

## +TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)+

Holydays of obligation – 23<sup>rd</sup> / 24<sup>th</sup> August

Holy Family	<b>6pm (sat) 8:30am 10am</b>	<b>Mass</b> Peter and Mary Khaw RIP <b>Mass</b> People of the Parish <b>Mass</b> Ints of Mary & Bob Ives
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Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> August – Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> August

No Mass

## +TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)+

Holydays of obligation – 30<sup>th</sup> / 31<sup>st</sup> August

Holy Family	<b>6pm (sat) 8:30am 10am</b>	<b>Mass</b> <b>Mass</b> People of the Parish <b>Mass</b>
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Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> September – **St Sebbl, K**

Holy Family	<b>9am</b>	<b>Mass</b> Andrade Family - in thanksgiving
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Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September – **Feria**

No Mass

Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September – **ST GREGORY THE GREAT, P, D**

HF School	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b> Sue Mc Williams RIP
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Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> September – **Feria**

Holy Family	<b>9am</b>	<b>Mass</b> Ronald Benjamin Wainer RIP
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Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> September – **Feria**

Holy Family	<b>9am</b>	<b>Mass</b>
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## Newsletter for Holy Family, Benfleet

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Priest in Charge: Rev. Dr. Eduard-William Fartan

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24<sup>th</sup> August / 7<sup>th</sup> September 2025

## Brentwood Catholic Youth Service – Youth Gather, 25th – 26th October

Youth Gather is a weekend of faith, fun and friendship – with speakers, workshops, prayer and outdoor activities, meeting friends old and new, and all while sharing in and celebrating our Catholic faith. There will be coaches offering transport from around the Diocese included in the cost, as well as all meals, cabin accommodation and activities. This event is for year 9 and above. Apply now at [www.bcys.net/events](http://www.bcys.net/events)

### 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](http://www.onehopeproject.co.uk/ohpacademy)

## Offertory Collection Figures

The Brentwood Diocesan trust – Reg. Charity No. 234092

*Gift aid it please!*

	2025	2024	2023	Attendance
16 <sup>th</sup> / 17 <sup>th</sup> August	£469.50	£444.73	£400.47	142 + 30 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.