

+ EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME +

Holydays of obligation – 2nd / 3rd August

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| Holy Family | 6pm (sat) | Mass Richard Hine RIP |
| | 8:30am | Mass People of the Parish |
| | 10am | Mass Cecilia & Gilbert Temasfieldt RIP |

Monday 4th August – Friday 8th August

No Mass

+ NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME +

Holydays of obligation – 9th / 10th August

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| Holy Family | 6pm (sat) | Mass |
| | 8:30am | Mass People of the Parish |
| | 10am | Mass Wuwan Go RIP |

Monday 11th August – Thursday 14th August

No Mass

Friday, 15th August – **THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

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| Holy Family | 10am | Mass Intentions of Maria Anastasia |
| Holy Family | 7:30pm | Mass |

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Holydays of obligation – 16th / 17th August

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| Holy Family | 6pm (sat) | Mass |
| | 8:30am | Mass Marie O'Byrne Foundation |
| | 10am | Mass People of the Parish |



Newsletter for Holy Family, Benfleet

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Applications Open for The OHP Academy Worship Leadership Training

We're excited to share an opportunity that could help strengthen music ministry across the parish.



The OHP Academy is a six-month **online worship school** for aspiring worship leaders, musicians, and songwriters who want to grow in their practical gifts to serve their local parish or context. The Academy nurtures worship leaders to lead with greater prayerfulness and beauty, helping communities enter more deeply into the richness of the liturgy.

The next Academy begins in **September**, with applications closing in early September. An **Early Bird Discount** is available for those who apply and pay by **31 August**.

There are also **diocesan packages** available — offering discounted places where a diocese would like to invest in supporting individuals to take part.

For more information and to apply, visit:

👉 www.onehopeproject.co.uk/ohpacademy

Marriage Help

Retrouvaille helps couples find hope and healing for their marriage. Next date: 17th-19th Oct. www.retrouvaille.org.uk Tel: 0788 7296983

Offertory Collection Figures

The Brentwood Diocesan trust – Reg. Charity No. 234092

Gift aid it please!

| | 2025 | 2024 | 2023 | Attendance |
|--|---------|---------|---------|-------------------|
| 19 th / 20 th July | £414.16 | £444.73 | £400.47 | 107 + 32 children |

These figures do not include standing orders, which will be included in the annual report

Ingatestone Hall Tea & Tour

Brentwood Catholic Children's Society is excited to invite you to a special day exploring the beautiful Ingatestone Hall!

Join us for a private guided tour led by Lord Petre or his son, giving you a rare glimpse into this stunning 16th-century Grade I listed manor house. The tour lasts about 1½ hours, and afterwards, you'll be treated to tea and cake in the parlour — a lovely way to relax and chat!

Date: Thursday, 11th September

Times: 10.30 am and 12.30 pm (two tour options)

Tickets: £25 per person — you can reserve yours

here: <https://eu.jotform.com/form/251772844632361>

Note: Please be aware that access is limited due to the historic nature of the building, which may not be suitable for individuals with mobility challenges

If you'd like more info, please get in touch with Julie:

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and we look forward to welcoming you to

Ingatestone Hall for a day of history, hospitality, and stunning architecture.



Prayer to St Michael the Archangel

Holy Michael Archangel, defend us in the battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast down into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.