

**Saturday 13th** **First Mass of Sunday**  
6.00pm Ragen Mila Anniv (Family)

**Sunday 14th** **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (C)**  
8.00am Parish Family  
9.00am Yohannan Nancy Anniv (Sophia & Family)  
11.00am Mary T. Degnan RIP (Monica Lehane)  
4.00pm Malayalam Mass  
7.00pm Syro Malabar Mass



**Monday 15th** **Monday in Holy Week**  
8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.00am Des Crumlish & Laura's Int (Joan Crumlish)  
9.40am Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Tuesday 16th** **Tuesday in Holy Week**  
8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.00am Mark Wilson RIP (Anne Daly & Family)  
9.40am Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**Wednesday 17th** **Wednesday in Holy Week**  
8.45am Morning Prayer  
9.00am Daniel & Philip Crangle's Int (Frances Crangle)  
12.30pm Holy Souls (said in Newham Hospital)  
7.00pm Breda Duffy RIP (Paula Connolly Maranan)  
Brentwood Cathedral

**Thursday 18th** **MAUNDY THURSDAY**  
5.00pm Syro Malabar Mass  
8.00pm Mass of the Last Supper  
Janet Ladipo RIP (Sister)

**Friday 19th** **GOOD FRIDAY**  
9.00am Office of Readings and Morning Prayer  
10.00am Children's Stations of the Cross  
10.45am Syro Malabar Service  
3.00pm Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord  
6.30pm Stations of the Cross

**Saturday 20th** **HOLY SATURDAY**  
9.00am Office of Readings and Morning Prayer  
5.00pm Syro Malabar Mass  
8.00pm Pascal Vigil Peter & Jenova Angelese Anniv (Family)

**Sunday 21st** **THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (C)**  
8.00am Parish Family  
9.00am P. Mariampillai Anniv (George)  
11.00am Rachel English Anniv (Family)



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## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (C)

Dear Parishioners,



We have now reached Holy Week with the celebration of Palm Sunday. Palms will be distributed and Blessed at all the Masses this weekend. On Monday we have our Service of Reconciliation at 7.00pm. Wednesday we will be having the Chrism mass at Brentwood Cathedral at 7.00pm and during the Mass Bishop Alan will, bless the oil that we used for the Sacraments throughout the year. Also the Priest will renew their promises that they made at their Ordinations. Hopefully some of you might come along to the Cathedral. Holy Thursday is the beginning of the Easter Triduum and begins with the Mass of the Last Supper during which we will wash the feet of twelve members of the Parish. All Extra Ordinary **Eucharistic Ministers** should attend this Mass as you will be renewing the Promises you made when you became a Minister of the Eucharist. The oils blessed by Bishop Alan will be brought up at the Offertory. After the Mass Altar will be cleared and there will be Watching with prayer until Midnight, when we finish with Night Prayer of the Church. Good Friday we begin the day with Office of Readings, followed by the Children's Stations of the Cross. At 11.00am the Ecumenical Walk will start at St. Bart's Church. Syro Malabar Good Friday Service 10.45am. The Passion of the Lord with Veneration of the Cross at 3.00pm; Stations of the cross and Veneration of the Cross at 6.30pm. Holy Saturday will start with the Office of readings and Morning Prayer at 9.00am and the Easter Vigil at 8.00pm during which we will receive 5 adults and two children into the family of Christ.

**God Bless, Bob**

## ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

- 14th Sunday Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**  
Palms will be blessed and distributed at all Masses today  
11am Mass will begin in St. Michael's School Hall  
Communion to housebound – 1.30pm
- 15th Monday** Reconciliation, St. Michael's Church – 7.00pm
- 16th Tuesday** Communion to the Sick/Housebound – 10.30am
- 17th Wednesday** Mass in Newham Hospital – 12.30pm  
ChrisM Mass, Brentwood Cathedral – 7.00pm
- 18th Thursday Holy Thursday**  
Altar Servers Meeting for Preparation of Holy Week – 10.00am  
Funeral of John Thomas Warren - 3.00pm  
Syro Malabar Mass – 5.00pm  
Mass of the Last Supper – 8.00pm  
During Mass we will have The Washing of Feet  
Renewal of Promises of Eucharistic Ministers during Mass  
Praying before the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight with Night Prayer
- 19th Friday Good Friday**  
Office of Readings and Morning Prayer – 9.00am  
Children's Stations of the Cross 10.00am – Walk of Witness  
11.00am  
Passion of the Lord – 3.00pm  
Stations of the Cross and Veneration of the Cross – 6.30pm
- 20th Saturday Holy Saturday**  
Office of Readings and Morning Prayer – 9.00am  
Altar Servers practise in Church – 10.00am  
Easter Vigil – 8.00pm
- 21st Sunday Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (C)**  
Masses 8.00am, 9.00am & 11.00am

### Coming Events

- 1st Communion Reconciliation Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April  
Confirmation Group Meet Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April  
1st Communion Children Meet Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April  
Lourdes Pilgrimage Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May  
1st Communion Mass Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May  
1st Communion Mass Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May

**300 CLUB:** We will be starting the 300 Club on the 14<sup>th</sup> April which will be the first draw for 2019/2020. We are hoping that many of you will join the 300 Club so as to make it a success once again. We have not yet worked out the full total of the past year, but as soon as it is done we will let you know. It seems that it is another successful year and the profits will go towards the building of the new Toilet facilities for the Parish. Do pick a form up at the back of the Church and fill it in and return with the monies and we will give you a number if you have not joined before and wish you all a success during the new year of the 300 Club.

**BRENTWOOD CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY:** Children and families are now able to access direct therapeutic support in one of our clinics. Sessions take place after school or at an evening clinic at our counselling suites in Rayleigh. Our highly experienced counsellors provide support directly to the whole family or to children and adolescents on a 1:1 basis. If you are concerned that your child may need someone to talk to, please contact Catherine on [cmunns@bccs.org.uk](mailto:cmunns@bccs.org.uk). There is a sessional charge, so please enquire.

**PILGRIMAGE TO AYLESFORD:** on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June. Coach leaves Our Lady of Compassion Church at 9.00am and returns approximately 8.00pm. Tickets £12 from Sr. Immaculata and Sr. Patricia 02084705816

**SACRED HEART OF MARY GIRLS' SCHOOL, UPMINSTER** is recruiting a Part-Time Midday Assistant: APTC Scale 1 Points 1 to 2 (£20,103 - £20,466 per annum *pro rata* and hourly rate: £10.71 - £10.90) Mid-Day assistant to start May 19. The hours are 6 ¼ per week term time only and cover the lunchtime period (12.30 to 1.45 pm). This post is exempt from the provision of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the successful applicants will be expected to undertake a DBS enhanced disclosure. An application form is available from the 'Job Vacancies' section on the School's website [www.sacredheartofmary.net](http://www.sacredheartofmary.net) Please return your completed application to Mrs K Jones at the School's address or e-mail to: [kj@mary.havering.sch.uk](mailto:kj@mary.havering.sch.uk) Closing date: Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

**DIocese OF BRENTWOOD MARRIAGE CONFERENCE** on Saturday 6th July 2019, 10.30am-2.30pm at The Cathedral Hall, Brentwood Cathedral, Ingrave Road, Brentwood  
A gathering for: members of national and local organisations supporting marriage, those who support married and engaged couples in parishes and deaneries, those helping young people explore the vocation to marriage. Keynote speakers: Brenden Thompson *Lead Coordinator, Catholic Voices* and Laura Thompson *Teacher and Catholic Voice*. No charge & lunch is provided. Booking via Eventbrite <https://brentwoodmarrieday.eventbrite.co.uk>

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2019** Come this summer on Brentwood Diocese's pilgrimage to Lourdes with Bishop Alan, from Sunday 21 - Friday 26 July. For further information, please phone Tangey Tours on 01732 886 666. Please note that they will be flying from Southend Airport. They are able to support those with medical needs.

**MASS FOR MIGRANTS:** Please join Bishops, Priests and thousands of people for this Mass on Bank Holiday Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> May, at Westminster Cathedral at 10.30am. Banner procession at 10am – banners from parishes and different ethnic groups are very, very welcome – gather outside the Cathedral from 9.30am.

**SVP:** SVP is interested in finding parishioners who would like us to visit. The person themselves can ask for us to call or their relatives/family. I would be happy to get contacted on my mobile John Crangle (07711297146) or my fellow conference member Lynessa (07896535212) We have an intention to have a conversation or say a few prayers with those we visit.