

COLLIER ROW FOODBANK

There is a box in the porch for donations to the Foodbank, which is based at The Ascension Church Hall. At the moment the Foodbank could do with the following items:

*Tinned fish • Jars pasta sauce • Long life milk • Tinned spaghetti • Tinned custard • Tinned fruit • Biscuits
Long life fruit juice • Instant Coffee • Tomato ketchup • Sponge puddings • Jam • Crisps/chocolate*

CALAIS LIGHT

Calais Light are taking volunteer bookings now for our next Convoy - January 31st-2nd February 2020. We plan a long way ahead so don't delay. We're the car-sharing Refugee action convoy which takes a bunch of like-minded, friendly volunteers to Calais to work for the weekend with refugee charities! Make it your New Year's Resolution to volunteer! Come with us! Sign up now at www.calaislight.com or on our facebook page.

Please remember in your prayers

Those who are ill, including . . .

Neil Abrahams, Isabella Ayres, Rita Blake, Mary Brennan, Lesley Carroll, Tom Coddington, Pat and Janet Defreitas, Brenda Duke, Father Paul Dynan, Compton Glasgow, Father Tom Jordan, Gary Martindill, Maureen Mongan, Helen Murray, Sue Read, Stephen Smithers, Sue Spelling, Mary Treston and Mary Williams.

Those who have died recently, including . . .

Jo Goodbody died on 22 October. Her Requiem Mass will be celebrated here on Wednesday 27 November at 10.30 am followed by burial at St John's Churchyard, Havering-atte-Bower.

Those whose anniversaries are recalled at this time, including . . .

16-22: Ron Brown, Kathleen Peat, Patrick Callaghan, Thomas Moran, Fred Golding, Ben Tully, John Alfred Gillard, Patrick McDonnell, Maureen McCarthy and Joe Wheelhouse.

THE CHAPEL OF OUR LADY

This week, the light burning in honour of Our Lady is for the Holy Souls.

MINISTRY ROTA

16-17 Nov: Group 9
23-24 Nov: Group 10
30 Nov-1 Dec: Group 1
7-8 Dec: Group 2

CHECKING ROTA

17 Nov: Ken Hay, Wally Barnes
24 Nov: Peter Whipps
1 Dec: Linda Withers, Sophie Pritchard
8 Dec: Margaret Conway, Margaret Smith



MASS INTENTIONS

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 16 Nov : 6.30 pm Molly Craig RIP (Micallef)
Sunday 17 Nov : 9.00 am Mary Gallen RIP (Charles)
11.30 am Members of Our Parish Community

Monday 18 Nov : 9.00 am Winifred Long RIP (Long family)

Tuesday 19 Nov : 9.00 am *Communion Service*

Wednesday 20 Nov : 9.00 am Peter McGovern RIP (Campbell)

Thursday 21 Nov : 9.00 am Canon Antony Griffiths RIP (PACT Northampton)

Friday 22 Nov : 9.00 am Joseph Duggan RIP (Peter)

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

Saturday 23 Nov : 6.30 pm Rachael Treanor int (Butcher)

Sunday 24 Nov : 9.00 am Maureen McCarthy RIP (McCarthy family)

11.30 am Members of Our Parish Community

Catholic Church of Corpus Christi

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Parish Priest:

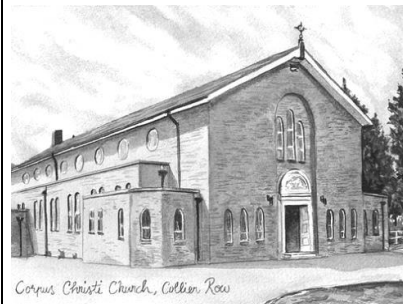
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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

16-17 November 2019



Corpus Christi Church, Collier Row

PARISH WEBSITE

www.corpuschristicollierrow.org

The church is usually open daily until 5.00 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday : 6.30 pm, Sunday : 9.00 am and 11.30 am

MASS DURING THE WEEK

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday : 9.00 am

COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday : 9.00 am

MORNING PRAYER

Monday to Friday : 8.45 am

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Friday : 7.30 pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday : 5.30 – 6.30 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday : 6.00-6.30 pm
or any other time on request

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday : 9.00 am – 12.00 noon

The newsletter is also available on the parish website

This Sunday is the **World Day of the Poor**. "How many times do we see poor people rummaging through garbage bins to retrieve what others have discarded as superfluous, in the hope of finding something to live on or to wear! They themselves become part of a human garbage bin; they are treated as refuse". With these strong words, Pope Francis encourages all of us to consider the poorest and most vulnerable; you will find the full text of his message on www.vatican.va. Our Diocese has a website full of charitable action projects that all need volunteers – have a look at www.caritasbrentwood.org

NOVEMBER – MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

November is the month when we especially remember our dead and their influence on us, the living. We also pray for them and offer Masses for the repose of their souls in the eternal life of God. Our custom here, for many years, is to leave the names of our loved ones before the altar throughout the month. Envelopes for this purpose are available in the porch; please place them in the offertory baskets, put them through the letter box at Church House or hand them in to the sacristy.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

This weekend we welcome Louis O'Driscoll into the Church and pray that he and his family will grow in faith and in the knowledge and love of God.

YOUR OFFERINGS

Last weekend the parish offerings amounted to £857.02 (of which £354.45 was gift aided). The World Mission Day collection came to £264.70. Thank you for your generous and continued giving.

MINI BAZAAR : NEXT SUNDAY from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm in the Parish Hall

There will be music, mince pies and mulled wine

Your attendance will help to raise money for the SVP and Church Gardens

Please bring any items you wish to donate and leave in the church porch or give to Jean Capps (07591-655635) who would be grateful for any offers of help. Items can also be donated from 8.30am on the day.