Parish Announcements and Events!

Please Join and HELP our Parish with the Gift Aid List:

Gift Aid is a UK government scheme that allows charities and some Community Clubs to reclaim basic-rate tax on donations. For every £1 you donate, our Parish (a registered charity) can claim an extra 25p from HM Revenue & Customs, boosting the value of your gift at absolutely no extra cost to you. All you need to do is to collect a form from Christine to make a Gift Aid declaration for the Church to claim. For any questions about the gift aid scheme please speak to Christine or Mike.

Stella Maris Volunteer

Stella Maris (formerly called Apostleship of the Sea) is seeking one volunteer from this parish please to help with Sea Sunday (which falls on 11/12 July this year) in this parish. This is the day when the Church comes together to pray for seafarers, fishers and their families, and takes a second collection to support the work of Stella Maris. The volunteer will read out the appeal (which Stella Maris will provide) at the end of Masses that weekend. If you can kindly do this, please contact roland.hayes@stellamarismail.org

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!

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**.**

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

07.06.26 –Corpus Christi Sunday Yr A–Missal P.336

(We say all the psalm together if not sung)

R. ***O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord!***

1. O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord! O Sion, praise your God! He has strengthened the bars of your gates; he has blessed your children within you. **R/**
2. He established peace on your borders; he gives you your fill of finest wheat. He sends out his word to the earth and swiftly runs his command. **R/**
3. He reveals his word to Jacob; to Israel, his decrees and judgements. He has not dealt thus with other nations; he has not taught them his judgements. **R/**

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) celebrates the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. We believe that the Eucharist is not just a symbol, but the true and substantial Body and Blood of Christ. The scriptural focus highlights God providing miraculous sustenance for the journey of faith, transitioning from the manna in the desert to the ultimate bread of eternal life. Just as the manna sustained the Israelites, the Eucharist sustains us through the spiritual wilderness of daily life and binds us together into one community, making us the living Body of Christ in the world.

WEEKLY MASSES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 7th June Corpus Christi (Solemnity))	**9am Mass** **12 Noon Mass**	Jack Chung (RIP) David George Battrum (RIP))
Monday 8th June BVM Mother of the Church	***** NO MASS *****	**Fr Riq unavailable.** **Office is Closed.**
Tuesday 9th June *St Columba & St Ephrem*	**9am Rosary/Morning Prayer- then Mass** **5pm Reception of Stella Cook (RIP)**	Bill Crowley (RIP) Church Vigil Service
Wednesday 10th June *Feria*	**12noon Funeral Mass**	Mass for Stella Cook (RIP)
Thursday 11th June *Feria*	**9am Rosary/Morning Prayer then Mass**	TE & Mica (Sp Int)
Friday 12th June *Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity)*	**9am Rosary/Morning Prayer then Mass** **7pm - Mass**	Robert Durand (Bday) For all children lost (RIP)
***Saturday 13th June* Vigil Mass**	**3:15pm CONFESSIONS** **----------** **4pm Sunday Vigil Mass**	In the Chapel ---------- Annette & Jimmy St Louis (RIP)
Sunday 14th June 11th Sunday Ord Time	**9am Mass** **12 Noon Mass**	Robert Durand (Sp Int) Odile Penthe (RIP)

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

Parish Collection Sunday 31st May
Gift Aid: £573.00
Loose Plate: £502.15
= Total: £1,075.15
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.

Tea/Coffee Fundraising
We are pleased to announce that beginning this Sunday, there will be a regular tea and coffee get-together after Sunday Masses. This will help raise funds for our Parish Youth events and activities. Your generosity — whether in cash or in kind — will make a real difference. Thank you for your support.

***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.