



Catholic Church of Saint Peter Dagenham

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

4th October 2026

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Day	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 3rd October	9.00 am 6.00 pm	Stanislawa Bochniak RIP Lianne Jimenez (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
<i>Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A</i> 4th October	9.00 am 11.00 am	Kunjamma Baby RIP Martha Addat & the Family (Thanksgiving) Theresa Suleiman (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
Monday 5th October	9.00 am	Christopher Lawrence (Special Intention) People of the Parish
Tuesday 6th October	9.00 am	Amber Jimenez (Birthday / Thanksgiving) Novena to Our Lady of La Salette
Wednesday 7th October <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	9.00 am	Stephanie Lawrence (Special Intention) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (until 10am)
Thursday 8th October <i>St Osyth</i>	9.00 am	Stella Lisboa (Birthday / Thanksgiving)
Friday 9th October <i>St John Henry Newman</i>	9.00 am	Gabriella Lawrence (Special Intention)
Saturday 10th October	9.00 am 6.00 pm	People of the Parish People of the Parish
<i>Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A</i> <i>Prisoner's Sunday</i> 11th October	9.00 am 11.00 am	Augustine Kainnikunnel (RIP / Anniversary) Grace Afriyie Boakye (1 st RIP / Anniversary) All Members of Knights of St Columba 291 (Special Intention)

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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Parish Office Telephone: 0208 595 1227

E-mail: dagenhamstp@brcdt.org; Parish website: www.stpeterdagenham.co.uk

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St Peter's Parish News

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 Augustine Kainnikunnel, Grace Afriyie Boakye and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

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The month of October traditionally is dedicated to Our Lady of Rosary. The Rosary prayer is said in our church nearly every day (apart from Tuesday & Wednesday) during the week after the morning Mass.

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Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be receiving their renewed appointment letters during the Masses of their service this Weekend and will be placed on monthly rota for their ministry.

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No Parish Office on Tuesday Morning (6th October) due to the Mandatory Training for the Clergy.

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Altar Servers Practice on 10th October at 10.30am in the church.

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New Altar Servers: If you have made your First Holy Communion and would like to become an altar server at St Peter's, see Fr Marek or Stephen our MC to be enrolled.

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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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New Mass Book (Year B, Volume 1): The Mass Book (Year A, Volume 1) that we are using at the moment will lead us to the end of Ordinary Time. Once we start the time of Advent towards the end of November, we will need a new Volume (Year B, Volume 1) which needs to be ordered. As previously we will be placing an order for 220 copies. The cost of one copy/book is £5. If you would like to sponsor/donate some of them, speak to Fr Marek or contact the Parish Office.

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 can do it now. Special *Parish Census Information Forms* are available from the porch.

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Autumn Mass Count 2026: Weekends 3rd/4th October, 10th/11th October 2027.

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100 Yours of St Peter's Parish & La Salette Missionaries at St Peter's: In year 2028 our Parish will celebrate its 100 year anniversary. It was agreed, at our last Parish Council Meeting, that a special Committee is needed to make all necessary preparations and arrangements to make this celebration special and meaningful. If you would like to be a part of this Committee, see Fr Marek or contact the Parish Office, please.

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Youth Hall availability during the week: If you know about anybody looking for a space for after school club, tuition etc. contact the Parish Office please. After *EM3 Club* left our Youth Hall space is available for rent during the week.

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Catholic School Forms: Those who need the Certificate of Catholic Practice please see Fr Marek during our parish office hours. You should be known to the priest and to be a practising catholic. For Primary school places, please bring child's Baptism certificate, for Secondary school bring First Communion Certificate. If you do not practise your faith, please apply under another criteria.

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Christmas Parish Bazaar: Our Christmas Parish Bazaar will be held on Saturday 21st November from 12noon. This is a fantastic opportunity for all parishioners to socialise and enjoy togetherness. For more information and how to help see Nicholas, Olivier or one of our Ushers after the Mass, please.

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For **Mary's Meals** news go to www.marysmeals.org.uk.

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Thank you very much for your last Sunday's collection of £1292.05 (envelopes £646.71; loose £369.34; contactless £276.00) & *Building Fund* 128.95. Thank you for your continuous support and generous donations.

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Retiring Collection this weekend towards *CAFOD*.

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The next **Enquirers' Evening** for those considering or interested in a vocation to the priesthood is on Tuesday 6 October at St Mary Mother of God, Hornchurch. The speaker will be Fr Francis Abara. For further information please contact Fr Mark Swires vocprom@brcdt.org

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Join our School: St Peter's Catholic Primary School in Dagenham is holding an Open Day/ Evening for September 2027 applications on Tuesday 20th October at 9:15am or 5pm. Parents should contact the school office by phone at 0208 270 6524 or by email at office@st-peter.bardagelea.org.uk to reserve a spot. All welcome.

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).