



# St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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**The Epiphany of the Lord**

**7th January 2018**

**"We saw his star and have come to do the king homage"**

## Mass Times

<b>6th</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Christmas Feria</b>
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass with Hymns</i>
<b>7th</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>The Epiphany of the Lord</b>
	08.15	
	09.30	<i>with Children's Liturgy</i>
	11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
	12.30	
	18.00	
<b>8th</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>The Baptism of the Lord</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Rosemary Halliday-Hunt +</i>
<b>9th</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>10th</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>11th</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>12th</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	07.30	
	10.00	
<b>13th</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>Feria</b>
	10.00	
	18.00	<i>Vigil Mass with Hymns</i>
<b>14th</b>	<b>Sun</b>	<b>Second 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:** 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:** Tuesday & Thursday evenings 18.45

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

**Cycle of Prayer for England & Wales**

**Advent & Christmas:**

Openness to the Word of God;

Migrants & Refugees, Expectant Mothers

WISE MEN  
STILL SEEK  
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## Light of the World

A Michigan newspaper carried a story about a light bulb that had been burning day and night on a porch for thirty-five years.

An electrical engineer speculated that early light bulbs had very strong filaments, which may account for the bulb's longevity.

Today's reading recalls another light that has been burning day and night for over 2,000 years --the light of the star of Bethlehem that points to Jesus, the Light of the World.

Mark Link SJ

## Salvatorian Fathers Province Chapter

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week the Fathers will assemble in Chapter in order to review their work over the last year, to consider the year ahead, and to prepare for the General Chapter of all Salvatorians worldwide, which takes place this summer in Germany. Please pray for the Fathers as they meet together this week, that the Lord may continue to bless and guide them in their work in the UK and further afield.

### Form Signing

Please note no form signing on Wednesday 10th January.

### 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. Intentions will be printed each week in the bulletin. Please enquire at the Repository.

### Confirmation 2018

A meeting will be held for candidates and parents on Monday 8th January, 7pm in the church. All candidates will be expected to be present as the working arrangements of the classes will be finalised. As the meeting will be held in church, Father Paul reminds all attendees of the expected behaviour and etiquette.

### First Holy Communion 2018

Next class dates are: Wednesday and Thursday, 10th/11th January 2018, 6pm prompt.

### Westminster Diocesan Yearbook 2018

Now available for purchase at £4.50 on the table outside the Repository. Please make sure to deposit the correct money in the wall-safe used for the newspapers.

### SPUC

A Big thank you to all who sponsored Pauline Bishop in the Bedford Harriers half marathon on 3rd December. A cheque for £1,000 has been sent to The Society for the Protection of the Unborn Child. Mass has been offered for your intentions.

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*Christ has no hands but our hands to do his work today;  
Christ has no feet but our feet to lead men in his way;  
Christ has no tongue but our tongue to tell men he died;  
Christ has no help but our help to bring them to his side.*

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### Congratulations

We congratulate Julius Ponen, our Organ Scholar, who achieved the highest 'Distinction' level in his Grade 5 organ exam which he sat in church in December.

### Family Bingo

The next Family Bingo, in aid of the Parish Development Fund, will be held on Friday 12th January 2018 in the hut, 7.30 for 8pm start. Donations of unwanted gifts for prizes would be most welcome.

### Coffee Morning

In aid of the Parish Development Fund next Sunday 14th January in the hut.

### Reflections with Sister Avril OP

Tuesday 16th January after the 10.00 Mass in the hut: Finding God in Winter.

### Repository

Calendars and Diaries are available to buy in the Church Shop - Half Price!

### Forthcoming Dates

Sister Avril's Reflection ..... 16th January  
First Friday Devotions.....from 6.15 2nd February



**No mobile phones**

### Catholic Education

The Westminster Education Service is hosting an Event on Tuesday 6th February at 6.30pm in Vaughan House, 46 Francis Street, London, SW1P 1QN, to engage with Catholic teachers and leaders currently working outside of Catholic Education. See notice board for details.

### St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Please note, the closing date for applications for Reception 2018 (Child's DOB: 01.09.2013-31.08.2014) is Monday 15th January 2018.

### Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

1: Carmel Mackey (get well) 2: Dorothy Morris (get well)

### Last Week's Offertory Collection

31st December £2,669 - for which, many thanks.

### Counting Group

Today Group 1: Next Sunday Group 2.

### Church Cleaning

Thursday 11th January, Group 2, 11.30 - 12.30.

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*Lord, reveal yourself to us this year.  
May we see you in the hope of the child;  
May we see you in the searching of the stranger;  
May we see you in love of the elder;  
May we see you in the joy of the youth;  
May we see and understand the signs of your presence.*

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### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

**7th** Sat 18.00 G Teague, S Mantio, C D'Souza; Sun 8.15 T Drew, M Correa, R Yep; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 G Simpungwe, I Walker; 12.30 A Jervis, J Conneely; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. **14th** 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

**7th** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; Sun 8.15 A Yep, E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 M Kelly; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 E Amexo. **14th** 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 **Reader Required**.

### Recently Deceased

*Rosemary Halliday-Hunt*, wife of Dermot Hunt. Funeral: Monday 8th January at 10.00 followed by burial at Harrow Weald Cemetery.

*Florence Mary Kelly*, Northwood Nursing Home. Reception: Tuesday 16th January at 7pm. Funeral: Wednesday 17th January at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

*Gerard Briody*. Month's Mind: Saturday 13th January at 6.30pm at All Saints Church, Kenton.

*Michael Gallagher*, brother of Patrick Gallagher. Funeral to be arranged.

*Rest in Peace*