

# HEMEL CATHOLIC PARISHES

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The Resurrection + St Mary & St Joseph +  
Our Lady Queen of All Creation + St Mark

Diocese of Westminster Charity N° 233699

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

9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> June 2018



Congratulations to everyone who joined in the campaign to support **Mary's Meals** last weekend. We received the following message of thanks from the organisers - *I am delighted to say that the total of unwanted items was 2,330kg. There were also cash donations of £618.22. The grand total was therefore £1,923.02. This amount will feed 138 children who will not only get fed one good, nutritious meal every school day for a whole year, but they will get an education too.* It's clear that this way of helping children go to school works and we will run the campaign again next year. If you would like to help Mary meals as a volunteer, a local organiser or a driver, do get in touch with them [www.marysmeals.org.uk](http://www.marysmeals.org.uk)

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Congratulations too go to our **40 young parishioners** who will be confirmed by Bishop Paul McAleenan on Sunday afternoon. Our volunteer catechists have done a great service in leading them to this point in their life as disciples of Jesus and it shows the good that can be done when our parishes work together. We will be looking for help with next year's programme, so please let us know if you would like to get involved with our ministry to young people in Hemel.

Finally we congratulate **Fr Kim** as it is announced that he will become the Parish Priest of Our Lady's and Grovehill on 1<sup>st</sup> September, while I will remain Parish Priest of Boxmoor and St Mark's. Be assured that we are committed to working together for the good of all our parishioners who make up the Hemel Catholic community.

**May the Lord be gracious and bless us,**

Fr Paul

## Newsletter Deadline

Wednesday 12 noon. Items to:  
[newsletters@hemelcatholic.org](mailto:newsletters@hemelcatholic.org)

**Boxmoor Office:** Shirley Bailey

**Adeyfield Office:** Clare Borgeat

## Cross Parish Notices

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 10.30 – 11am (*Our Lady's*)  
Saturday 11am – 11.30am (*Boxmoor*)

### ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Saturday 10.30-11am (*Our Lady's*)  
First Friday after 10am Mass at BM & from 2.30pm at OLG. Exposition at Grovehill after 10am Mass on Wednesday

**Going into Hospital?** If you are going into Hospital do ask to see a Catholic Chaplain. Please call the Chaplaincy office on 01923 217994 for Watford and St Albans.

### Getting Married in Church?

Please be aware that you must give at least 6 months' notice if you want to get married in a Catholic Church. This is because there is often a lot of paperwork to get done and couples have to attend a pre-marriage course. Don't set a date until you have spoken with a priest.

### Baptism Preparation

Parents who wish to have their children baptised are required to attend our baptism course which runs over 2 consecutive Saturdays. One parent must be a practising Catholic and be known to the priests. If you would like to have your child baptised, the **FINAL** sessions until September are on **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June**, 10.30am until 1pm at Our Lady's church hall, then **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**, 10.30am until 12 noon in the Parish Centre, Boxmoor. Application forms are available at the back of the church.

**4<sup>th</sup> Boxmoor Scout Group** is open to new members from all four parishes; Please call Pete West on 07949 936 994 or email [peteandsue8@virginmedia.com](mailto:peteandsue8@virginmedia.com).

**Please keep our Confirmation Candidates in your prayers this weekend.**

### Forthcoming Funeral

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June 11.30am Our Lady's**  
Requiem Mass for Geoff Marin.  
Received into church Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 4.30pm.

*May he rest in peace and rise in glory*

**Churches Together Prayer intention for the week:**  
Trustees of Churches Together.

**Keech Hospice Care Coffee Morning** on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, raised £73. Many thanks to all the supporters.

**The Bereavement Support Group** will be meeting on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June, 1.30pm until 3pm in St Joseph's Hall, Boxmoor.

**A Course of Saints:** 6 DVDs exploring Therese of Lisieux ; Benedict ; Francis of Assisi ; Patrick ; Ignatius of Loyola ; Catherine of Siena. Presentations are in the hall of St Alban & St Stephen, Beaconsfield Road, St Albans for six consecutive Thursdays from 14<sup>th</sup> June. First showing at 11am to Noon. This will be repeated on the same day at 8pm to 9pm. Refreshments provided beforehand. There are leaflets with more in the foyer at Our Lady's.

**Churches Together in Hemel Hempstead June Ramble:** Come and enjoy a ramble with friends from other churches across Hemel Hempstead on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 10am. We will meet at the War Memorial in Leverstock Green (opposite Holy Trinity Church). The walk: footpaths/lane Nash Mills, Pimlico and Westwick Row. Distance: 3/4 mile. This is an easy/moderate walk.

**Churches Together in Hemel Hempstead AGM** will be held on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June, 7.30pm at St George's URC church. All are welcome. CTHH needs new trustees. Could this be you? Contact Nikki Daly on [xyani@hotmail.com](mailto:xyani@hotmail.com) for more details.

**John F Kennedy School Golden Jubilee:** Did you attend JFK? As part of the Jubilee celebrations we are inviting all former students and members of staff to visit the school on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, from 12 noon until 4pm. BBQ, Pimms, music, school tours and reminiscing. Come and see how the school has changed over the years and meet up with old friends. Tickets only £5 each. Bring the family along. For details contact the school on 266 150 or check our Facebook page @jfk50.

**The Four Parish Justice & Peace Group:** We will meet in the Parish Room at the Church of the Resurrection Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm.. If you have concerns about Justice, please come along. All are welcome

**Piano teacher required for John F Kennedy School** from September 2018, approx. 5 hours over 1 day. Students are currently from Grade 1 - 6 but we would like someone with experience of teaching to Grade 8 and beyond. Our instrumental teacher's rate is £33 per hour. Please contact [nridout@jfk.herts.sch.uk](mailto:nridout@jfk.herts.sch.uk) for further details.

**A date for your diary:** Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July there will be a Ladies Clothing Sale in the Parish Centre, Boxmoor 11am until 3pm.



## Church of the Resurrection

*Henry Wells Square, Grovehill, HP2 6BJ*

Welcome to Highfield and Grovehill Parish Community. If you are new to the parish you are invited to complete a **NEW TO THE PARISH** form, which you will find at the back of the church.

For Parish Room or Church bookings contact Pedro on 07917 813 476 or [entapryz@hotmail.com](mailto:entapryz@hotmail.com).

**We pray for the departed:** Anne Fawsett, Tracy Fletcher, Madeline and Frank Crouchman & Harry Hamill

**We pray for the sick:** James Furlong, John O Reilly, Ken Mansfield, George, Angie Jenkins, Rosemarie Bugbee, Liz Keenan, Mick Sheehan & Eileen McGillicuddy

**CATHLEP DENS Quiz Night:** There will be a Quiz Night on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, in the church hall. The proceeds raised will be donated to DENS. The event will start at 7pm. Ticket prices are £5 per adult and £3 per child 16 or under. There will be a shared meal during the evening and the lists will soon be available for you to indicate what you will be bringing on the night. Tickets will be available from various parishioners at the Mass on Sundays. As always we would be grateful for your support.

## Ss Mary & Joseph

*St Johns Road, Boxmoor, HP1 1NR*

Welcome to St Mary & St Joseph's Parish Community. If you are new to the Parish you are invited to complete a 'New Parish Records Form', which you will find on the table at the back of the church.

**PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS OR ENQUIRIES:** If you are interested in using the Centre for an event, party or meeting, please telephone 07533 965 372 or email [hallbookings@smj.hemelcatholic.org](mailto:hallbookings@smj.hemelcatholic.org).

**Caretaker:** Mick Prindiville. Contact on 07926 141800.

**Prayer lists:** Please fill out the form at the back of the church. Names will remain on the list for four weeks unless otherwise requested.

**We pray for the Departed:** Siobhan Gibbons

**A modern style, grey, single (right ear) hearing aid** was found in in the church kitchen recently. Please call 07515 943615 to claim it.

**Fairtrade Stall at the Scouts' Coffee Morning:** Why not come along on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June and join the Scouts for tea/coffee, bacon and sausage sandwiches. You will also be able to browse our selection of Fairtrade goods.

## Our Lady Queen of All Creation

*Rant Meadow, HP3 8PG*

Welcome to Our Lady's Church & Parish Community. If you are new to the parish you are invited to complete a **NEW TO THE PARISH** form, which you will find at the back of the church.

If you are interested in booking the Parish hall contact Shirley Bailey at [hallbookings@olq.hemelcatholic.org](mailto:hallbookings@olq.hemelcatholic.org) or call 07519 837 130. **Caretaker:** Mick Prendiville. Contact on 07926 141 800.

**Prayer lists:** Please fill out the form in the church foyer. Names will remain on the list for four weeks unless otherwise requested.

**We pray for the Sick:** Jack Barrett, Maria Miller, Bernard Cronin & Family, Alice Francis & Family, Nick Mayes, Matthew Hay, June Stockwell, Nora Watson, Ann Langley, Teresa Foggin, Peter Lynch, Stacey Berryman, David Asbury, Nora Buzwilili & Isabella Buzwilili

**The flowers this weekend** have been donated by Sylvia Marin in the memory of her husband Geoff Marin. Please remember them in your prayers.

**Catholic Women's League Adeyfield:** We are having a summer lunch on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 1.30pm in Our Lady's church hall. Bring your own drinks and glasses. Tickets £10. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses at Adeyfield during June or you can call Pam Moore on 252 634.

**Children Cycling Against Hunger:** If you have a bicycle, tricycle or scooter then come along to Our Lady's church car park on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 1.45pm. This event is for 2/6 year olds and 7/8 year olds. Please still come along even if you don't have a bike! Sponsor forms will available at the back of the church, or call Andy on 268 704 before 24<sup>th</sup> June.

## St Mark

*Hollybush Lane, Warners End, HP1 2PH*

Welcome to St. Mark's Church and Parish community. If you are new to the parish you are invited to complete a "New to the Parish" form which you will find at the back of the church and place it in the "New to Parish" folder in the porch.

**Please pray for the sick:** John O'Sullivan, Antonia la Fuente, Vera Collimore, Sally Howes & Lily Dalimore

**Please pray for the Departed:** Mary Cannon, Geoff Marin, Frank Knowles, Eileen Bracken, Joe Bracken, Sidney Elkins, Margaret Brennan, Tom Elliott, Margaret Tucker, Paul Caruthers, Stan Brooks, Harry Cooper & Jeanne James

## Hemel Ordariate Mission

*Pastor: Fr Simon Chinery*

Email: [simon.chinery@ordinariate.org.uk](mailto:simon.chinery@ordinariate.org.uk) or call 387 195.

**Welcome.** We are based at St Mark's; meeting on Sundays at 8.45am and Wednesdays at 7.45pm for Mass. Morning Prayer is celebrated on Sundays at 8.15am.

**The next Holy Hour**, with evening prayer, Adoration and Benediction will be on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June 4.15pm at St Mark's.

**All are welcome at our services.**



## Mass Times and Intentions this week

<b>(GH) Grovehill, (BM) Ss Mary &amp; Joseph Boxmoor, (SM) St Mark, (OLQ) Our Lady's, (ORD) Ordinariate</b>	
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup>	5pm (OLQ) Bernard Kelly RIP 6pm (BM) Tom Sherlock ANNI
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup>	8.45am (SM/Ordinariate) 8.45am (BM) 9am (GH) Frank McGillicuddy RIP 10.15am (SM) Tony Latimer RIP  10.30am (OLQ) Peter & Brian Fitzgerald RIP  11.45am (BM) Siobhan Gibbons RIP 12 Noon (OLQ) Colin Mathews RIP  <b>2pm (JFK) Confirmation Mass</b>
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	10am (OLQ) Michael Mann RIP
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup>	10am (OLQ) Mary McMahon RIP
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	10am (GH) Marie Feukeu Mbeukeba RIP 7.45pm (SM/Ordinariate)
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	12 noon (BM) Cordelia Jayawickrama Sick
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	10am (BM) 11.30am (OLQ) <b>Geoff Marin RIP Requiem Mass</b> 6.30pm (OLQ) Barbara Hall RIP
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>	10am (OLQ) Mary McMahon RIP 5pm (OLQ) Chris & Ed Riley INT 6pm (BM)
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	8.45am (SM/Ordinariate) 8.45am (BM) 9am (GH) Domingo Bagares RIP 10.15am (SM) Private Intention 10.30am (OLQ) Jackie Boore RIP 11.45 (BM) Tommy Keegan RIP ANNIV 12 Noon (OLQ) Nick Goater RIP ANNIV  <b>4.15pm (SM) Holy Hour</b>