



St Joseph's Church

Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

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Easter Sunday

16th April 2017

He is risen

Mass Times

15th	Sat	Holy Saturday
	20.30	Easter Vigil
16th	Sun	Easter Sunday
	08.15	
	09.30	Folk Music
	11.00	Solemn Mass
	12.30	With Hymns
	18.00	
17th	Mon	Monday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
18th	Tue	Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
19th	Wed	Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
20th	Thu	Thursday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
21st	Fri	Friday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
22nd	Sat	Saturday within the Octave of Easter
	10.00	
	10.30	Confessions
	18.00	Vigil Mass with Hymns
	19.00	Confessions & Exposition with Benediction
23rd	Sun	Second Sunday of Easter
	08.15	
	09.30	Folk Music & Little Church
	11.00	Solemn Mass
	12.30	With Hymns
	17.00	Stations of the Cross
	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: Sunday 15.00 (By appointment)

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

Rosary: Tuesday & Thursday at 18.45.

Intention for April: To thank God for all His gifts and not to take kindness for weakness.

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

Cycle of Prayer: Easter

New Members of the Church, Vocations, Human Work,
 Right Use of the Media, The Church



The Resurrection and the Women at the Tomb
 Fra Angelico (1440 - 1442)

EASTER

E is for Easter, coming soon,
A is for angels near the tomb,
S is for stone which was rolled away,
T is for tomb found empty that day,
E is for early morning, the women are glad,
R is for the Risen Lord, no need to be sad.

We wish all our parishioners a very happy and blessed Easter



Scripture Study Group

Scripture Study Group is taking a break until after Easter. It will next meet on Friday 28th April at 10.30 in the Pastoral Office for an hour to study the following Sunday's readings.

Little Church

Little Church and Tiny Church are taking a break over Easter. They will resume on the Second Sunday of Easter.

The greatest message ever heard came from an empty tomb

Easter Week

There will be one weekday Mass only at 10.00 during Easter Week.

Form Signing

Please note there will be no form signing this coming week.

Fundraising Concert

Due to building work in the Salvatorian College starting at Easter, it will not be possible to hold an International Day this year. Instead, we plan to hold a concert in the Church on Friday 30th June 19.30-21.30. Details of how you can get involved either as a performer or behind the scenes will be available shortly. Contact: Julie Conneely on 8427 1955.

Easter Offerings

The Easter Offertory collection is your personal gift to the clergy. We express our deepest thanks for your generosity.

Baptism Course

The next Baptism course will be on Sunday 23rd April after the 9.30am Mass in the Catechist's office.

Repository

The Repository currently has gifts and cards available for First Communion and Confirmation. Volunteers are required to run the Repository after the Sunday evening Mass on the 4th and 5th Sunday of the month. If you can help please call Susan Whelan on 07786 980374.

A family altar will alter a family

Salvatorian College

Years 7,8 & 9 have now moved to Priestmead School in Kenton and Years 10 & 11 will remain on site. Works are now starting on the rebuild of the College.

Sister Avril's Talks

Sister Avril OP will be giving a series of summer talks in the Hut after 10.00 mass. Please note the Talk on 25th April will be held in the Pastoral Office and not the Hut.

Tuesday 25th April..... The Road to Emmaus
 Tuesday 25th May The 'I AM' sayings of Jesus 1
 Tuesday 27th June..... The 'I AM' sayings of Jesus 2

Forthcoming Dates

Parish Council 4th May
 First Friday Devotions..... 5th May
 First Communion 6th, 13th, 20th May
 Confirmation..... 9th, 10th, 17th May
 Parish AGM..... 6th July



Offertory Collection

Our Offertory Collection declined in the last financial year. We have a lot of expenses with the upkeep of the Church and to finance our new developments. Please consider putting £1 extra in the collection each week so we can meet our commitments.

Offertory Envelopes

Please pick up a new set of Offertory Envelopes from the Church porch if you haven't already done so. If you would like to enrol for a set of envelopes please ring the Parish Office on 020 8427 1955 during office hours or fill in the form available in the Church porch.

Easter Duties

The faithful are required by Canon Law to receive the Eucharist at least once a year and this precept should be fulfilled during the Easter Season. It is presumed that Catholics would ordinarily go to confession in preparation for receiving Holy Communion.

First Holy Communion Rehearsal Dates

First Communion Mass	Rehearsal Date
6th May 11.00.....	4th May 16.45
6th May 14.00.....	4th May 18.30
13th May 14.00.....	11th May 16.45
20th May 14.00.....	18th May 16.45

Confirmation Rehearsal Date

Confirmation candidates will have a rehearsal in the church on 3rd May between 19.00 - 21.00.

Security

Please do not leave personal items unattended during Mass as thieves are operating in this area.

Coffee Morning

There will be a coffee morning next Sunday 23rd April in aid of Father Patrick's Mission.

Family Bingo

Family Bingo will be held on Friday 28th April at 19.30 for 20.00 start in aid of the Parish Development Fund. Donations of prizes would be much appreciated. There will be a Coffee Morning in aid of the Parish Development Fund on Sunday 30th April.

It's hard to stumble when you're on your knees

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Sunday 9th April £3,713. Many thanks.

Second Collections

7th May Priest's Training Fund, Day for Life 18th June

Easter Collection

The Easter collection will be counted privately sometime this coming week. Would Team 3 please stand down this Sunday and Team 4 resume next Sunday? Thank you.

Counting Group

Next Sunday Group 4.

Church Cleaning

Thursday 20th April, Group 1, 11.30 - 12.30.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

16th Sat 20.30 Easter Vigil: G Teague, S Mantio, M Kelly, T Kinsella; Sun 8.15 M Correa, R Yep, T Drew; 9.30 J Fay, J Donohue, P Horne; 11.00 I Walker, G Simpungwe, 12.30 J Conneely; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. **23rd** Sat 18.00 T Kinsella, C D'Souza, G Teague; Sun 8.15 E D'Souza, M Correa, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, O Agboro, P Horne; 11.00 I Walker; 12.30 J Conneely; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo.

Readers' Rota

16th Sat 20.30 Easter Vigil: C D'Souza, E Arjune, M Ruane; Sun 8.15 A Yep, E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 M Kelly; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 E Amexo, A Goldwyn. **23rd** 18.00 A Goldwyn; Sun 8.15 B Adeboye, E Arjune; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 M Kelly; 12.30 M Coyle; 18.00 P Arrigo.