

How to book a place at Mass

DO NOT book a place at Mass if:

- You have cold, flu or Covid-19 symptoms
- You need regular access to toilet facilities
- You have young children who will not be able to remain still and quiet throughout the Mass

The number of people attending Mass is increasing rapidly so it is **essential** that you book a place.

In order to book a place at Mass please use one of the following e-mail addresses:

Holy Trinity (10:30am or 6:00pm Masses):

basildon@dioceseofbrentwood.org

St Basil's (5:00pm or 12:00 midday Masses):

massbookinglaas@outlook.com

St Therese (9:00am Mass):

Patrick@basildoncatholics.org

In your e-mail please state, which Mass you would like to attend and how many members of your household will be attending.

Please **do not** book places for family or friends who live outside your household.

In return you will receive an e-mail confirming your place(s). Please show this e-mail to the stewards at the church and you will be admitted.

If that Mass is already full you will receive an e-mail saying you will not be able to attend the Mass you have requested but the required number of places will be reserved at that Mass the following weekend.

The Box Office closes at 7pm on Fridays and re-opens at 7pm on Sundays. Any bookings received between 7pm on Friday and 7pm on Sunday will be reserved for the following weekend.

Our most vulnerable parishioners are encouraged to attend weekday Masses rather than Sunday Masses. There is no need to book a place at weekday Masses so people with no internet access can also attend.

The numbers of spaces available at each church are as follows:

Holy Trinity – 50
St Basil's - 38
St Therese – 24

For this reason it is likely you will not be able to attend Mass more than once a month.

When you are at church please respect our stewards, they speak and act in the name of the Parish Priest!

It will not be possible to congregate outside the church once all the spaces are full. When a steward tells you to go back home please do so immediately!

Thank you for your patience and understanding!

Take care, stay safe and God bless,

Fr Daniel Kelly
Parish Priest