

+ TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME +

Holydays of obligation – 20th / 21st September

Holy Family	6pm (sat)	Mass Mrs Maureen Wall RIP
	8:30am	Mass Ronald Benjamin Wainer RIP
	10am	Mass George Gibson RIP

Monday, 22nd September – **Feria**

Holy Family	9am	No Mass
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Tuesday, 23rd September – **St Pius of Pietrelcina, Pr**

No Mass

Wednesday, 24th September – **Our Lady of Walsingham**

Holy Family	9am	Mass Private Intention
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Thursday, 25th September – **Feria**

Holy Family	9am	Mass James Newman RIP
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Friday, 26th September – **Feria**

Holy Family	9am	Mass Private Intention
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+ TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME +

Holydays of obligation – 27th / 28st September

Holy Family	6pm (sat)	Mass Jackie Kelly RIP
	8:30am	Mass Deceased members of Pauline Sandgrove's Family
	10am	Mass Marie Duncan RIP



Remember to have a Mass offered for your loved ones.

One day, we too will be a Holy Soul, depending on others to pray for us.

“Therefore he made atonement for the dead, that they might be delivered from their sin.” 2 Maccabees 12:45



Newsletter for Holy Family, Benfleet

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

The SANCTUARY CANDLE burns this week for the intentions of
TOM and VALERIE

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Congratulations to the 100 CLUB winners!!!

August – **JULIE DAVIDSON** - £80

September – **SHARON WINDLE** - £80.5

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

St Thomas More Alumni LAST EVER Annual Dinner - Saturday 11th October

After 27 years the organisation for former pupils and staff members of StThomas More High School in Westcliff has decided to hold one last Annual Dinner. It will take place in the school on Saturday 11th October. Guest Speaker will be Tony McDonald (headteacher 1981-85) and the cost for a four-course meal will be £30. Full details are available on the Alumni website: www.stmalumni.co.uk



Please join us in the world's biggest coffee morning by turning up, buying tea and cake and raising money for those who are battling cancer.

Day – Friday 26th September 2025

Times – 9am – 10 am , 2pm – 3pm

Location – Holy Family Catholic Primary School

Offertory Collection Figures

The Brentwood Diocesan trust – Reg. Charity No. 234092

	2025	2024	2023	Attendance
13 th / 14 th September	£434.60	£444.73	£400.47	135 + 28 children

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

Gift aid it please!

Brentwood Catholic Youth Service – Jubilee Youth Mass

On Thursday 2nd October, Youth Mass will be celebrated with Bishop Alan at Brentwood Cathedral, following a talk from the Donal Walsh #livelife foundation starting from 6:30pm.

All young people around the Diocese are very welcome to join – there is no need to book, but please do let us know if you'd like to bring a group. Get in touch at info@bcys.net for more information.

Brentwood Catholic Youth Service – Catechist Training & Resources Day 2025, Saturday 8th November 2025

Open to all confirmation and first holy communion catechists, youth leaders, and children's liturgy coordinators in the Diocese of Brentwood. The day offers formation, practical workshops, inspiring speakers, and networking to support First Holy Communion and Confirmation programmes.

Open to adults and young leaders (16+); full details and booking at www.bcys.net/events/catechists2025

Monday 29th September to Thursday 2nd October 2024 from 9.30am to 10.30am

Invitation by appointments only, please contact the school reception to book Office@stbernards.southend.sch.uk

Tel: 01702 343583 www.stbernardswestcliff.org.uk



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.