us in his likeness through the gift and working of the Holy Spirit - and he anoints us for mission as ambassadors of his kingdom of righteousness (moral goodness), peace, and joy (Romans 14:17). We are called to be the "light" and salt" of his kingdom that radiate the beauty and aroma of his mercy and goodness to those around us (Matthew 5:13,15-16). The Lord Jesus wants his love and truth to shine through us that many others may may find new life, freedom, and joy in the Holy Spirit. Ask the Lord Jesus to fill you with his Holy Spirit that you may radiate the joy of the

Gospel to those around you.

***"Lord Jesus, fill me with your Holy Spirit and with the fire of your love and goodness. May I always find joy and delight in seeking to please you in doing your will just as you have delighted in the joy of pleasing your Father and doing his will."*** Servantsoftheword

**Please pray for our Sick:** Becky Yeboah, Ann Sterling, Christina Carter, Mary Jackman, Baby Edward, Frances Duggan, Martha Buckley, Christopher Bone, Michael Moffat, Henry Moffat, J. Radford, Danielle Lai, L. Stuchfield, Sean Murphy, Marie Merrett, Myra Jarrett, Terry Hooker, Martina Murray, Sean Connors, Deborah Woldron, Baby Valentina Vizcaino

**Thank you** from Barbara Worgan and son Sean to all those here at home and in Ireland for all the mass cards for Gloria & Declan McCambridge (RIP). Thank you for all your support, time and hospitality during this difficult time. A mass will be said for your intentions.

**William Joseph Barry (RIP)** Funeral Mass will be held at St. Peter's church on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 10.30am.

**Janice Simmons (RIP)** Funeral Mass will be held at St. Peter's church on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 1.15pm.

| Last Sunday     | Envelopes     | Loose  | Total   |
|-----------------|---------------|--------|---------|
| Main Collection | 668.66        | 598.17 | 1266.83 |
| Building Fund   | 173.26        | 55.54  | 228.80  |
| Standing Orders | £70 (average) |        |         |

**Thank you very much for your offerings.**

This Week second collection will be for Building Fund.

Next Week Second collection will be for World Peace Day (Pax Christi).

**Gift Aid** Application forms are available in the porch. Our Parish can reclaim 25% of tax that you have already paid. Join today and increase your offertory donation!

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**Parents be especially mindful** of the noise from their children. Please take your child to the porch at the back of the church if they are upset. Please allow enough time to be in church on time so that priests and people participating in the Mass are not distracted by the latecomers.

**Infant/ child Baptism.** At least one parent must be practicing catholic. Children age 7 and older must accomplish a special preparation programme before baptism. Please see one of the Priests during office hours.

**School Forms** will need the priest's signature confirming that the children are practising Catholics. To obtain one, they need to come to Church regularly and present the Baptism Certificate (and First Communion Certificate if applying for secondary school).

**Children's Liturgy- Safeguarding.** To ensure the safety of the children after dismissal, the children will return to the meeting room after the final blessing to be collected by the parent or responsible persons over 16 years old.

**Parish Census forms** are available in the porch, office or Repository. If you haven't completed one already, it is for all parishioners- old or newcomers to the parish. Please hand to the priest or post to office.

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**The Annual Lourdes Mass** will be celebrated at Brentwood Cathedral on Sunday 16 February at 3pm. This is an opportunity to give thanks for graces received in Lourdes and to seek prayers for the sick. During the Mass, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated.

**The Divine Mercy Apostolate of Marian Fathers** are organising a Divine Mercy Retreat on Saturday - 18 January, 11:00 am - 4:30 pm at St Joseph RC Church, 68 Grange Park Road, Leyton, London E10 5ES & Saturday, 25 January 11:00 am - 4:30 pm at St George's Cathedral, Lambeth Road, Southwark, London SE1 6HR. All welcome - No advance booking or registration is required.

**SPIRITUALITY MORNING** – Saturday 18th January 2020 – 10.30am-12pm Cathedral House, Ingrave Road, Brentwood CM15 8AT. Topic: The Spirituality of St John Henry Newman. Speaker: Msgr David Manson Tel. 01277 265285 email: [jude@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:jude@dioceseofbrentwood.org)

**Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:** Bp Alan, supported by our Youth Service, will lead a pilgrimage to Lourdes from 26 - 31 July, flying from Southend Airport. This is a wonderful opportunity, to pray at the Grotto, grow in faith, and enjoy the company of fellow pilgrims. Some brochures and booking forms are available in the porch or you can contact the tour operator, Tangney Tours, directly: [www.tangney-tours.com/brentwood](http://www.tangney-tours.com/brentwood) or 01732 886885

**Rediscover Your Marriage** – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) The programme offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the programme commencing with a residential weekend on... 28th.29th Feb & 1st March 2020... Call or text 0788 7296983 or 0797 3380443 – or Email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) - or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

**The Ursuline Academy Ilford -Vacancies**  
Data and Admissions Officer – term time plus 10 days  
Finance Assistant – full time Closing Date: noon, Monday 27 January 2020  
For further information please visit: [uai.org.uk/about/vacancies](http://uai.org.uk/about/vacancies)