



# St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

*Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians*

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*High Road, Harrow Weald*

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**25th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**23rd September 2018**

## Mass Times

<b>22nd</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
<b>23rd</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	08.15	
	09.30	<i>With Children's Liturgy</i>
	11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
	12.30	
	18.00	
<b>24th</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Our Lady of Walsingham</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>25th</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>26th</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>27th</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>St Vincent de Paul</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>28th</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Rafael Cortes</i>
<b>29th</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael</b>
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
<b>30th</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	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:** Saturdays 19.00-19.30

First Friday 18.00-18.50

**Baptisms:** Saturdays at Noon - by appointment

**Form Signing:** Mondays & Wednesdays, 6pm – 7pm

**Public Rosary:** Tuesday & Thursday evenings at 18.45

**Sunday Readings:** Year B **Weekday Readings:** Year 2

**Cycle of Prayer for England & Wales - Easter**

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

Dear Parishioners,

"Anyone who welcomes one of these little children in my name, welcomes me..." Aside from Holy Baptism, another way in which we welcome children into the family of the Church is through the reception of Holy Communion. On Sunday 7th October at 3pm, the hut will be open in order to register children for First Holy Communion 2019. Children of the appropriate age from practising Catholic families within this parish are invited to join the preparation programme and make their Holy Communion in the May of 2019 - Please see the article on the opposite page for further information. A registration session for Confirmation 2019 will take place very soon. Please keep an eye on the bulletin and the Face Book page for the date.

We also approach the time for school applications, which require a Certificate of Catholic Practice issued by the parish clergy. Please note that this certificate can only be issued to those families who attend Sunday mass on a regular basis - this is the meaning of being a "practising catholic". As such, if a person/family are not known to the parish clergy as being regular at mass a certificate will not be issued. Families should also note that, just because "granny attends mass every week" does not fulfil the criteria for the issuing of a certificate.

Many of our older parishioners will remember Father Eric Powell - a native son of the parish, who both attended and later taught at the Salvatorian College, and who served as a curate here for a good number of years before moving to serve in the Archdiocese of Dublin. Unfortunately, Father Eric - now in his 84th year - is very sick. Both the Provincial Superior and I visited Father Eric in hospital during the week, where his situation remains critical. Please remember Father Eric in your prayers over the next week.

*With Love  
Father Paul*

## Salvatorian College – Open Morning & Evening

We invite you to attend our Open Day on Monday 1st October at the Priestmead site. There will be two sessions: 9.30am – 11.00am and 5.30pm – 8.00pm, where senior members of staff will be available to answer questions on the school and the admissions process. See notice board for details.

### St Dominic's Sixth Form College

We look forward to welcoming you on our Open Day on Saturday 6th October, 9.30am – 3.00pm, when some of our current students will give guided tours of the campus. The Principal will make a presentation each hour starting at 10.00am. See notice board for details.

### First Holy Communion 2019

Registration will take place on Sunday 7th October, 3pm in the hut behind the presbytery. Please bring £20 and a copy of your child's baptism certificate if NOT baptised at St Joseph's. If you can't make this date it is most important that you speak directly with Father Paul as this will be the only opportunity to register.

### First Holy Communion Certificates

Certificates for children who made their First Holy Communion this year will be available to collect from today. Please go to the Pastoral Office in the Sacristy corridor after the 9.30am Mass.

### Family Mass

If you are able to help with the Children's Liturgy, the team are always looking for new volunteers. Please see Nancy in the Pastoral Office after the 9.30am today.

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**The good man is free, even if he is a slave.  
The evil man is a slave, even if he is a king**

St Augustine

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### Mass Intentions

If you would like us to offer mass for a particular intention please take a small envelope from the back of the Church, **print the name of the intention clearly, to prevent any misunderstanding**, and put it through the letterbox of the presbytery. The donation should go in the envelope. Mass cards are available for you to use if necessary costing 70p each. We will offer the mass and put it on the weekly list of mass intentions on the noticeboard at the back of the Church. If you wish to have the mass offered on a special date please indicate this on the envelope **well in advance**.

### Readers & Eucharistic Ministers

Would all Readers and Eucharistic Ministers please check the noticeboard near the sacristy and sign up when they are available. It is important that we have sufficient Readers and Ministers to help with the Sunday masses.

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**Care more than others think necessary  
Trust more than others think wise  
Serve more than others think practical**

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### Readers Workshop

The Diocese of Westminster have arranged two training sessions for adults who currently read at Mass or are interested in reading in the future. These will be led by Mary Crowley and will take place on Saturday 29th September and Saturday 13th October (10.30am – 12pm), at St George's in Sudbury. See notice board for details.

### Forthcoming Dates

First Friday Devotions..... from 6.15pm 5th October  
First Holy Communion Registration..... 3pm 7th October  
First Friday Devotions..... from 6.15pm 2nd November



**No mobile  
phones**

### St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

The Headteacher, Mr Chris Briggs, would like to welcome to the school all prospective parents for Reception 2019 (DOB: 01/09/2014-31/08/2015) and will be conducting school visits from October 2018. Please call the school office on 020 8863 8531 to make an appointment.

### St Teresa's Catholic Primary School and Nursery

If you would like to join one of the following tours, or know of anyone who will be looking for a Reception place in September 2018, please contact the office on 0208 428 8640 to book a place: Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 9.15am; Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm; Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 9.15am; Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm and Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm. See noticeboard.

### Form Signing

Form signing takes place on Mondays & Wednesdays from 6pm – 7pm. No appointment necessary.

### Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

Two lamps constantly burn before the tabernacle to indicate the presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. The candles burn for 7 days - Saturday to Saturday. Parishioners may offer these candles for their intentions at £10 each. Please enquire at the Repository.

### Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

- 1 Muriel Katugampola
- 2 John & Bridie Harte+

### Church Cleaning

Wednesday 26th September at 11.00am.

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**I am the Way you must follow,  
the Truth you must believe,  
the Life you must hope for**

Thomas à Kempis

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### Last Week's Offertory Collection

16th September £2,323 – for which many thanks.

### Counting Group

Today Group 6: Next Sunday Group 7

### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

**23rd** Sat 18.00 C D'Souza, G Teague, S Mantio; Sun 8.15 T Drew, R Yep, M Correa; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker; 12.30 **Ministers Required**; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. **30th** Sat 18.00 G Teague, S Mantio, C D'Souza; Sun 8.15 M Correa, R Yep, T Drew; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker, G Simpungwe; 12.30 J Conneely; 18.00 A Arrigo, E McCarthy.

### Readers' Rota

**23rd** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; Sun 8.15 E Amalathas, A Yep; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 P Singh, A Lionel; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 **Reader Required**. **30th** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; Sun 8.15 E Arjune; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 **Reader Required**; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 E Amexo.

### Recently Deceased

*Rafael Cortes* (husband of Susan Cortes). Reception: Thursday 27th September at 6.00pm. Funeral: Friday 28th September at 10.00 followed by burial at Carpender's Park Cemetery.

*May he rest in peace*