

Parish Announcements and Events!

Confirmation

Congratulations to all our newly confirmed! We rejoice with each of you as you take this important step in your faith journey. Your commitment, preparation, and openness to the Holy Spirit have been a blessing to witness. Our heartfelt thanks go to the teachers, catechists, sponsors, and parents who have supported, guided, and encouraged these young people along the way. Your dedication makes this milestone possible.

A reminder that your **Send Forth Mass will take place on Sunday, 7th June**. We look forward to celebrating together as a parish family.

Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes July 2026

Our parish church will be sponsoring 2 young people from St Vincent's to travel on pilgrimage to Lourdes this year with the Brentwood Diocesan Youth Service, therefore we will help them fundraise to pay for the trip. We will be having different events to support their holy journey. Any and all help will be greatly appreciated. Blessings!

NEXT Baptism Course for parents:

Here at St Vincent's Parish with Fr Riq, Vivek and Jessica.

The date for the Baptism course evening will be this **Wednesday 17th June at 7.00pm** here in our Parish Church.

Please email the Office for more Information Becontree@brcdt.org

Upcoming Parish Events and Celebrations in 2026!

Father's Day BBQ Sunday 21st June after masses. Everyone is invited and donations in cash or kind would be appreciated. We need volunteers to help us GRILL on the day please! Please listen to the announcement for more detail.

Our Parish Groups and Weekly Activities:

Eucharistic Adoration: **Thursdays at 7pm.**

Bible Study Group: **Tuesdays at 7pm and Sundays at 6pm.**

Prayer Group: **Wednesdays at 7pm.**

General Singing Practice: **Mondays at 7pm.**

Friday Night at the Films!!!

Showing of **The Chosen** episodes is back on Fridays at 7pm. Thanks for your faithful attendance.

A Humble Reminder on How to Receive Holy Communion:

We are called to maintain reverence to the Most Holy Eucharist; therefore, we are kindly reminded:

- Please refrain from chewing gum prior to approaching the altar for holy communion.
- Please receive the Sacred Host with both hands or directly on the tongue; do not grasp with fingers.
- The Sacred host **MUST** be consumed immediately in the front before returning to your seat.
- Please approach and depart with reverence, mindful of the Real Presence of Christ in the Church.
- * **When the Priest or Eucharist Minister says: "The Body of Christ/the Blood of Christ" please respond "Amen".**

Igbo Catholic Men Association – St Vincent's Branch

We are pleased to announce the formation of the Igbo Catholic Men Association at St Vincent's. All men of Igbo heritage in our parish are warmly invited to join. Our next meeting will be held on Sunday, 14th June at 5pm in the church. For more information, please contact Mike Ntochukwu or Lazarus Ezeh.

St. Vincent's Parish Building projects needed:

1. Boiler basement needs to be treated for black mould.
2. Front church doors need to be changed with Fire Push door opening handles.
3. Fire alarms and signs need to be placed and installed.
7. Repair of recently discovered cracks in the front of the church wall.
8. Presbytery house dining room to have a built extension outwards into a multi-use meeting room for parish use, as we don't have a parish hall.
9. Ashes garden of remembrance needs to be revitalised and beautified.
10. The current leftover loan debt is £15.000, the reason that we are not allowed to get any further funding.

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New Website: **StVincent-Becontree.co.uk** & Facebook and YouTube Channel

Parish Mobile: **07759643394** (for WhatsApp Group Chat and EMERGENCIES)

OFFICE HOURS – Tuesday to Friday from 10am -12md or by APPOINTMENT ONLY.

Mrs. Helen Craft, Headteacher
St Vincent's Primary School 02082706695



31.05.26 – Trinity Sunday Yr A–Missal P.332

(We say all the psalm together if not sung)

R. To be praised and highly exalted forever!

1. Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our ancestors. **R/**
2. Blessed is your glorious and holy name, **R/**
3. Blessed are you in the temple of your holy glory, **R/**
4. Blessed are you on the throne of your kingdom, **R/**
5. Blessed are you who look into the depths, seated upon the cherubim, **R/**
6. Blessed are you in the firmament of heaven. **R/**



Trinity Sunday Year A is a special day in the Church when we honour the mystery of God as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This feast comes right after the Easter season and Pentecost. It reminds us that God is not distant but is always with us, sharing His love in three persons.

The readings for Trinity Sunday show God's love, mercy, and unity. We hear how God spoke to Moses, how creation praises Him, how Paul calls for peace, and how Jesus explains God's saving love. Each reading points us toward the mystery of the Trinity.

This feast is not about trying to explain every detail. It is about trusting that God's love is greater than we can fully understand. We see His care in the world around us and in the gift of salvation through Jesus Christ.

Parish Collection Sunday 17th May

Gift Aid: £238.00
Loose Plate: £695.75
= Total: £933.75

NO CASH is kept on Church premises!

Thank you for your generosity and continual support.

Can you help us, please?

We are hoping for our StVincent's parishioners to help us with a donation of **£3 or MORE £££ EACH WEEK** for the offertory collection during our Sunday Masses. This will truly help us greatly especially with parish repairs, projects, children's activities and parties.

Thanks in advance for your kindness and generosity.

***We have **livestreaming services through our YouTube Channel.**

This ministry is specially for the sick and housebound or unable to attend mass. Thanks! Blessings!

We continuously PRAY for those Parishioners who are sick and housebound. Please email the Parish Office with names of those in need of prayers.

BCYS, Monthly Youth Mass
Every month, **on the first Thursday**, young people, Youth Groups, Confirmation Groups, School Groups and anyone who wishes to join us to celebrate Mass together with other young Catholics from all around the Diocese are invited at the Brentwood Cathedral at 7:30pm.

WEEKLY MASSES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 31st May Trinity Sunday (Solemnity)	9am Mass	Johanna Dart & Deceased members of Dart Family (RIP)
	12 Noon Mass	Colum Fox (RIP)
Monday 1st June St Justin. Martyr	*** NO MASS ***	Fr Riq unavailable. Office is Closed.
Tuesday 2nd June St Peter & St Marcellinus	9am Rosary/Morning Prayer- then Mass	Tarcila Balneg (RIP)
Wednesday 3rd June St Charles Lwanga & Co	9am Rosary/Morning Prayer then Mass	Newly confirmed & catechists (Thanksgiving)
Thursday 4th June Feria	9am Rosary/Morning Prayer then Mass	School Mass
Friday 5th June St Boniface	9am Rosary/Morning Prayer then Mass	Stella Cook (RIP)
Saturday 6th June St Norbert	3:15pm CONFESSIONS	In the Chapel
	4pm Sunday Vigil Mass	Molly D'Santos (RIP)
Sunday 7th June Corpus Christi (Solemnity)	9am Mass	Jack Chung (RIP)
	12 Noon Mass	David George Battrum (RIP)

Please note that CCTV and LIVE Streaming are in use around the church