MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS  Morning & Evening Prayer: Week 3			
SUNDAY 24th January 3rd Sunday of Year	Coggeshall Kelvedon Tiptree	11.00 a.m.	Private Intention All Parishioners May Issa Munyard RIP
MONDAY 25th January Conversion of St Paul	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Christian Unity
TUESDAY 26th January Sts Timothy & Titus	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Fr James Duffy RIP
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 27th January St Angela Merici	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Private Intention
<b>THURSDAY</b> 28th January St Thomas Aquinas	Kelvedon	10.00 a.m.	Tom Wall RIP
<b>FRIDAY</b> 29th January	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Secular Clergy Common Fund
<b>SATURDAY</b> 30th January	Kelvedon	10.00 a.m.	Old Brotherhood of the English Secular Clergy
SUNDAY 31st January 4th Sunday of Year [1962: Septuagesima]	Coggeshall Kelvedon Kelvedon Tiptree	9.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 3.00 p.m. 6.00 p.m.	Tridentine: John Sales RIP

Sacrament of Reconciliation: this Saturday 10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

### **WELCOME TO THE**

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## THIRD SUNDAY OF YEAR

Repent, and believe the Good News.

First Reading Jon 3:1-5.10
Responsorial Psalm Ps 24:4-9
Second Reading 1 Cor 7:29-31
Gospel Mk 1:14-20



THIRD SUNDAY OF YEAR: "The time has come" says Jesus. He had already begun the groundwork – baptised by John and enabling him to recognise the arrival of the Lamb of God and also getting to know the core group of his disciples including Andrew and Simon Peter. The arrest of John the Baptist marks a new phase. The time has come to make know the coming of God's Kingdom and our need to prepare for this by a change of heart and of our way of life. We will only be motivated to change if we really believe that God is near and once we have begun to make that change our openness will make us more ready to recognise the Son of God for who he is. The Church links this to the story of Jonah because Nineveh was the ancient foe of Israel and a symbol of evil. If Nineveh could repent then no one is beyond God's mercy or the touch of his grace.

**PRAYER NEEDS**: Please continue to pray for those parishioners who are sick, in hospital or housebound.

**ANNIVERSARIES**: Please remember *Charles Stanley, Winifred Lawes, Edward Piekielon, Winifred Winfield and Tom Ennis* whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF MONTH TRIDENTINE MASS**: As usual when there are five Sundays in a month we supply the gap in the diocesan rota with an **additional Mass** according to the **1962 Missal** at **3.00 p.m. next Sunday**.

**AUSTEN IVEREIGH LIVESTREAM EVENT**: On Saturday 30th January from 11.00 a.m. until 12.30 p.m. Dr Austen Ivereigh will speak about the book he recently co-authored with Pope Francis. 'Let us Dream' presents the Pope's vision for the post-pandemic future. How should we move forward from the multiple coronavirus crises? To access this livestream event please go to <a href="https://www.ssppilford.org.uk">www.ssppilford.org.uk</a> and click on live stream remote services. The event, which is sponsored by Gidea Park parish in conjunction with Brentwood Interfaith, will be available subsequently on <a href="https://www.whatgoodnews.org">www.whatgoodnews.org</a>

Questions for Austen may be emailed beforehand to adriangraffy@dioceseofbrentwood.org

**VOCATIONS WEEKEND - ONLINE EVENT: 26th - 28th February** for women exploring the vocation to religious life. There will be times of prayer, reflection, input and discussion as well as a Q&A session with FCJ Sisters (Faithful Companions of Jesus) More information: FCJCentreStHughs@gmail.com or follow us on Facebook

**PRAYER LIST**: Please contact Fr Gordon or (Pat Richardson patriciarn1@outlook.com) if you would like to add a name to the weekly prayer list. Please also advise when circumstances change, so the list can be kept up to date.

#### A PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

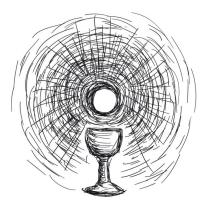
LORD of the Harvest,

BLESS young people with the gift of courage
to respond to your call.

Open their hearts to great ideals to great things.
INSPIRE all of your disciples to mutual love and
giving - for vocations to blossom in the good soil of faithful people.
INSTILL those in religious life, parish ministries and families
With the confidence and grace to invite others to embrace
the bold and noble path of life consecrated to you.
UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and sacrament,
so that we may co-operate with you in building
your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace.

Amen.

Adapted from Pope Francis' Message on the 51st World Day of Prayer for Vocations



Oh Sacrament most holy
Oh Sacrament divine
All praise and all thanksgiving
Be every moment thine