



Parish of St Sabina, Brightlingsea and St Monica, Wivenhoe

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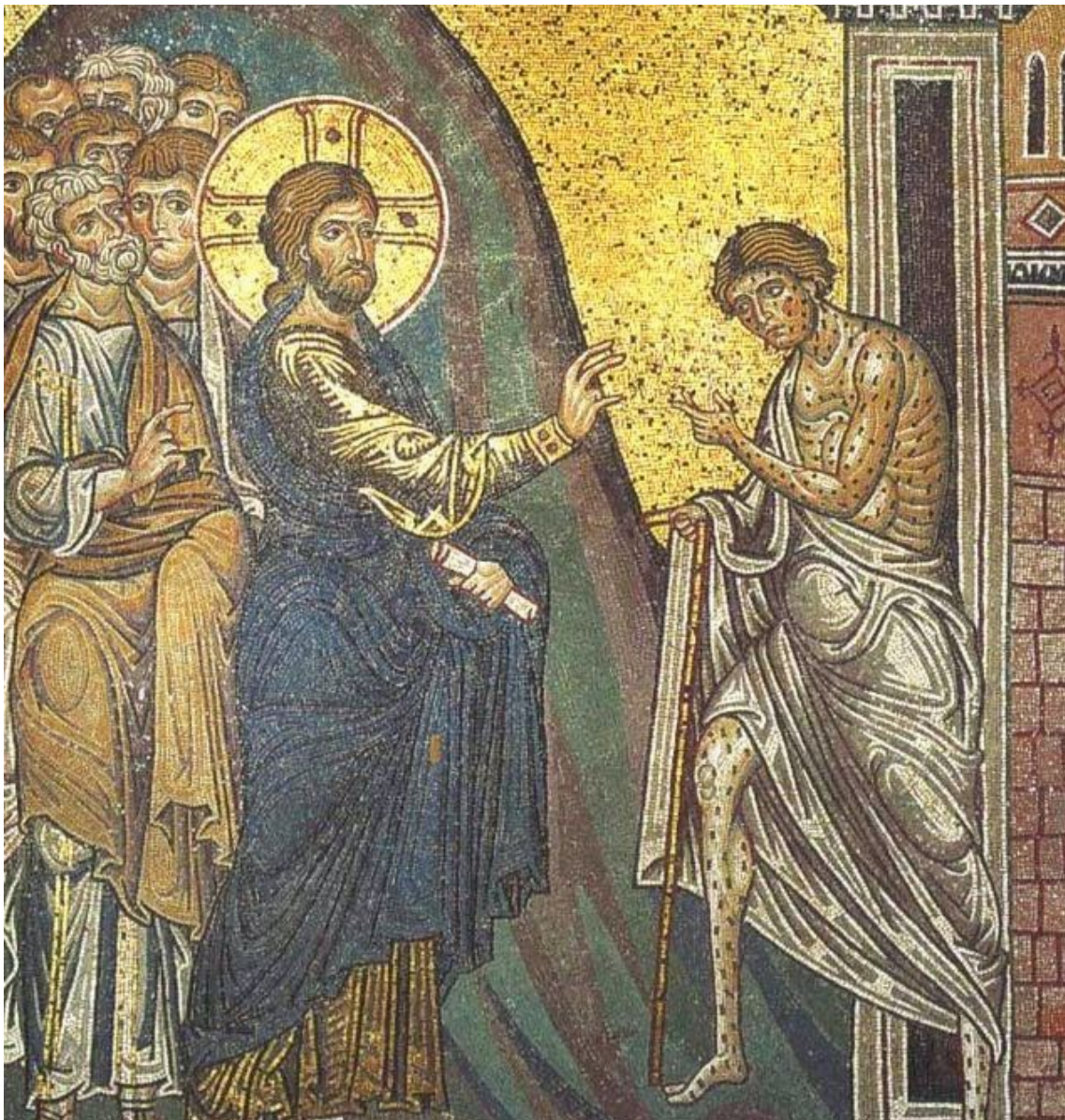
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St Sabina's Church: Richard Avenue, Brightlingsea CO7 0LP

St Monica's Church: De Vere Lane, Wivenhoe CO7 9AU

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 10/11 February 2018



Psalm response: You are my refuge, O Lord; you fill me with the joy of salvation

Next week: Genesis 9:8-15; Ps 24:4-6,7b-9; 1 Peter 3:18-22; Mark 1:12-15

The funeral of Pat Pearce will take place at St Monica's on Monday 19th February at 2pm. Please keep Geoff, her relatives and friends in your prayers.

The funeral of Maria Cooper will take place at St Sabina's on Thursday 15th February at 12 noon. Please keep Maria and her family in your prayers

Vacancy – person required for paid position of Parish and Chaplaincy Assistant to assist in Brightlingsea with Wivenhoe parish and University of Essex Chaplaincy. 10 hours per week. Timing of work can be negotiated. If you – or any family / friends – are interested, please first contact Fr Mark Swires – email:

Brightlingsea@dioceseofbrentwood.org for a job description and person specification.

You should then send in your CV, with a covering letter demonstrating how your experience and skills match the essential requirements of the role. Closing date for CVs is 1st March 2018.

SVP News: The parish SVP conference is inviting you all to this year's St Patrick's Theme Night, to be held at the Congregational Church in view of the work that will be carried out at St Monica's. There will be traditional Irish food but also a vegetarian option, music, dance and a raffle. All funds raised by our parish will be donated to the Sisters in the DRC who do so much valuable work with the most deprived people of their country. The event will take place on 17th March, starting at 7pm. Tickets will be available after weekend masses (adult £10, family £25).

Preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

Please speak to Fr Mark and collect an application form if you would like your child to make their First Holy Communion. This is for children in school year 3 or older.

Young people in the parish who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation: please can the young person or family (as appropriate) speak to Fr Mark about this.

Children's catechesis in St Augustine's:
25th Feb - The Good Samaritan

The organizers of the Diocesan Lourdes pilgrimage 22-28th July 2018 are looking for people who could help with nursing care during the pilgrimage. Please contact the pilgrimage administrator, Cathy O'Connor - cathy@brentwoodlourdes.org - Telephone: 01206 735623.

Appeal for car drivers to ferry Parishioners to/from Church
If you can help please contact George Dooley - phone 01206 824052

Spirituality Seminars: at Cathedral House, Ingrave Rd, Brentwood
Saturday 24th March-10:30-12 noon-Lent- Fr Martin Boland
Further information from Sr Jude: 01277 265285

Churches Together in Brightlingsea Lent Courses

The themes of redemption and salvation will be explored through characters from the film 'Les Miserables' with reference to the Bible readings.

Please sign the appropriate list in the porch of St Sabina's if you wish to take part. Details of venues and contacts are on the list.

The Building work at St Monica's

Please note that due to the alterations to the toilet facilities at St Monica's The toilets will be out of action for about two weeks from 20th February until work has been completed. Also, there won't be weekday Masses at St Monica's during the duration of the works.

Please Pray for: Andrew, Elizabeth Akpoyoware, Riley Bennett, Barbara Brittain, Andree Bruce, Nancy Budworth, Nicholas Clarke, Brian Coates, Arthur Cole, Paula Collins, Maggi Dilworth, Sheila Frost, Yvonne Holly, Pauline Hunt, Margaret MacLeod, Maria Mangion, Leanne Mills, Joan Murray, John O'Hara, Elizabeth Pace, Chrissy Rooney, Mel Scammell, Linda Sharpe, Maura Stone, Marie Taylor, Hugh Teegham, Amanda Clarke Titchenar, Alison Wilson, Chris Wonfor,

Times of Holy Mass and Confession
at St Sabina's, Brightlingsea & St Monica's, Wivenhoe

Sat 10 Feb - Vigil of Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

5:30pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 5:30-5:50pm Confession

6pm	St Sabina	Margit Scammell RIP
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Sun 11 Feb- 6th Sunday - Year B (World Day of Prayer for the sick)

9:15-9:45 am Confession (in St Augustine's)

10am	St Monica	Margaret Collins RIP
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12:10pm	University	People of the Parish
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Mon 12 Feb

9am	St Sabina	John Alcock RIP
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Tue 13 Feb

9am	St Monica	Baby Henry
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Wed 14 Feb - ASH WEDNESDAY

9am	St Sabina	Ints CS
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6pm	University	Olivia RIP
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7.30pm	St Monica	Bishop Alan
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Thu 15 Feb

12pm	St Sabina	Funeral of Maria Cooper
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Fri 16 Feb

9am	St Monica	Peggy Pawk
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Sat 17 Feb

9am	St Monica	Pope Francis
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Sat 17 Feb- Vigil of First Sunday of Lent Year B

5:30pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 5:30-5:50pm Confession

6pm	St Sabina	Maria Cooper RIP
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Sun 18 Feb- First Sunday of Lent (B)

9:15-9:45am Confession (in St Augustine's)

10am	St Monica	Eileen Wise RIP
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12:10pm	University	People of the Parish
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