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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 10:00am Magdalen Nwabuzo RIP Feast of St Peter & Paul Holiday of Obligation

Tuesday 10:00am People of the Parish

Wednesday 10:00am Prayer Service
Thursday 10:00am Prayer Service
Friday 10:00am Prayer Service
Saturday 6:00pm Una White RIP

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 8:30am Timothy St Clair Garratt RIP

10:00am Children of the Parish 12:00noon Bill Lawrence RIP

REFUGEES

I have applied to the Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS), to help house a refugee here in the parish house. If all goes according to plan he would be with us for three months. Your comments are appreciated.

PARENTING PROGRAMME

I have had a very poor response to the idea of a parenting programme. I am still open to your thoughts and ideas: Just people getting together to see how we can help each other post pandemic. Please, please your response is necessary.

BISHOPS PAT'S DO

Sincere thanks to all those who came to the do, in Camberwell last week. Also sincere thanks from Bishop Pat for your very kind donations.

OPENING UP

If we are opened up on the 19 July as now suggested we should be prepared, so how about a parish day on the 25th July? All offers of help and services appreciated. Please talk; no response may mean no day.

BENEDICTION

There has been a suggestion that we try to introduce monthly Benediction. So 7pm on Friday 17th July 2021 we will begin. Again your comments and support is appreciated.

Fr Jack

DOCTORS TREAT, JESUS HEALS. Yes, our God is a living God. Wanting only what is the best for his children. He cures the woman with the haemorrhage and he raises Jairus' daughter from the dead. Even the first reading tells us that, "Death is not of God's doing, he takes no pleasure in

TO BE -for this he created all.

the extinction of the living."

So let us get on with being; being who we are. Even at times when we do not like what we see, remember what your true identity is: You are a child of God, a son or daughter of the Father.

You have a right to be here.

So get up - Dress up - And show up

Quality is never an accident. It is always the result of intelligent effort.

Reaching out to all those who may be pregnant, here are some prayer suggestions for the coming month:

4th - "We pray for the families and friends of pregnant women. That they would recognise their responsibility to care for the mother and child, and that they would surround them with love and support through the journey of pregnancy and beyond. Lord hear us"

11th - "We pray for all who are considering abortion. We pray that the love and support of those around them would encourage the mother to continue with her pregnancy and find love and peace in all that the future holds. Lord hear us"

18th - "We pray for all expectant mothers. We pray for an overwhelming feeling of hope and joy to fill their lives, and for increased support to be given by their family, friends, and local communities, as they journey through this life-changing experience. Lord hear us"

25th - "For all those who may be going through a difficult pregnancy, we pray for comfort and full healing, so that joy may fill their lives, with increased love and support from their family, friends, and local communities. Lord hear us"