

St Vincent's RC Church Dartford

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Parish Newsletter for
Sunday 5th July 2026

Fourteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time - Year A

Please remember in your prayers: the sick and the housebound, at home, in hospital or in residential care.

We remember especially:
Lionel Birkbeck, Bernadette McCarthy, Michael Russell, Grace Rabino, Albert Crisci, Elizabeth Nightingale, Bernadette Clark, Enda Quinn, Clare Graydon-James, Geraldine Day, Emmanuel Agholo, Sharon Docherty.

May the Lord bring them comfort and healing and bring strength to those who care for them.

Anyone on the sick list who would like to receive Holy Communion should contact Fr Emeka.

Please pray for those who have died, and especially those whose anniversaries fall about this time.

Guiseppe Ficetola, April Ficetola, Eileen Mercer, Geraldine Medhurst, Ann Thompson, Thomas Foley, Colin Hills.

May these and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace and joy of Christ.

THIS WEEK – MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday	4th	10.00am 6.30pm	First Mass of Sunday	
Sunday	5th	9.00am 10.30am 5.00pm	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – A	Gerard Villaca RIP – Christiane Villaca 41st B'day/TG Christopher Diedo – Diedo Family For People of Parish
Monday	6th	9.00am	Communion Service	
Tuesday	7th	9.00am		T/G Fiona & her family – Rita Jeganathan
Wednesday	8th	9.00am		Ann. of Ordination Fr Henry Mukasa – Anne Banger & Family
Thursday	9th	9.00am		
Friday	10th	9.00am		
Saturday	11th	10.00am 6.30pm	St Benedict, Abbot First Mass of Sunday	Thomas Edwin Parsons RIP – FM
Sunday	12th	9.00am 10.30am 5.00pm	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – A	For People of Parish

Regular Parish Activities

Monday to Friday: Exposition & Adoration at 8.30am

Wednesday – Children's Choir meet at 6pm in the Conference Centre.

Wednesday – Legion of Mary meet at 6pm in the Sacristy.

Wednesday – Senior Parishioners Afternoon Tea Party - Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month 2pm-4pm in the Conference Centre.

Thursday – Knights of St Columba: Every 3rd Thursday of the month.

Parish Pastoral Council Update: Following our request last weekend for volunteers to help support the PPC, please take a copy of the registration form from the back of the Church to indicate your interest.

St Vincent's Summer Grand Draw 2026: Tickets are now on sale this weekend £2 per book.

Deacon Michael's Retirement Celebration: After many years of faithful service to St Vincent's Parish, Deacon Michael Dale is retiring from active ministry. Through his ministry, Deacon Michael has touched the lives of many people. Everyone is warmly invited to join us for a Mass of Thanksgiving, celebrated by Bishop Paul Hendricks, at 12.00 noon on Saturday 25th July, followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. We would like you to contribute towards a retirement gift as a token of our gratitude, donations can be made either by handing Fr Emeka cash marked 'Deacon Michael's Retirement Gift' or by using the contactless giving machine in church, selecting the appropriate option.

First Holy Communion Photos: This is your last week to order your photos. As from next week it will be replaced by the Confirmation photos.

Catholic Youth Service Day Saturday 11th July 2026 (Aged 10-14): Venue: St John Fisher School, Kent ME1 2FA 11am – 5.00pm. Charge £5 per child, lunch included. For more details, find leaflets at back of Church. Coach leaving with limited seats from St Anselm's Church Dartford at 10am. Email dartford@rcaos.org.uk to book a place.

Second collection next week: Stella Maris

Collections last weekend: Church offering: £870.40, Card machine: £308.90