



Catholic Church of Saint Peter Dagenham

Third Sunday of Easter (C)

4th May 2025

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Day	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 3rd May <i>Ss Philip & James, Ap</i>	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Fr Adam (Special Intention) Janina Ciebiera RIP (13/30)
Third Sunday of Easter (C), 4th May	9.00 am 11.00 am	Celine Mathew (Anniversary) Maria Jesus (Birthday / Remembrance); Janina Ciebiera RIP (14/30)
Monday 5th May	9.00 am 9.00 am	Mary Dosana (Birthday) Janina Ciebiera RIP (15/30)
Tuesday 6th May <i>St John Payne</i>	9.00 am 9.00 am	Meg McKenna Janina Ciebiera RIP (16/30) Devotion to Our Lady of La Salette
Wednesday 7th May	9.00 am 9.00 am Until 10.00 am	Ancil & Molly (Wedding Anniversary / Thanksgiving) Janina Ciebiera RIP (17/30) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday 8th May	9.00 am 9.00 am	Zieta & Joe (Special Intention) Janina Ciebiera RIP (18/30)
Friday 9th May	9.00 am 9.00 am	Thanksgiving Intention Janina Ciebiera RIP (19/30)
Saturday 10th May	9.00 am 6.00 pm	People of the Parish Jayden Kaye (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
Fourth Sunday of Easter (C), Good Shepherd's Sunday 11th May	9.00 am 11.00 am	Rose Antony (Anniversary) People of the Parish

Masses: Monday – Saturday 9.00am; Saturday 6.00pm; Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday – Friday from 8:30am; Wednesday: after the Morning Mass until 10am

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

Parish office hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 10.00 – 11.00am & 5.30 – 6.30pm

Parish of Saint Peter served by: Fr Marek Pabis MS (Parish Priest); Fr Adam Cyran MS (Assistant Priest)

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St Peter's Parish News

THE CONCLAVE & THE NEW POPE: *The College of Cardinals called on Catholics around the world to pray for them as they prepare to enter the conclave this week to elect the next pope, acknowledging the "enormity of the task ahead" in choosing the next successor of Peter. The appeal came as the cardinals concluded their seventh general congregation — the daily meetings leading up to the start of the conclave on May 7th. In a statement released by the Holy See Press Office, the cardinals said they are "conscious of the responsibility to which they are called" and are relying on the prayers of the global Catholic community.*

Let us keep the cardinals who will make this important decision in our daily prayer.

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BOOK OF CONDOLENCE: The Bishops Conference has set up an online book of condolence for Pope Francis. For more go to: www.popefrancistributes.com

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FATHER AUGUSTYN (GUS) HAMIELEC MS RIP: As you have already learnt Fr Augustyn (Gus) Hamielec MS passed away in Krakow on Saturday (26th April). His funeral took place on 30th April at 12.30pm in Basilica of Our Lady of La Salette in Debowiec, Poland, where he was be buried. As St Peter's Parish we will remember and pray for him in a special way during a Memorial Mass celebrated on Sunday, 18th May, at 11am. May he rest in peace.

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WE REMEMBER in our prayers those who are sick and housebound: Muireann Carbery, Bernadette Asser, Gary Bennett, Steve Sutherland, Sheila Betson, Martha Buckley, Ann Sullivan, Charlie Hannell, Adora Garcia, Dee Duster, Valerie Brown, Frances Duggan, Christopher Bone, Michael Moffat, Henry Moffat, J. Radford, L. Stuchfield, Sean Murphy, Marie Merrett, Myra Jarrett, Terry Hooker, Martina Murray, Deborah Woldron, Ann O'Sullivan, Eliza Brinkus, Phil McManus, Emerald Lawrance, Lee Suzanne Ives, Irene Quirke, Anne O'Sullivan, Bridget Nsofor, Jayne Gilbert, Samuel Vincent O'Callaghan.

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WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS those whose anniversaries occur around this time: Celine Mathew, Rose Antony.

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PARISH FINANCE COMEETTE meeting on Tuesday 6th May at 7pm in the Presbytery.

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PARISH COUNCIL Meeting on Wednesday 7th May at 7pm in RE Room.

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MASS INTENTIONS: There are not too many Mass Intentions booked for weekday Masses for the nearest future. If you would like to book a Mass Intention for the living or the dead or any other occasion or reason, please see the priest or collect the Mass Booking Envelope from the back of the church.

NEW MASS BOOK (Year C, Volume 2): The current Mass Book (Year C, Volume 1) used by the congregation will lead us to the end of Easter time. With the beginning of Ordinary time (15th June) we will need a new Mass Book (Year C, Volume 2), which needs to be ordered. As previously we need 220 copies. The cost of one copy/book is £5. If you would like to sponsor/donate some of them, see Fr Marek or Fr Adam, please.

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UPDATING CHURCH REGISTER AND WELCOMING NEW PARISHIONERS: We are in the process of updating our Parish records. If you are new to the parish or did not complete *Parish Census Information Form* in the past you may do it now. Special *Parish Census Information Forms* are available from the porch. Once completed can be returned to the Parish Office or handed to one of the priests.

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NEW ENVELOPES & GIFT AID SCHEME (EXPLAINED): *The Gift Aid scheme* remains an important way of increasing your offertory collection. It is available to **all UK taxpayers**. You are not required to give a specific amount every week but, whatever you give through donations, Sunday offertory collections, Mass intentions, etc. will be increased by the Government by 25% at no extra cost to you.

- If you are already on the scheme your new Gift Aid Envelopes 2025/2026 should be ready for collection;
- If you cannot find your envelopes this means you may need to sign a new declaration;
- If you are not on the scheme and would like to be part of it all you need to do is to complete and sign the *Gift Aid declaration form*.

If you need any assistance speak to Sally or contact the Parish Office, please.

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LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: Thank you very much for your last Sunday's collection of £1225.14 (envelopes £731.71; loose £393.43; contactless £100) & Building Fund £249.98.

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SECOND COLLECTION:

- This Sunday for *Building Fund*.
- Next Sunday Promotion for Vocations.

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THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES: Throughout the Easter period we read each day in the Liturgy from the Acts of the Apostles. Talks by Fr Adrian Graffy, parish priest of Gidea Park, are available on www.whatgoodnews.org. Please go to *Faith Talks* and scroll down to *Acts of the Apostles* and *Paul in Acts*.

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THE DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2025: Join Bishop Alan in Lourdes from Friday 18th to Friday 25th July. We can support those with medical needs. For further information, please phone Tangney Tours on 01732 886 666 or book: www.tangney-tours.com/diocese-pilgrimages/diocese-brentwood

Payments or Standing Orders to Our Parish account:

St Peter's R.C. Parish, Sort Code 40-13-22, Acc. No. 61280856. (Gift Aid Declaration and Standing order Mandate forms can be collected from our Parish Office or downloaded from our Parish Website).