



Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint Michael, Uxbridge

Corpus Christi (C), 19th June 2022

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Parish Diary

Saturday 18th June Our Lady
10am Lucy Thomas (24th Ann)
10.30am-11am Adoration/Confessions
11.30am Baptism (Luna Bertini)
2pm FHC Thanksgiving Mass
5pm Lucy Sweeney (RIP)
7.30pm Wine Tasting & Tapas Evening

Sunday 19th June
Corpus Christi
8am Jose Manuel (int)
9.30am Coring Albano (RIP)
11am Alex & Natalia D'Souza (RIP)

Monday 20th June St Alban
9am Bridget Lee (RIP)

Tuesday 21st June
St Aloysius Gonzaga
9.30am John Levins (RIP)
6pm Ignatian Prayer Group (Zoom)

Wednesday 22nd June
SS John Fisher & Thomas More
9.30am Mr P. Alexander (RIP)

Thursday 23rd June
Nativity of St John the Baptist
NO MASS

Friday 24th June
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
6pm Bridget Quinn (RIP)
7pm Parish Rosary (YouTube)

Saturday 25th June
Immaculate Heart of Mary
10am Nora O'Sullivan (7th Ann)
10.30am-11am Adoration/Confessions
11.30am Baptism (Thomas Jackman)
1.30pm Baptism (Tommie Rooke)
2.30pm Baptism (Hugo Dominici)
5pm Jim Goode (10th Ann)

Sunday 26th June
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8am Pro Populo
9.30am Henry Hamilton (2nd Ann)
11am Eduardo Graziadio (3rd Ann)

*Sanctuary Lamps burn this week for Anne
& Antonio Fernades, RIP (Bl Sacrament)
& our FHC Children, int (Our Lady).*

*Services in **bold** are livestreamed on the
'Uxbridge Parish' YouTube channel.*

Sunday Readings: Genesis 14: 18-20; 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26; Luke 9: 11-17. Response: You a priest for ever, a priest like Melchisedek of old.

Ignatian Prayer Group meets for 45 minutes on Tuesdays via Zoom at 6pm. Please email for a link if you wish to join.

COVID is still very much with us and local rates are increasing. Many people still wear masks in church for their own comfort and safety. We ask that, if you feel unwell or have symptoms such as a cough, you stay at home. We will continue to **sanitise** hands on arrival/exit and **clean** the church after each service. Please follow the instructions for the Communion procession. Holy Communion is distributed, for hygienic reasons, on the hand.

Lucy Sweeney RIP We were sad to hear of the death, on Friday morning, of Lucy Sweeney, of the High Steet, Iver, aged 96. We pray for the repose of her soul, for the comfort of her daughters, Catherine and Elizabeth, and all the family. Her Requiem Mass will be held in our church at 11am on Monday 4th July.

Home Visit Team If you know of a sick or housebound Catholic who lives in our parish and would appreciate visits with Holy Communion, then please let us know. We are also always looking for volunteers who would like to join our team of visitors—please contact us!

Children's Liturgy meets at the 9.30am Mass on Sundays in term time.

Parish Rosary meets on YouTube this Friday at 7pm.

Churches Together in Uxbridge (CTU) AGM and Lunch is at the Quaker Meeting House at 1.30pm on Sunday 26th June. There will even be a pop-up religious book fair! Please let us know if you intend to come.

Quiz Night at the Uxbridge Centre (The Greenway) takes place on Saturday 25th June: £12 per ticket, £30 family ticket (2 adults, 2 children), including food. Money raised to help the scouts go to South Korea for an international meeting. If you'd like to go, please contact Angie, 07770785512.

Most of our services are livestreamed on our YouTube channel (Uxbridge Parish). If you sit in the front two pews by the Sacred Heart or come up for Communion, you may appear on it: please let us know if you have any questions.

Parish WhatsApp Group.

To join, please send your number to 07949717769.

Ukraine Appeal As we continue to pray for peace in Ukraine, many charities are organising support, including Aid to the Church in Need (www.acnuk.org), CAFOD (www.cafod.org.uk/Give/Donate-to-Emergencies/Ukraine-Humanitarian-Appeal), and Caritas (www.caritas.org/ukraine-appeal-22).

‘Homes For Ukraine’

Would you consider hosting a refugee family for six months or more? The government has FAQs: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/homes-for-ukraine-scheme-frequently-asked-questions>. The Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) have been supporting people to host refugees for many years: <https://www.jrsuk.net/ukrainian-refugee-hosting-faqs/>

Mass Attendance Cards If your child needs a priest's reference (CCP) for a school (Nursery, Reception or Year 7 application) later this year, please make sure you are engaging regularly in the life of the parish over the space of a year. We now expect families

to be physically attending Mass, unless there are exceptional reasons, and Fr Nicholas or Angela are now resuming signing cards at the end of weekend Masses.

Looking Ahead First Communion applications for 2023 will be available for children in Year 3 and above during August/beginning of September, with enrolment appointments 16th-18th September. Young adults in Year 9 or above should look out for Confirmation application forms in September. In the meantime, anyone interested in these courses should make sure they have a copy of their child's baptism certificate, which will be needed in the autumn.

Foodbank—Help Needed!

We support various individuals on low income and always need breakfast cereals, pasta, rice, canned meals, tinned veg, coffee, sugar. Please bring them to the church or presbytery. Thanks.

Family Fun Day at Pield Heath House School takes place on Thursday 30th June, 11am-3pm. There will be tombola, have-a-go-activities and a raffle (1st Prize: HP Laptop). All are welcome.

Will You take the first Step? CAFOD's Gap year programme, Step into the Gap is a great opportunity for Young Adults aged between 18-30 to immerse themselves in interactive experiences, develop leadership skills while exploring their faith, and meeting new people. This is a chance to reflect on your role in global society while spending a year inspiring others to act for the poor and most marginalised. Based in the UK in a retreat centre or Catholic Secondary school with accommodation, travel and stipend included. Take the first step and find out more information and how to apply for September 2022 go to cafod.org.uk/gapyear

Procession and Street Fete (Sagra) at the Italian Church, 136 Clerkenwell Road, London EC1R 5DL, takes place on Sunday 17th July 2022 at 3.30pm in honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. It is always a colourful occasion and all are welcome!

All Britain Fleadh takes place at Brunel University, 25th-26th June—see www.comhaltas.co.uk for details. Locals are welcome!

Dates for the Diary

CTU AGM, 26th June, 1.30pm
(Quaker Meeting House)

Infant Baptism Preparation, 16th July, 2.30pm

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