

ST ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Team

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A Warm Welcome to all Parishioners and Visitors

28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sundays: Cycle B Weekdays: Year I 10<sup>th</sup> October 2021**



I don't know if anyone in the parish has been in prison? I have, a number of times, but only when visiting. And each time it made me think that I have no idea of the suffering that the prisoner's families and their children go through. When you think that over 200,000 children are affected by parental imprisonment in our country. If you are able to help with your prayers and a donation at the end of Mass, it will be gratefully received. By the way, our Bishop is the chief patron of this trust, PACT. Thank you.

God bless you all, *Father John*

St Ann's weekly Newsletter

There are only 60 hard copies of the newsletter printed each week for parishioners who don't have access to a computer. All other parishioners receive theirs via email. If you would like to be added to this email circulation list, please contact the parish office.

## ROSARY & BENEDICTION IN OCTOBER



There will be Rosary & Benediction every Sunday in October at 3.00pm.

## STANDING ORDERS

If you would like to set up a standing order for your weekly offertory collection, please see our bank details below.

**RCD A&B St Ann Banstead**

**Account details: Sort code 40 05 20**

**Account number 61076256.**

Please Use your surname and initials as a reference and then the letters OC, e.g.,  
Smith T OC

## ST ANN'S BEREAVEMENT GROUP

The Bereavement Group will meet on **Wednesday 13th October** in the Annexe at 2.00 p.m. Everyone who has been bereaved is welcome.

Joanna Stewart on 01737 355523 or  
Paula Thomas on 07710 099682.

## THE PILGRIM PANTOMIME CO



The Pilgrim Pantomime Co are looking for one or two people to play the famous Buttercup the cow in this year's pantomime of '*Jack and the Beanstalk*' Whilst a non-speaking part Buttercup is a vital character in the story. No experience is necessary, and the show will be in January 2022

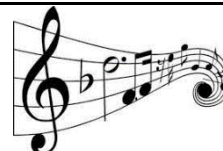
If you or anyone you know would like to play this hilarious role, please contact [pilgrimpanto.banstead@gmail.com](mailto:pilgrimpanto.banstead@gmail.com)

## ST ANN'S FOOD COLLECTION FOR THE LOCAL FOODBANK

The SVP are starting a weekly collection of non-perishable food items for the local foodbank. A box will be placed in the porch for your donations on Saturday evening and collected after the 10 o'clock Mass on Sunday. Please only donate items on the list. The list will be updated on our website each week and on the box lid in the porch.

[www.stannsbanstead.com](http://www.stannsbanstead.com)

## ST ANN'S CHURCH CHOIR



Thank you and welcome to the new choir members who have joined us. We are still looking for a few more. If you are interested to join and would like to find out more, please call or text Flick Saunders on 07710 262228.

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is on Wednesday & Thursday straight after 9.30am Mass until 12 Noon.

Please remember that ALL are welcome to come to Adoration, you don't need to spend a long time in church; please come along any time you would like to come and pray before the Blessed Sacrament, from 2 minutes to 2 hours! Thank you.

## ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you.

Never permit me to be separated from you.  
Amen

## JOURNEYING FROM DESPAIR TO HOPE

'Building support from parishes to prisoners and their families.' An online event on 12<sup>th</sup> October, 5 pm to 6.15 pm. Register at

<https://forms.office.com/r/J1zTkUTiP7>

**PRISONERS' SUNDAY**  
**SECOND COLLECTION TODAY**  
**SUNDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

This year on 10th October - is the National Day of Prayer and action for prisoners and their dependants as marked by the Catholic Church and across the Christian denominations. It is a day to direct our thoughts and prayers to prisoners, their families, and children. Prisoners' Sunday is the time to reflect on how we as individuals, as a Church and as a community are serving those affected by imprisonment.

Prisoners' families, prisoners and people with previous convictions often find themselves on the margins of society due to the social stigma associated with imprisonment. They are often forgotten or come lower down on the list of causes to 'hold a handout to'. But the gospel of Matthew 25: 36 reminds us of our duties towards them:

I was naked and you clothed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to see me.

Pact's work embodies the Christian value of mercy and belief in the innate dignity of every human being. Through this campaign we ask you to engage with a core element of Catholic social teaching and put our faith into action.

**Gift Aid envelopes are available in the Church Porch.**

**NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS LIST**  
**MONTH OF HOLY SOULS**

Envelopes for the November Holy Souls List will be available soon.

Place in the envelope the names of your deceased loved ones and friends, all those you wish to pray for. Holy Mass will be offered for them during the month of November.

Return to the Parish office as soon as possible. Please place your offering in the same envelope.

**RIDDLES FOR CHILDREN**

1. Why is milk the fastest thing in the world?
2. Which candle burns longer, a red one or a green one?
3. What part of a fish weighs the most?

**RETURN TO TEA & COFFEE AFTER**  
**SUNDAY 10AM MASS!**



We are happy to announce that tea & coffee after 10am Sunday Mass will resume. This is an important part of the social side of parish life that we know has been missed by parishioners.

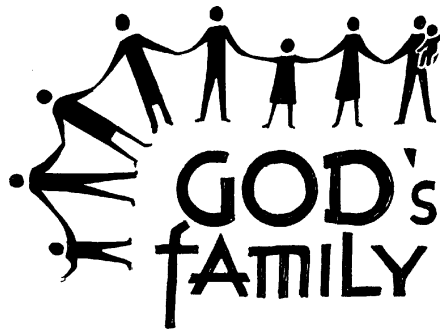
Before this can go ahead, we are asking for volunteers to join the rota. Some of the existing teams have kindly volunteered to return, but we need a good few more so that the commitment is not too often. It's a great way to meet parishioners especially if you are new to the parish. Please contact the parish office by emailing [banstead@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:banstead@abdiocese.org.uk) or call 01737 353724.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR  
PARISH WHO ARE SICK**

Andrea Wright	Doreen Oldroyd
Marie Grumitt	Maureen Reilly
Bob Graham	Eileen Graham
Indira Louis	Ashlee Rodgers
Christian Requena	Gillian Doherty
Wendy Counsell	Joshua Anderson
Damian Poole	Guilherme Guedes
Michael Monaco	Allan Norman
Helen Guinness	Edmund Louis
Helen Kershaw	Michael Ashman
Jane Scargill	Jake Brauer
Jonathan Lewis	Susan Smith
Cyrus Pascoe	Peter Baikie
David Ibbs	Arthur Harding
Amy Grey	Stephen Martin
Barbara Pearl	Sean Gilligan
Angela MacDonald	Spencer Thorpe
Gillian Wooldridge	Freda Griffiths
Catherine Roberts	James Joseph
George Holland	

Mass Intentions			
Saturday Vigil	9 Oct	6.00pm	Dan O'Callaghan RIP
Sunday	10 Oct	8.30am	René Wong Intention
		10.00am	People of the Parish
Monday	11 Oct	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	12 Oct	6.00pm	Zofia RIP
Wednesday	13 Oct	9.30am	Margaret Lester RIP
		<b>10am to 12 Noon</b>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday	14 Oct	9.30 am	Clíodhna Pearson RIP
		<b>10am to 12 Noon</b>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday	15 Oct	12 Noon	Frank Paterson RIP
Saturday Vigil	16 Oct	6.00pm	Agnes & Mark Hayden RIP
Sunday	17 Oct	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	Bernadette Warnock Wellbeing

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**  
**Saturday 10.00am to 11.00am or by appointment.**



**CONTACT DETAILS**

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Newsletter Items to reach the parish office by 12 noon Wednesday.

Office Hours: Monday 9am to 3pm, Wednesday 10am to 2pm & Friday 9am to 3pm

Answers: 1. Because its pasteurised before you see it. 2. Neither, they both burn shorter. 3. The scales.