



**PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING CHINGFORD ABRIDGED NEWSLETTER  
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2020 – SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

'Peace be with you.' These are the first words of the risen Christ to his anxious disciples, and they are his first words to us today as we seek to encounter him in his Word. This is the normal Jewish greeting, but here it has special force. He reassures the disciples, whose fear in the circumstances is quite natural, that they do not need to be afraid. By showing them his wounds, he confirms that he is indeed the Jesus they knew, who was crucified and has now risen in the flesh. *Lord Jesus, come to us and let us know your risen presence. Strengthen our faith, and fill us with your Spirit, so that we may be able to continue your work in the world.* Bible Alive Easter'20

**Liturgical Calendar**

Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> **St George, Patron of England**

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> **St Mellitus**

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> **St Mark, Evangelist**

**Sunday Mass at 11.00am** – Fr David will be live streaming Mass each Sunday during Lockdown. This Mass is being offered for the People of the Parish each week. Please use this link <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkUuGmR9iHgpKwbaPI0gbnA/featured> (it's also on the website). Also on **Sun 19<sup>th</sup> Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction is being streamed at 6.00pm** (not 4pm) – use the above link – streaming goes live about 10 minutes beforehand.

**Please check our website regularly for updates** [www.chingfordctk.co.uk](http://www.chingfordctk.co.uk) **Can you let us have some feedback on the website?** If so, please email [chingfordctk@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:chingfordctk@dioceseofbrentwood.org)

Praying with Pope Francis during April that *“those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.”* **Pray with Pope Francis** during the coronavirus crisis – alongside his monthly intentions see [www.clicktopray.org](http://www.clicktopray.org)

As you will be aware, due to the closure of our church, parish income has been and will continue to be, adversely affected. An online donation facility has been set up for our parish via the Diocesan website <https://www.dioceseofbrentwood.net/donations?parish=chingford-2-b>

**Mass Intentions** – we currently have spaces available due to the Lockdown. If you would like to offer a mass please email us at: [chingfordctk@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:chingfordctk@dioceseofbrentwood.org) You may make a donation using the above link **or send a cheque made payable to the Parish of Christ the King** (if you are in the Gift Aid Scheme please write your Gift Aid number on the back of your cheque). Send it to Fr D Waller 455 Chingford Rd, London E4 8SP.

We pray for the people who live & work in **Hampton Rd, Burnham Rd, Norton Close, Norbury Rd & Frankland Rd.**

**Fr David says that the family of Rose Fenwick RIP** have asked him to thank you for your prayers. Although the funeral was very simple it was nonetheless very prayerful.

**We remember those whose anniversaries are around this time:** Bridget Mary Day, James O'Shea, Joseph Lacey, Eva Akenhurst, Mary Walsh, John McManus, Alf Smith, John Mullan, Edward Purcell, Gertrude Bonsu, James Owen Waters, Jim Joseph Lynch, Alfred Witchell, Catherina Gamalliere, Avril Mary Underhill.

**Please pray for our sick:** Agnes, Ruth H, Veronica M, Cenora D, Hugo A, Yvonne S, Wendy and Eddie G, Fiona F, Chris M, Maureen E, Gertrude O, Katie E, Ann C, Francine B, Theresa S, Brigid L, Isobel M, George M, Marcella K, Steve S, Gloria C, Helen G, Natalie C, Jim C, Brian O'D, Eileen A, Mary L, Pierette.

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Mass intentions this week are at Fr David's discretion. **Wishing you a blessed week and keep well.**