Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me

Mass Times

1st Sat  Dedication of the Cathedral
10.00
10.30 Confessions
18.00 Vigil Mass with Hymns
19.00 Confessions & Exposition with Benediction

2nd Sun  Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
08.15
09.30 Folk Music & Little Church
11.00 Solemn Mass
12.30 With Hymns
18.00

3rd Mon  St Thomas, Apostle
07.30
10.00 Funeral

4th Tue  Feria
07.30
10.00

5th Wed  Feria
07.30
10.00

6th Thu  Feria
07.30
10.00

7th Fri  Feria
07.30
10.00
18.15 Confessions & Exposition
19.00 First Friday Mass

8th Sat  Feria
10.00
10.30 Confessions
18.00 Vigil Mass with Hymns
19.00 Confessions & Exposition with Benediction

9th Sun  Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
08.15
09.30 Folk Music & Little Church
11.00 Solemn Mass
12.30 With Hymns
18.00

Confessions:
Saturday 10.30-11.00 & 19.00-19.30, First Friday 18.15-18.45

Adoration & Benediction: Saturday 19.00-19.30

Baptisms: By appointment. Contact: Deacon Stephen

Form Signing: Mon & Weds 18.00-19.00 Term time only

Rosary: Tuesday & Thursday at 18.45.


Sunday Readings: Year A  Weekday Readings: Year 1

Summer: Deeper Understanding between Christians and Jews, those who suffer Persecution, Oppression, and Denial of Human Rights, Europe, Human Life, Seafarers

Beethoven’s Piano

A guide was taking a tour group through Beethoven’s house. He showed them the piano on which the genius had composed his Moonlight Sonata.

A woman in the group immediately sat down at the famous piano and played a few bars from the sonata.

The guide told the group that the famous Polish pianist and composer Paderewski had once been shown the piano.

The woman gushed, ‘And I wager he sat down and played just as I did.’ Archly the guide said, ‘No, Madam, he said he was not worthy to touch those keys.’
A high proportion of seafarers are Catholics and the Church owes them and other seafarers a duty of pastoral care. The Apostleship of the Sea (AoS) is the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church in Great Britain. It reaches out to seafarers that visit our ports each year, offering pastoral and practical support. The AoS is wholly dependent on voluntary donations, receiving no funding from either the Church or the government; it takes the love of Christ to seafarers in the name of the Church, recognising them as our brothers and sisters in need.

The second collection on Sea Sunday is your chance to help AoS make a difference to the lives of seafarers. For more information visit apostleshipofthesea.org.uk.

If you pause to think you will have cause to thank

Little Church
Little Church and Tiny Church take place during the 9.30 mass on Sundays. Please ensure children are accompanied.

Salvatorian College
You may have noticed some changes around the College, with the erection of hoardings to enable preparatory works for the College rebuild. Over the summer Kier Construction will take over the site and begin works to demolish existing buildings to enable the first phase of the new construction. This is a significant milestone in the transformation of the College, building on a ‘Good’ Ofsted rating awarded in January, and having achieving the best GCSE results for boys in Harrow last year.

From September 2017, Salvatorian College is entering into a partnership with the Cardinal Hume Academies Trust, one of the most successful Catholic Academy chains in the country. The Trust is led by Executive Headteacher, Mr Martin Tissot, who will assume strategic leadership for the College from September following the departure of Mr Paul Kassapian. There are a few places remaining for admission to Year 7 in September 2017, which can be applied for through eAdmissions: https://www.eadmissions.org.uk. Applications for the 2018/19 academic year will open in October through eAdmissions. More information is available on the college website www.salvatoriancollege.com.

There is nothing in the world so much like prayer as music is
William Shakespeare

Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions
Again this summer we invite you to join a pilgrimage to Sturry and Deal related to the life and work of Euphrasie Barbier, our Foundress, who is buried in our Chapel in Sturry. It will be a chance to catch up with former sisters who lived here in Wealdstone. The date is Saturday, 5th August. Sign up now list at the back of the Church. Please make sure fare of £20 is paid in advance – place through letterbox of Presbytery. Bring a packed lunch – light refreshments will be provided by the sisters.

Forthcoming Dates
First Friday Devotions.............................................7th July
First Friday Devotions.............................................4th August
Afternoon Tea .........................................................10th September

Personnel Changes
Father Alex McAllister will be standing down as parish priest over the summer and moving to St Thomas a Becket Church in Wandsworth. Father Paul Harris will take his place with effect from 1st September. This Sunday we will take up a second collection for Father Alex in recognition of his six years as parish priest here at St Joseph’s. We wish him well in his new appointment.

Father Auson Kamugisha will also be taking up a new position as parish priest in Plumstead in September. We will take up a collection for him on the last Sunday of July. We thank Father Auson for his service to us in St Joseph’s over the last two and a half years.

First Friday Devotions
There will be Confessions and Exposition at 18.15 followed by Mass at 19.00 on Friday 7th July.

Scripture Study Group
The Scripture Study Group is taking a break over the summer and resumes in September.

Summer Concert
Thank you to everyone who supported our Summer Concert on Friday. A huge thank you to our fantastic performers and to everyone who helped to make the evening a great success. Pictures/financial results will be on display shortly.

All’s Dream
Peter Hilditch will be running The Virgin Sport 10K next Sunday to raise money for All’s Dream. Please go to: http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/PeterHilditch if you wish to support him.

Parish Meeting
There will be a meeting in the Church on Wednesday 5th July at 19.00 to update parishioners on the upcoming demolition works due to take place at the Salvatorian College over the summer. Please make every effort to attend as we will be explaining the impact on the site and surrounding areas with regard to parking arrangements.

In prayer, come empty, do nothing
St John of the Cross

Last Week’s Offertory Collection
Sunday 25th June £2,554. Many thanks.

Second Collections
Today Father Alex Leaving 2nd July, Apostleship of the Sea 9th July, Father Auson Leaving 30th July, Catholic Education 10th September

Counting Group

Church Cleaning

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota
2nd Sat 18.00 C D’Souza, S Manto, T Kinsella; Sun 8.15 M Correa, E D’Souza, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 J Walker, M Kelly; 12.30 J Conneely, L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. 9th Sat 18.00 T Kinsella, G Teague, S Manto; Sun 8.15 R Yep, M Correa, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 J Walker; 12.30 N Barth, L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo.

Readers’ Rota
2nd 18.00 Reader Required; Sun 8.15 A Yep, A Luke; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 P Singh, Z Jimenez; 12.30 M Coyle; 18.00 P Arrigo. 9th 18.00 C D’Souza; Sun 8.15 E Arjune, E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 M Kelly, Z Jimenez; 12.30 Reader Required; 18.00 E Amexo, A Goldwyn.

Recently Deceased
Joseph (Joe) Sullivan (husband of Mary, father of Mary and Andy). Funeral: Monday 3rd July at 10.00 followed by cremation at West Herts Crematorium.

May they rest in peace