



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

Salvatorian Trustees Registered Charity No 231410



26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

30th September 2018

Mass Times

29th	Sat	Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael
		10.00
		18.00 <i>Vigil Mass</i>
30th	Sun	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
		08.15
		09.30 <i>With Children's Liturgy</i>
		11.00 <i>Solemn Mass</i>
		12.30
		18.00
1st	Mon	St Thérèse of the Child Jesus
		07.30
		10.00
2nd	Tue	The Holy Guardian Angels
		07.30
		10.00
3rd	Wed	Feria
		07.30
		10.00
4th	Thu	St Francis of Assisi
		07.30
		10.00
5th	Fri	Feria
		07.30
		10.00
		19.00 <i>Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart</i>
6th	Sat	Feria
		10.00
		18.00 <i>Vigil Mass</i>
7th	Sun	27th 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: 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,

Over the last week the Bishops of England and Wales met with Pope Francis for their "ad Limina Apostolorum". This is an opportunity for the bishops to pray at the tombs of the Apostles and to present a report to the Holy Father as to the state of the Church throughout England and Wales. As you can imagine, a majority of this time has been taken up with discussing the stark revelations of child abuse within the Church and the failings of church officials in failing to care for children in their care. Such reports have caused our bishops to reflect on their own leadership for ensuring that safeguarding is embedded in every aspect of the life of the Church.

As such, the Bishops of England and Wales have requested the National Catholic Safeguarding Commission to commission an entirely independent and comprehensive review of the safeguarding structures that currently operate within the Catholic Church in England and Wales. A full statement to this effect can be found at:
www.catholicchurch.org.uk/Home/News/Ad-Limina-Statement

I take this opportunity to remind parishioners that we remain committed to ensuring both children and vulnerable adults are safe in our care. Our parish Safeguarding representative is Mr Patrick O'Connell, who can be reached on 07752-267881. Parishioners are encouraged to speak with either Patrick or any of the priests should they have any concerns of a safeguarding nature whatsoever.

On Sunday 7th October at 3pm, the hut will be open in order to register children for First Holy Communion 2019. Please see the article on the opposite page for further information.

With Love
Father Paul

School Forms - Certificate of Catholic Practice

Catholic school applications 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.

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.

From the Registers...

*Arlo Croucher
Who was baptised on
on Saturday 29th September.*

May the Lord bless him with His love.

First Holy Communion 2019

Registration will take place next 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 or the Presbytery office on week days.

Thanks from the Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions

The Sisters in Sturry wish to thank those who travelled to Sturry last weekend. It was a pleasure to welcome you all and to catch up with news from Wealdstone and to share with you the life of our Foundress, Euphrasie Barbier. A special thanks to Terri for her hard work to organise the coach etc. The photos will be displayed hopefully by next week.

**Seek God first
and the things you want will seek you.**

References

We are very happy to give references for parishioners but if you give the name of a priest at St Joseph's for a job reference please remember to speak to that priest (a telephone call will do). It is not possible for us to give references for anyone we do not know personally. St Joseph's is a very large parish so please do not assume that the priests are always able to put names to faces. Thank you.

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. The second session – 'Practice' takes place on Saturday 13th October (10.30am – 12pm), at St George's in Sudbury. See notice board for details.

Form Signing

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

Sister Avril OP - Reflections

Sister Avril OP invites parishioners to attend her monthly reflections at Rosary Priory. She is unable to continue coming to St Joseph's, due to the recent drop in numbers, however, she thanks parishioners for their support – she finds the atmosphere here prayerful, devout and friendly. We thank Sister Avril for her time spent at St Josephs and for her insightful and varied reflections.

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



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 2nd October at 9.15am; Wednesday 10th October at 2pm; Tuesday 16th October at 9.15am; Tuesday 16th October at 6pm and Wednesday 17th October at 2pm. See noticeboard.

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 Sinnott Family (ints)
- 2 Jacob Family (ints)

Church Cleaning

Wednesday 3rd October at 11.00am.

Last Week's Offertory Collection

16th September £3,256 – for which many thanks.

Counting Group

Today Group 7: Next Sunday Group 8

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

30th Sat 18.00 G Teague, S Mantio, C D'Souza; Sun 8.15 M Correa, 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. **7th** Sat 18.00 C D'Souza, G Teague, S Mantio; Sun 8.15 E D'Souza, R Yep, M Correa; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker; 12.30 J Conneely, L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo.

Readers' Rota

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. **7th** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; Sun 8.15 E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 **Reader Required**; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 **Reader Required**

Recently Deceased

Daniel Joseph Long (husband of Judy) Reception: Sunday 7th October at 7pm. Funeral: Monday 8th October at 10.00 followed by burial at Carpenter's Park Cemetery.

Mary Power (formerly of Fisher Rd). Funeral has taken place.

Joe Gallagher (formerly of Windsor Road). Funeral has taken place in Ireland.

May they rest in peace