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Date	Time	MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED	LITURGY OF THE DAY		
June 2024		Livestreamed	Psalter Week 1 (Office)		
Saturday 1st	6.00 pm	For Fr. Clement's thanksgiving for people of the parish	Corpus Christi Vigil		
Sunday 2 nd	8.30 am	For prayers & intentions of the people of the parish	Corpus Christi		
	10.00 am	Intentions of the First Holy Communion Candidates	Sunday - Year B		
Monday3rd			St Charles Lwanga & Co		
Tuesday4th			Feria		
Wed 5 th	12.30 pm	For the intentions welfare of Michael Bambridge	St Boniface		
Thursday 6 th	10.00 am	For the prayers & intentions of Mike Nixon (Birthday)	Feria		
Friday 7 th	11.00 am	Holy Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Holy Hour		
	12.00 pm	For Kath Whiting's brother (Aurthur R.I.P)	The Most Sacred Heart		
Saturday 8 th	9.00 am	Holy Mass for Our Lady's Intentions for our welfare	Immaculate Heart		
	6.00 pm	For the prayers and intentions of Michael Cartin	10 th Sunday Vigil Mass		
Sunday 9 th	8.30 am	For the prayers and intentions of the people of the parish	Tenth Easter Sunday		
	10.00 am	For Mary McAllister R.I.P (Brian's sister)	Year B		

Confessions Saturdays at 5.15 pm to 5.45pm

Offertory: Thank you very much for your generous financial support for our parish and the special collections. Cheques for the Parish are made payable to: **Catholic Church Stansted St Theresas**

The following are the Last Sunday Collections during May 2024							
Date	Gift Aid	Loose Cash	Standing Order	Total Collection			
05/05/24	£67.00	£150.05	£453.60	£670.65			
12/05/24	£85.00	£210.79	£453.60	£749.39			
19/05/24	£121.00	£170.18	£453.60	£744.78			
26/05/24	£95.00	£150.01	£453.60	£698.61			

Second Collection this weekend: This weekend is the first Sunday of the month, so we will be having our monthly second collection after all the Masses. The Scheduled Second Collections during June are for the Sick and Retired Clergy, Day for Life, and Peter's Pence. Please let us support our Bishop Alan and the Diocese in reaching out to help the Needy via these Charities.

First Holy Communion Mass

2024: Please pray for our special parishioners who have been working so hard preparing for this Feast day when they receive Jesus, the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. They are Alexandre A, Briget B, Nikola P, Olivia F, Olivia Z, Madigan R, Patrick H, and Sophia F. This is their First reception of Holy Communion in the Mass which is why we are all so happy to witness their special moment. We offer our sincere thanks and prayers for Bernadette, David and Clair who, on behalf of the parish, have been working so hard to assist the First Holy Communion Candidates with the preparations.

Corpus Christi Sunday (Weekday Readings 9th Week) Eucharist Prayer II Memorial Acclamation – 2

JUNE is the Month of the most Sacred Heart of Jesus. We contemplate the Humanity of Jesus, his life here on earth with us. We meditate on his Gospel of mercy and compassionate love. The passion and death of Jesus on the Cross did not diminish his humanity for it is eternal.

THANK YOU: We sincerely thank our priests who kindly accepted to celebrate Mass while I was away staying with my family - our immense thanks go to Fr. Robert Verrill, the Prior of the Dominican Community in Cambridge, his confrere Fr. Euan Marley, and Fr. Marco Lazzaron. Special Thanks also go to Michael Cartin who kindly offered to drive Fr. Euan to and from Cambridge as well as to provide food for the visiting priests. To one and all, I am forever grateful for your warm welcome and for all the support you have been giving the parish while I was away. Your help is very much appreciated and may God Bless you all.

THANK YOU: I am told Stansted U3A Singers Concert held on 11th of May was a big success: there was a good attendance, the singers performed beautifully (10/10), and that over £800 was raised for the parish boiler. From the bottom of my heart I thank all who organised and supported this event. My prayers and good wishes to you all.

THANK YOU: I am immensely grateful to all volunteers and parishioners who continued to offer every help and support in the parish while I was away to stay with my family. I will happily and gratefully pray for you as I offer your needs and intentions to God our Father in the Sacrifice of the Mass. May God Bless you and help you.

The Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus: As we start the Season of Ordinary Time, the Church presents us with this Feast for our contemplation to help us fix our attention on the events of the Paschal Mystery, especially the Holy Triduum. In his writing, Pope Benedict XVI explains this feast as a mystery of the heart of a God who feels compassion. God does not lose heart in the face of ingratitude or rejection by the people he has chosen; rather, with infinite mercy he sends his only begotten Son into the world to save us all and to restore to human beings enslaved by sin, their dignity as sons and daughters. You are all welcome to the Sacred Heart Mass this Friday at 12.00 pm.