



Catholic Church of Saint Peter Dagenham

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

30th August 2026

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Day	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 29th August <i>The Passion of St John the Baptist</i>	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Nathan Adu (Special Intention) People of the Parish
<i>Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A</i> 30th August	9.00 am 11.00 am	For the Young People of the Parish who graduated this year (A-level, GCSE, University) Isaiah Nathanel Dominic Ligue (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
Monday 31st August	9.00 am	Nathan Adu (Special Intention)
Tuesday 1st September <i>St Sebba</i>	9.00 am	Jude Oronsaye Jr (Special Intention) Devotion to Our Lady of La Salette
Wednesday 2nd September	9.00 am	Mavis Sarfo (Thanksgiving) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (until 10am)
Thursday 3rd September <i>St Gregory the Great</i>	9.00 am	Joe Geary (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
Friday 4th September	9.00 am	Anne McKenna (Anniversary)
Saturday 5th September	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Monalisa Chukwuma (Birthday / Thanksgiving) People of the Parish
<i>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A</i> <i>Education Sunday</i> 6th September	9.00 am 11.00 am	George Antony (Anniversary) <i>No intention</i>

Masses: Monday – Saturday 9.00am; Saturday (Vigil Mass) 6.00pm; Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday – Friday from 8:30am; Wednesday after the Morning Mass until 10am

Confessions: Saturday 8.30 – 9.00am, 5.30pm – 6.00pm or by appointment

Parish office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 10am – 11am & 5.30pm – 6.30pm

Parish of Saint Peter served by: Missionaries of Our Lady of La Salette

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St Peter's Parish News

New Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:
10am – 11am & 5.30pm – 6.30pm
or by appointment

We remember in our prayers those who are sick and housebound: Muireann Carbery, Bernadette Asser, Gary Bennett, Steve Sutherland, Sheila Betson, Martha Buckley, Ann Sullivan, Charlie Hannell, Adora Garcia, Dee Duster, Valerie Brown, Frances Duggan, Christopher Bone, Michael Moffat, Henry Moffat, J. Radford, L. Stuchfield, Sean Murphy, Marie Merrett, Myra Jarrett, Terry Hooker, Martina Murray, Deborah Woldron, Ann O'Sullivan, Eliza Brinkus, Phil McManus, Emerald Lawrance, Lee Suzanne Ives, Irene Quirke, Bridget Nsofor, Jayne Gilbert, Pamela Campbell, Dave Davis, Dennis Courtney, Lisa Meenan, John Peter Moynihan, Jane Ellis.

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We remember George Antony and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

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We welcome into St Peter's Community Kyla Rosa Warner who was Baptised last weekend.

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First Holy Communion Compulsory Parents Meeting with the Catechists on Friday 4th September at 7pm in the church. The Calendar of the Programme for the meetings available from the Parish website under First Holy Communion under Sacraments/Holy Communion.

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Confirmation Candidates and Parents Compulsory Meeting on 20th September (Sunday) at 12.15pm in church.

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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) programme: If you are an adult non-Catholic thinking of becoming a Catholic or if you are an adult Catholic and have never received Holy Communion or been Confirmed this programme is for you. If you would like to find out more contact the Parish Office, please.

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Due to the school holiday, there will be no **Children's Liturgy** on Sunday. The liturgy will resume on Sunday, 6th September.

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Volunteering at St Peter's Church: If you would like to join one of the groups in our Parish Community such as flowers arrangers, choir, ushers, catechists for Children Liturgy, First Holy Communion or Confirmation see Fr Marek or contact the Parish Office, please.

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Mass Intentions: There are not too many Mass Intentions booked for the nearest future. If you would like to book a Mass Intention for the living or the dead or any other occasion

or reason, please see the priest or collect the Mass Booking Envelope from the back of the church.

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Updating Church Register and Welcoming New Parishioners:

If you are new to the parish or did not complete *Parish Census Information Form* in the past you may do it now. Special *Parish Census Information Forms* are available from the porch.

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Gift Aid Scheme: The *Gift Aid scheme* remains an important way of increasing your offertory collection. It is available to **all UK taxpayers**. You are not required to give a specific amount every week but, whatever you give through donations, Sunday offertory collections, Mass intentions, etc. will be increased by the Government by 25% at no extra cost to you. If you are not on the scheme and would like to be part of it all you need to do is to complete and sign the *Gift Aid declaration form*. To do so speak to Sally (Gift Aid Coordinator), one of the ushers at the door or contact the Parish Office, please.

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Thank you very much for your last Sunday's collection of £1070.53 (envelopes £611.18; loose £278.85; contactless £180.50) & Building Fund £309.97. Thank you for your continuous support and generous donations.

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Retiring Collection this weekend towards *Catholic Education Trust*.

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The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Celebration of St Faustina Birthday at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Bank Holiday Monday 31 August 2026 from 10:30 am to 4pm. The reflection day will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Call Millie on WhatsApp 07957594646 for more information. Coaches from Slough, Ealing Broadway and Victoria.

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World Apostolate of Fatima: On Saturday, 12th September the Diocese of Brentwood will host the Visitation of the National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and the relics of Saints Jacinta & Francisco, at the Cathedral Church of St Mary and St Helen, Brentwood. This will be a Day of Prayer & Devotions, with the opportunity for the veneration of the relics. Bishop Alan accompanied by Priests of the Diocese will concelebrate Holy Mass (10:30am), this will be followed by the Consecration Prayer of the Diocese to the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Bishop Alan. As this is a Day of Prayer, we ask all those participating to bring a packed lunch, teas and coffees will be available in the Cathedral Parish Hall. Following lunch, there will be a Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, with recitation of the Chaplet of Adoration and Reparation. Communal Recitation and reflection on the Joyful Mysteries of the Holy Rosary. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed, and then a Docu-film and Talk in the Parish Hall on "Fatima Message for the World." Finally, the Enrolment and Investiture of the Brown Scapular will be facilitated in the Parish Hall.

Payments or Standing Orders to Our Parish account:

St Peter's R.C. Parish, Sort Code 40-13-22, Acc. No. 61280856. (Gift Aid Declaration and Standing order Mandate forms can be collected from our Parish Office or downloaded from our Parish Website).