

Mass Intentions

November 8th to November 16th

Saturday 8th	10-11am	Confessions (or anytime by appointment)
	6:00pm	Gloria Harebm Birthday thanksgiving.
Sunday 9th	9:00am	Tina Collum (RIP)
	11:00am	Sean and John Mc Guire (RIP)
Monday 10th	No Mass	Church Closed All Day
Tuesday 11th	9:00am	Private
Wednesday 12th	9:00am	Aidan Fernandes intentions
Thursday 13th	9:00am	Fr. Victor Fuleki (RIP)
Friday 14th	9:00am	Scholastica and Nitharsan (RIP)
Saturday 15th	10-11am	Confessions (or anytime by appointment)
	6:00pm	Emmanuel Mobela
Sunday 16th	9:00am	Mr. and Mrs. N.R. Nicholas (RIP)
	11:00am	Bishop Abdon Potani (RIP)

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in eternal peace.

In your kindness, please pray for the following who are ill

Giuseppe De Palma, Augustus Edwards, Louisa Travasso, Leroy Williams, Beveley Jones, Rosanna Joseph, Richard Lamb, Rachel n Antonella Rizzo Joe Travasso, Karen Oates, Kim Nichol, Micky Bennett, Emily Pougnet, Lucy Williams Jocelyn Hilaire, Alsene Gibbs, Wesley Leachman, Chantale Wildman, Kevin Madden, Helena Almel, Annette Crowe, Paul Smith, Aubrey Paul Marcus Elwin, Rizzo Enzo, Jimmy Lucy, Patricia Roberts, Isabel Edwards, Patricia Adams, Tony Charles, Paul Charles, Brinnette Belle



Anniversaries



Colin D'Lima

Joyce Edwards, Robert Blonchfold, Julia Cleary, Marion McSweeney,

John Duffy, William O'Callaghan

Walter Cilleton, Silvia Sleigh, Anne Benstock,

Malcolm Simpson, Annie Higgins, Ann Nash, Ann Higgins

May they rest in Peace



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“You are God’s temple...”

The story of the cleansing of the Temple is found in all the four Gospels. In the three synoptic Gospels, that is Matthew, Mark and Luke, Jesus is upset with the deceitful practices of the people who are selling animals and pigeons in the Temple. They have turned the house of God into a market. It is for that reason that he expels them from the Temple; “do not make my Father’s house a house of trade.” In John’s Gospel, Jesus’ authority is contrasted with the authority of the Temple cult and is a criticism of the cult itself.

The story is composed of two parts, Jesus’ action in the Temple and Jesus’ prediction about the destruction of the Temple. This is taking place at the time of the sacred feast of the Passover. If the many pilgrims who came to Jerusalem during the Passover were to have animals and pigeons for the sacrificial rituals of the feast, it was necessary to sell what is required in the Temple and to change the unclean Roman money. By denouncing this, Jesus is cutting to the core of the Temple cult.

The story is really about Jesus’ fate, not the Temple’s fate, pointing to the fact that Jesus, not the Temple is the focus of God’s presence on earth. The Jews, as they often do, misunderstand Jesus’ words. This gives John the opportunity to explicitly state his point. Although this is the beginning of his ministry, Jesus is already speaking of his coming death and resurrection.

John intentionally integrates a post-Resurrection perspective into the gospel narrative. The statement that concludes our gospel passage uses the fact of the resurrection to prove the point of Jesus’ words. Believers need to remember the words and actions of Jesus and claim them as affirmations of the truths of their faith.

As the people of God, we are the “living stones” that make up the Church and become “God’s building”. We are the temples of God, and the Spirit of God lives in us. Let us dedicate our hearts to serving God. Let us allow the Holy Spirit flood our hearts with divine love, so that the Spirit may work in and through us and make us “living stones” of God’s work on earth.

God bless you all. Fr. Henry

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Second reading - 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17

First Reading - Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12

Gospel Acclamation - 2 Chronicles 7:16

Responsorial Psalm - Ps 46(45):2-3, 5-6, 8-9.

Gospel - John 2:13-22

Mass of all Nations

St Bede's parish will be celebrating the **feast of the Solemnity of Christ the King - Mass of all Nations** - on **Sunday 23rd November** at the **11am** Mass.

Parishioners are invited to come to church wearing their national dress or the colours of their country. Children can also make a small flag to bring.

There will be a **coffee morning** and any donations of **'foods from around the world'** to share, will be gratefully appreciated. These can be dropped into the hall between the two masses.

We look forward to seeing you for a chat and a cuppa!

From the Repository

We have different types of Christmas cards and gifts in our repository. The repository opens after every mass at the weekend.

Offertory.

1st & 2nd November

Loose plate: **£436.93**

Envelope : **£518.12**

Mission Sunday, second collection: **£287.55.**

Fr Henry would like to thank you all

Donations for

Parish Mass

Books

The parish is in the process of replacing the current Mass Books. Anyone who would like to donate to help with the cost can do so by either;

Cheque

Made payable to:
Catholic Church
Chadwell Heath St.

Bedes

Online

Acc. No: 01017624
Sort Code: 40-13-22

HSBC

Thank you for your donations

God Bless You, Fr.
Henry

Baptism dates for

2025

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All sessions are at

7pm

26th November

Sacraments

Confessions

Saturdays 10 to 11am or anytime by appointment.

Baptism of children

On Sundays with prior arrangements.

Parents must attend two sessions. Parents must be registered members of the parish. At least one godparent must be a baptised catholic with a baptism certificate and confirmed.

Marriage

Those to have their marriage blessed should notify the Priest-in-charge at least six months before the proposed date.

First Holy Communion

This is usually done once a year in conjunction with the school. Other cases will be dealt with on individual bases.

Confirmation

This is usually done once a year. Announcements are done in the parish newsletter and on the website

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adult
Those who would like to be received in the Catholic church should see the priest-in-charge any time and make arrangements to start the course.

All are welcome.

N.B

You need to be a registered member of our parish. Have faithful attendance at mass on Sundays and Holy Days. Fill out our registration form.

Fr Henry

Adoration available in the deanery

Chadwell Heath, St Bede

9.30am - 10am (Fri)

Clayhall, St John Vianney

8:30am - 10am (Tue - Sat)

Goodmayes, St Cedds

9:30 am- 10am (Mon - Sat)

Hainault, Our Lady of the Assumption

10:30am - 11:30am (Tue - Sat)

Ilford, Ss Peter & Paul

10am - 12.30pm (Wed)

Newbury Park, St Theresa

10am - 11am (Thu), 5pm - 6pm (Sat)

South Chingford

8:45am - 9:30am (Tue - Sat)

Wanstead, St John the Baptist

9.30am - 1pm (Fri), 7pm - 8pm (Fri)

