



St Joseph's Church

Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st October 2017

"He thought better of it"

Mass Times

30th	Sat	St Jerome
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass with Hymns</i>
1st	Sun	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	08.15	
	09.30	<i>with Children's Liturgy</i>
	11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
	12.30	
	18.00	
2nd	Mon	Holy Guardian Angels
	07.30	
	10.00	
3rd	Tue	Feria
	07.30	
	10.00	
4th	Wed	St Francis of Assisi
	07.30	
	10.00	
5th	Thu	Feria
	07.30	
	10.00	
6th	Fri	Feria
	07.30	
	10.00	
	19.00	<i>Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>
7th	Sat	Our Lady of the Rosary
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass with Hymns</i>
8th	Sun	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	08.15	
	09.30	<i>with Children's Liturgy</i>
	11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
	12.30	
	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

First Friday 18.00-18.50

Baptisms: Saturdays at Noon - by appointment

Form Signing: Mondays & Wednesdays in the Presbytery
18.00 for one hour - during school term time only

Public Rosary: Daily during October at 18.45

Sunday Readings: Year A **Weekday Readings:** Year 1

Cycle of Prayer for England & Wales

Autumn: Students & Teachers; The Spread of the Gospel;
The Harvest; The Fruits of Human Work, and the Reverent Use of
Creation; Justice & Peace in the World; All Victims of War;
Young People; Prisoners and their Families.

Dear Parishioners,

A number of parishioners have made enquiries about Father Peter Preston, who has spent some time in hospital just recently. I'm delighted to inform that Father Peter is now out of hospital, back home and feeling much better. I'm sure he would want me to thank all of you on his behalf who made enquiries and sent him cards and good wishes.

Registration for First Holy Communion 2018 will take place on 8th October in the hut. Please see the opposite side for further information.

Registration for Confirmation 2018 will take place in mid November, with the preparation classes beginning in January 2018. Bishop John has agreed to confirm our young people towards the end of June, which is a slight shift in the schedule of previous years. Please keep a lookout in the newsletter for the registration date.

The 6 monthly 200 Club renewals are now due and I take this opportunity to ask existing members of the club to generously sign up once again, and to ask non members to give some thought to joining. The 200 Club is a great way of helping boost our parish funds, whilst giving parishioners the chance of winning up to £500 in prizes every month. I wish to sincerely thank all existing members for their continued support of the 200 Club which is most appreciated. I intend to use some of the reserve funds to upgrade the very dated CCTV system in the church and presbytery, so that both buildings are constantly monitored for the safety and security of parishioners, clergy and the parish in general.

*With love,
Father Paul*

Welcome Back

We welcome back Father Frank, who returns to the parish after his well-deserved summer break.

Eucharistic Ministers

All ministers who take Communion to the sick at home or hospital are required to sign the register in the Sacristy before or after mass. This is a safeguarding practice which must be adhered to, so please ensure this is done each and every time you make a home or hospital visit on behalf of the parish.

Salvatorian College - Open Evening

Year 5 & 6 pupils and their parents are invited to Open Events on Tuesday 3rd October from 9.15 – 11 am and/or 5.30 – 7.30 pm. This is an opportunity to learn about the College's high academic and behavioural standards under the new Head, Mr Martin Tissot, and for more information on the admissions process for September 2018. Please note: the events will take place at the **Priestmead Campus, off Hartford Avenue, HA3 8SZ.**

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Saturday 7th October, leaving outside church at 7.45am and returning around 8pm. The cost of the trip is £10 per person. Now only a few spaces left - call the presbytery if you wish to come along. Please bring a packed lunch and an umbrella, just in case!

From the Registers

Harry George Lambert - son of Mark & Catherine - who was baptised by Father Frank this Saturday.

Declan Norton & Laura Gavin - who were joined in marriage before Father Frank this Saturday

We pray God's blessing upon them all

200 Club Membership

New members are much needed to join our parish 200 Club. £10 per month, with a 1st prize of £250; £100 for 2nd, and £50 for 3rd, 4th and 5th. Membership forms are available at the back of the church and should be returned to the presbytery. Subscriptions can be paid either by Direct Debit, or by cash, which should be delivered to the presbytery by hand. 200 Club profits are kept in reserve and are used at the discretion of the Parish Priest when a particular need arises.

Mass Intentions

The Archdiocese of Westminster have a recommended amount of £10 for a mass intention. Whilst the clergy are happy to receive any reasonable amount, the diocesan recommendation ought to be kept in mind. Please also note that intentions written on the offering envelope should be as clear as possible. If the intention cannot be understood, it will be recorded on the list as "donor's intention".

Month of the Rosary

The Church recommends to the people the praying of the Rosary, particularly during the month of October. A plenary indulgence may be gained by reciting five decades of the Rosary in church, as a family at home, or in general whenever several persons have gathered together. During this month, the Rosary is recited every weekday evening in the church from 6.45pm - all are welcome.

St Teresa's School

Parents looking for a Reception place in September 2018 are invited to attend a tour of the school on: Tues 17th Oct at 9.15am, Wed 18th Oct at 2pm or Thurs 19th Oct at 6pm. To book a place, call the office on: 020 8428 8640.

Sunday Car Parking

Car parking is available behind the church and can be reached by using the service road along the left side of the church itself. As such, please do not park along this road as to do so prevents free flow of traffic between the masses. Cones are in place along this road to indicate that no parking should take place. Parishioners are also asked to continue to show courtesy and patience with each other between the masses, giving way wherever possible.

Forthcoming Dates

First Friday Devotions.....6th October
Walsingham Pilgrimage.....7th October
Holy Communion Registration.....8th October

Christmas Lunch - Help Needed!

Our annual Christmas Lunch has been running in the parish for well over 20 years and is much loved and appreciated by many who would ordinarily be home alone. However, the ability to be able to provide a Christmas day lunch this year is most uncertain. Whilst we usually have many willing volunteers on the day itself, a person is needed to take the lead by way of preparation. Father Paul would be delighted to hear from anyone who might be willing to take up a leadership/co-ordinating role in this regard.

First Holy Communion 2018

Registration for First Holy Communion 2018 will take place on Sunday 8th October, 3pm-4pm in the hut behind the presbytery. £20 to be paid on the day, which is for the course book, materials, juice, etc. Also, if your child was not baptised at St Joseph's, a copy of their baptism certificate will need to be produced at registration. Please note that this is the only session for registration.

Irish Rambling House

Harrow Arts Centre on Saturday 28th October at 8pm. Tickets £15 from the Arts Centre, Hatch End, online at: www.harrowarts.com or the Box Office: 020 3773 7161.

Family Bingo

Family Bingo will be held on Friday 6th October at 19.30 for 20.00 start **in the hut**, in aid of the Parish Development Fund. Donations of gifts for prizes would be most welcome.

Coffee Morning

Sunday 8th October in aid of the Parish Development Fund.

Congratulations

To Enid and Albert Coutinho who celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on 23rd September 2017.



Last Week's Offertory Collection

Sunday 24th September £2,991. Many thanks.

Counting Group

Today Group 3: Next Sunday Group 4.

Church Cleaning

Thursday 5th October, Group 1, 11.30 – 12.30.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

1st Sat 18.00 C D'Souza, G Teague, S Mantio; Sun 8.15 E D'Souza, M Correa, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker, G Simpungwe; 12.30 L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. **8th** Sat 18.00 G Teague, S Mantio, C D'Souza; Sun 8.15 R Yep, M Correa, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 Ministers Required; 12.30 L McGloin, J Conneely; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo.

Readers' Rota

1st 18.00 A Goldwyn; Sun 8.15 E Arjune, E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 Reader Required; 12.30 M Coyle; 18.00 E Amexo, A Goldwyn. **8th** 18.00 J Moore; Sun 8.15 J Adeboye; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 Reader Required; 12.30 Reader Required; 18.00 P Arrigo.

Recently Deceased

Teresa (Tessa) Lorenza Hare, wife of Duncan. Christchurch Avenue. Funeral: Thursday 5th October at 2.15pm at Breakspear Crematorium.

Lima O'Dowd, mother of David, Tony & Paul. Funeral: Wednesday 11th October at 10.00 followed by burial at Harrow Weald Cemetery.

May they rest in peace