



**OUR LADY IMMACULATE AND ST. ETHELBERT'S PARISH,
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19th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (B)

We welcome all to today's Mass, especially visitors and friends who are celebrating with us.

<p>SUN 11/08/2024 MASS: 9:00am Egidio Oskar Costa Birthday Blessing MASS: 11am: MASS: 6:30pm:</p>	
<p>MON: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am A. Macdonald RIP, M. Lobo Intention</p>	
<p>TUES: MASS: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am Nereene Tavares RIP</p>	
<p>WED MASS: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 4pm – 6.30pm 6:30pm MASS:</p>	
<p>THURSDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10.30am - 1 pm Mass 6.30pm:</p>	
<p>FRIDAY: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10 am - 12.30pm MASS: 12:30pm A. Macdonald RIP, Maslon Fernandes 18th Birthday</p>	
<p>SATURDAY: 9.30am: Morning Prayer Mass: 10.00am</p>	
<p>SUN 18/08/2024 MASS: 9:00am Rosaleen & Kevin McNiece RIP MASS: 11am: Mass: 6.30pm</p>	
<p>CONFESSIONS: Available this week on, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday during the Exposition of the Holy Sacrament. Please contact Father at the Presbytery if you would like him to hear your confession <u>during this period if he is not already in the confessional.</u></p>	
<p>OFFICE HOURS: THURSDAY 1pm until 7pm – Please come to the Presbytery with your enquiries.</p>	
<p><u>MINISTRIES:</u> <u>Readers for this Sunday, 11th August</u> 9am Mass: Aleluia D, Perease T, John McN. 11am Mass: Rosemary M, M. Cheturai, Lillian I. 6.30pm Mass:</p> <p><u>Readers for Next Sunday, 18th August</u> 9am Mass: Rainda, Canelli F, Aleluia D. 11am Mass: Sr. Therese O, Sandra M, Jolisha S. 6.30pm Mass:</p> <p><u>Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 11th August</u> 9am Mass: Chris L, Millie A, Alice S. 11am Mass: Agness N, Sr. Therese O, Mathew T. 6.30pm Mass:</p> <p><u>Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 18th August</u> 9am Mass: Sr. Caroline Millie, Alice S. 11am Mass: Cecilia JP, John I, Clara C. 6.30pm Mass:</p> <p><u>OFFERTORY PROCESSION</u> <u>Sunday: 11am</u> Constance & Family</p> <p><u>Next Sunday:</u></p>	<p><u>Our Readings for the Day</u> First Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8 The angel gives Elijah food to reach the mountain of God</p> <p>Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33(34):2-9 Taste and see that the Lord is good.</p> <p>Second Reading: Ephesians 4:30-5:2 Forgive each other as readily as God forgave you</p> <p>Gospel: John 6:41-51 Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever</p> <p>Thank you for your generous giving, May God bless you.</p> <p><u>St Ethelbert's Bank Details for Bank Transfers:</u> R.C.D.N. ST. ETHELBERT CATHOLIC CHURCH SLOUGH A/C 46714642 NatWest SORT CODE: 60 06 11</p>

Notices:

Feast of the Assumption: On Thursday, 15th August we celebrate the Feast of the Assumption which is a holy day of obligation. There will be two masses on this day, one at 10am and the other at 6.30pm.

Thank you from Fr. Biju: Fr. Biju has thanked everyone one for their support and the kind messages and gifts he received. He has left us a thank you card which is on the notice board. Please do stop and read his lovely message.

Car Park: If you are parking your car in the church car park for more than an hour please park at the back of the church in a considerate way. Please ensure that your car is registered if not you will get a parking ticket.

Mass Offering (Intentions): If you would like to offer a mass for your intentions, please use the offering envelope which is available in the spiral unit at the back of the church. This can be put into the letterbox at the Presbytery or given to Fr. Pius after the mass. Please allow us 7 working days so that we can get the detail into our newsletter and ensure that your intention is offered on the correct day.

Parish Registration: We continue to encourage those by typing the link into your browser. www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086 and completing the registration form. During the registration you will also have the opportunity to sign up for the parish newsletter to keep up-to-date with the latest parish news. Please of you who have not already done so to register as a parishioner of our parish. This can now be done online do sign up for this. If you don't have an email address, please speak to the parish who can complete the form on your behalf.

Popes Prayer Intention for August: For Political Leaders

We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs. More information can be found here <https://thepopevideo.org/august-for-political-leaders/>

Retreat Day for Married Couples: We are hoping to have a married couples retreat day. If you are interested in attending, please put your name down on the list at the back of the church so that we can gauge numbers.

2025 First Holy Communion and Confirmation: If you would like to put your child forward to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2025, please note that you will need to provide a copy of their baptism certificate with their application form. Forms will be available at the end of August.

Evangelium Conference: Our annual Evangelium conference for young Catholics is less than one month away (16th - 18th August). I would be very grateful. If you are interested in attending, please see further information on the church notice board. Please note that the 'early-bird' pricing is still available. Online booking information can be accessed here: [Evangelium Conference](#)

Visiting Priests: Please be aware that if you have a visiting priest who wishes to concelebrate mass there are some formalities that need to take place with the Diocese before this can happen. Please note that you should be discussing the matter with Fr. Pius two months before you hope for the mass to take place.