

*Intentions for Masses to be celebrated without the faithful*

Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup> June <i>The Immaculate Heart of Mary</i>	1. Elaine O’Riordan (Birthday) 2. Michael Quigley (RIP)
<b>Sunday 21<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>12<sup>th</sup> Sunday Year A</b>	1. People of the Parish 2. Special Intention 3 David O’Brian and Denis Quirke (Fathers’ Day Remembrance)
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June <b>SS John Fisher, Bp &amp; Thomas More, Mm</b>	1. The Geary Family (Spec. Int.) 2. Janina and Bronislaw Zapasek (RIP)
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	1. Charles Ronayne (Birthday Rememb.) 2. Dantis
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> June <b>NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST</b>	For God’s Blessing and protection of Our Lady for the Families (Spec. Int.)
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	1. Baby Alex (sick) 2. Aneta Zdeb (RIP)
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Julia and Stanislaw Niemiec (RIP)
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Bill O’Riordan (Anniv)
<b>Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>SS PETER and PAUL, App</b>	Margie O Riordan (Spec. Int.) People of the Parish

**If you would like to book a Mass please collect the Mass Booking Envelope from the church or contact us by phone or email.**

**PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

**PLEASE CONTACT US BY EMAIL or PHONE**

**All Parish Meetings and Courses are suspended**

We do not provide livestreaming from our church however you can look at <https://www.churchservices.tv/> to see Mass in other churches. Daily liturgical resources for those at home, including Live-streaming of mass are also available on the CBCEW website. <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/>  
*The online donation facility is now available, and can be accessed via the Diocesan website.*

<https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations/>

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Thank you very much for your support.

# CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST PETER



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Sunday 21<sup>th</sup> June 2020

**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in the Ordinary Time (A)**

*In your great love, answer me, O God*

**THE CHURCH IS OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER ONLY**

**Monday-Saturday 9.00am -10.30am,**

**Saturday Evening 6.00pm – 7.00pm, Sunday 9.00am -12noon**

To watch the Mass go to <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/>



What is godly fear? It is reverence for the One who made us in love and who sustains us in mercy and kindness. The greatest injury or loss which we can experience is not physical but spiritual - the loss of one's heart, mind, and soul to the power of hell. A healthy fear of God leads to spiritual maturity, wisdom and right judgment and it frees us from the tyranny of cowardly fear and sinful pride that refuses to do what is right, good, and just - especially in the face of opposition and evil.

Do you trust in the power of God's love and truth that can conquer every fear and form of evil and wrongdoing? The Lord Jesus willingly embraced the cross for our sake to atone for our sins and to free us from slavery to sin, Satan, and death. Do you believe in the power of his cross and victory over death, despair, and sin? *"Lord Jesus, it is my joy and privilege to be your disciple. Give me strength and courage to bear any hardship and suffering which may come my way in your service. May I witness to others the new life, joy and victory you have won for us through your cross and resurrection."*

**Please pray for our Sick:** Adora Garcia, Dee Duster, Jeffrey Duke, Valerie Brown, Frederick Morrison, 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

**RE-OPENING OF ST PETER'S CHURCH (For private prayer only)**  
**Monday-Saturday 9.00am -10.30am,**  
**Saturday Evening 6.00pm – 7.00pm, Sunday 9.00am -12noon**

**When visiting the church please remember:**

1. The guidance only allows personal prayer which is defined as a person or household entering the church to pray on their own and not as part of a group.
- 2 Social distancing must apply at all times with people being two metres apart from one another in all directions.
3. The entry and exit will be via separate doors and some benches will be blocked off to facilitate this.
4. At least two stewards will be present in the church throughout the time it is open for prayer.
5. Alcohol hand gel will be provided at doors. Please sanitise your hands as you enter and leave the church.
6. Toilet facilities will remain closed.

We will find more details as you enter the church

We need voluntaries to help as stewards when the church is open and also more people to help with daily cleaning of the church. Only with your help we will be able to keep the church open. We cannot accept help from those who have been advised to shield or are from groups considered more vulnerable to the virus. Volunteers who live with someone who is shielding should carefully consider the additional risk they incur.

Please contact Fr Edward for more details.

Message from Fr Edward

“Do not be afraid”. We find these word 70 times in the Bible and three times in the Gospel for this 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. Encouraged by them we look in to the future with hope trusting that with God’s help the pandemic will end soon and we will be able to resume regular activities.

Last Monday we reopened the church for private prayer. According to the current restrictions we can have 31 people in the church including 3persons in the chapel of our Lady at any time. So far, we never reached that number so anyone willing to spend some time praying in the church can do it without queuing at the entry.

We expect to be able to say masses with the congregation in July. The number of people in the church may still be restricted so we will need more stewards to make sure that there is right number of people in the church and the safety rules are followed. If anyone would like to help us with this, especially during weekends please leave or send us your name and contact number.

Also more rules apply in regard to church cleaning. For this we will need more helpers too. Thank you very much to all those who are already doing these things.

This Sunday we have Father’s Day. In our prayers let us remember them in a special way.

Thank you very much for all your prayers and support. Some people continue to support our parish financially. Since some of you experience financial difficulty and we all are not sure what is to happen in the future your help is much appreciated. Please let us know if you would like to collect your Gift Aid Envelopes for this financial year. We can prepare them for collection so you can take them after visiting the church for prayer.

God bless you all.  
Fr Edward