



# Catholic Church of CHRIST THE KING

*a Parish in the Diocese of Brentwood in the Pastoral  
Care of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham*



## NEWSLETTER FOR 7<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER & PENTECOST – YEAR A 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> MAY 2026



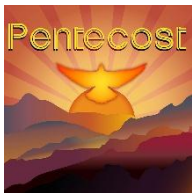
In these two weeks, we stand between the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, which we have celebrated, and the Solemnity of Pentecost. It is a time in which we fix our eyes on heaven, seeking, as St Paul urges us, ‘the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.’ In doing so, we acknowledge that our lives are not meant to be entangled in worldly ambitions, but are oriented towards the Risen Lord, in whom true joy is found. As we seek Him, we remember His promise to the disciples: ‘I will not leave you as orphans,’ for He has sent the Holy Spirit to dwell within us and guide us towards our divine destination.

‘**GRANT**, we beseech thee, Almighty God: that like as we do believe thy Only Begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens; so we may also in heart and mind thither ascend, and with him continually dwell; who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.’

**Please pray for those who are sick or housebound, especially:** Agnes, Veronica M, Cenora D, Hugo A, Wendy & Eddie G, Fiona F, Katie E, Ann C, Jim C, Brian O’D, Mary L, Pierette, Clarita J, Cathy J, Esther M, Patrick F, Maria T, Tina B, Jeanita S, Vic & Esther, Michael M, Victoria C, Ken R, Alfie L, Rowey P.

**Please pray for the repose of the souls of those whose anniversaries are at this time:** Eleanor Horn, Jack Downey, Charles Shaw, Joanna Couchlan, John Reynolds, Rose Groarke, John Crowley, Catherine Dodd, Bridget Flynn, Edward Keefe, James Chase, Michael Persaud, Lily Ruane, Kevin O’Neill, Lilian Dougan, Patricia Studman, Pasquale Salvaggio, Mgr O’Grady, Ann Croke, Alfred Bruce, Charles Shaw, Kathy Salmon, Jackie Sartor, Margaret Shannon, James Hurley, John Alexander, Dorothy Cooke, John Prevost, Peggy English, Bridgey Tuohy, Thevathasan Ratnarajah, Kenneth Osakwe, Carlos Canessa.

## THE VIGIL OF PENTECOST



This will be observed on **Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 5pm.**

## THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI ON 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

At 3.30pm – annual procession of the Blessed Sacrament from Warwick St to the Ukrainian Cathedral of the



Holy Family and ending with Benediction at St James, Spanish Place. **All welcome.** The

procession will be a continuation of that which starts at Corpus Christi Church following the Pontifical Sung Mass at 11am, celebrated by the Rt Revd Paul Mason, Bishop of the Armed Forces.

### Evensong and Benediction

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm

Mass Readings can be found at

<https://universalis.com/mass.htm>

### Rest in Peace

Please continue to pray for the repose of the soul of **Ann Weatherley**. Her Requiem Mass is on 28<sup>th</sup> May, 12pm at Our Lady of Grace, N.Chingford.

### The Orphanage in Congo.

The Sisters' Garden Party is on **Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> June**, see poster in the Porch. **All welcome.**

The next coffee morning is on **Father's Day Sunday 21st June** after the 9 and 11am Mass in the hall. **Dads** come and celebrate with us!

### Calling all Gardeners!

Helena has arranged meetups on Saturdays 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> May 10-12pm please bring own gloves, small tools.

### New Parishioners

Welcome! Please fill in a registration form from the porch – we have a post box on the wall you can use.

### Second Collections

17<sup>th</sup> May: World Communications.  
7<sup>th</sup> June: Sick Clergy.

### Mass Intentions

To offer a Mass please fill in an envelope from the porch – cards can be purchased at the Repository.

### Handmade Greetings Cards

On sale in the porch for the flower fund – box at back of the Church.

### Repository – Our Little Holy Shop

Religious cards and items are on sale in the porch pay by cash or card.

### The Parish Office is closed between 25<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> May 2026

### Food Hub in Highams Park

Please continue to bring in nonperishable food for those in need. The basket is in the porch. T.Y!

### Pope's Prayer intention for May

#### **That everyone might have food**

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be

committed to avoiding wasting food and to ensuring that everyone has access to quality food.

### **Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham**

**Walsingham Pilgrimage** – 28 May  
**Ordinariate Festival** – 13-15 Oct

### **Diocesan Pilgrimages 2026**

**Walsingham:** 23 May  
**Knock & Co. Mayo:** 15-20 June  
**Bradwell:** 4 July  
**Lourdes:** 17-24 July

### **Mass of Thanksgiving for Marriage & Family Life**

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 3pm at Brentwood Cathedral - to attend contact the Parish Office for an invite

### **Relationship Difficulties or Train as a Relationship Counsellor**

[www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)

### **Awake London**

Saturday 20th June 12.45 - 4.45pm  
**All welcome!**

### **ProLife Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> August**

<https://prolifepilgrimage.org>

### **A Day with Mary Pilgrimages 2026**

**Italy** 1-10 Sept. closing date 23/6.  
<https://www.adaywithmary.org/>

### **Vocations Weekend for Women (20/30s) 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> May Liverpool**

Discerning God's Call in your life  
fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com  
<https://bit.ly/FCJVocationWeekend>

### **WeBelieve Festival 24-27 July**

Book through Ordinariate Group.

### **Youth Service Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

If you are in Year 10 and above.  
[www.bcys.net/events/sl26](http://www.bcys.net/events/sl26)

### **St John Bosco Children's Camp**

For children in Years 5-7.  
<https://boscocamp.co.uk>

### **Parish Finances**

Please make a regular offering if you can by setting up a **Standing Order** via online banking or contact the **Parish Office on 020 8527 3087.**

### **Payee: Christ the King Church**

**Sort code: 40-13-22**

**Account No: 71019120**



Please **Gift Aid** your digital donations. You can also donate remotely by scanning the QR Code or using the following link:

<https://donate.myдона.com/christ-the-king-chingford>

**Second Collections** If you are a Gift Aid donor you can donate to second collections online Ref: your Gift Aid Number & abbreviate name of the collection – see list on noticeboard.

### **Gift Aid Envelopes 2026/27**

If you **do not need** your box of envelopes, **please return them** to the porch table marked with an **X** so we will not order a box for you next year.

If you would like to join the Gift Aid Scheme, please download a form  
[www.chingfordctk.co.uk/forms/](http://www.chingfordctk.co.uk/forms/)

## Mass Times and Intentions

<b>Sat 16<sup>th</sup> May</b>	6pm (vigil)	Ann Weatherley RIP
<b>Sun 17<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</i>	9am 11am	People of the Parish Raul Rodrigues RIP
<b>Tues 19<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>St Dunstan</i>	7:30pm	Pasquale Salvaggio (First Anniversary) RIP
<b>Wed 20<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>St Bernardine of Siena</i>	9:30am	Sr Maria Goretti O'Brien, Sr Jeanine & Sr Edmonde – <i>May their souls rest in peace.</i>
<b>Thu 21<sup>st</sup> May</b> <i>St Helena</i>	11:30am	Victor Andrew RIP
<b>Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> May</b> <i>St Rita of Cascia</i>	9:30am	Ann Weatherley RIP
<b>Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b> <i>Vigil of Pentecost</i>	5pm	Breda Delaney RIP
<b>Sun 24<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>Pentecost</i>	9am 11am	Raul Rodrigues RIP People of the Parish
<b>Tues 26<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>St Philip Neri</i>	7:30pm	No Service
<b>Wed 27<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>St Augustine of Canterbury</i>	9:30am	No Service
<b>Thu 28<sup>th</sup> May</b> <i>Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest</i>	11:30am	No Service
<b>Fri 29<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9:30am	No Service
<b>Sat 30<sup>th</sup> May</b>	6pm (vigil)	Raul Rodrigues RIP
<b>Sun 31<sup>st</sup> May</b> <i>Most Holy Trinity</i>	9am 11am	People of the Parish Phyllis Condon's Intentions

**Adoration** Sunday 8:20-8:45, 10:20-10:45, Thursday after Mass.

**Confessions** Normally Tuesday 7:00-7:25pm & Thursday 11:00-11:25am or by appointment with Fr Timothy.

**Rosary** Thursday 11am.

**Livestream Link** [Christ the King Chingford](#) - YouTube.

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