



# St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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## Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

20th January 2019

### Mass Times

<b>19th Sat</b>	<b>Feria</b>
10.00	
18.00	Vigil Mass
<b>20th Sun</b>	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
08.15	
09.30	With Children's Liturgy
11.00	Solemn Mass
12.30	
18.00	
<b>21st Mon</b>	<b>St Agnes</b>
07.30	
10.00	
<b>22nd Tue</b>	<b>Feria</b>
07.30	
10.00	
<b>23rd Wed</b>	<b>Feria</b>
07.30	
10.00	
<b>24th Thu</b>	<b>St Francis de Sales</b>
07.30	
10.00	
<b>25th Fri</b>	<b>The Conversion of St Paul The Apostle</b>
07.30	
10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Patrick O'Connell</i>
<b>26th Sat</b>	<b>Ss Timothy and Titus</b>
10.00	
18.00	Vigil Mass
<b>27th Sun</b>	<b>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
08.15	
09.30	With Children's Liturgy
11.00	Solemn Mass
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 C **Weekday Readings:** Year 1

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

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



Marriage at Cana, 1500 Gerard David

The story of the wedding at Cana is an intriguing one. In the previous chapter of St John's Gospel, we read about the call of the first disciples. This shows Jesus to be an attractive, compelling and, even teasing, figure. Then comes this happy wedding scene, which is really skewed around Mary; Jesus and his disciples appear almost as an afterthought. Indeed the conversation between mother and son seems to sound an almost discordant note. Jesus seems almost distant in his sharp reply to Mary's request for help. "My hour has not yet come" he says. But Mary presses home the case for the newlyweds. Their hour is now. They will be gossiped about forever if the wedding party flops. Then there is the miracle of the wine itself – no longer water or fruit juice, but quite a different drink. And lots of it too – about 20/30 gallons or 600 litres, enough to fill eight hundred bottles or a whole off-licence! The steward compliments the bridegroom who remains oblivious to what has really happened. The story ends with a saying about this being the first of Jesus' signs (or miracles). And if you like, this is another "epiphany" we've been hearing about in the Sunday gospels lately. The first was the story of the visit of the Magi, to be followed by the occasion of Jesus' baptism. Now we read that "Jesus let his glory be seen and his disciples believed in him". The glitter of Christmas slowly wanes as we return to the daily routine of Ordinary Time.

*Father Frank*

## Salvatorian College

Do you have a passion for reading? Have you experience working in a library? Salvatorian College has a number of volunteering opportunities our library and literacy initiatives - we would love to hear from you. Please either call 020 8901 4927 or email [admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk) for more information.

### St Vincent de Paul Society

Alexander Armstrong will be performing at a fundraising concert in aid of SVP Vinnie Packs for the homeless alongside renowned soprano, Miranda Heldt, actor Alex Macqueen and the Choir With No Name on Monday 4th February at 7pm at Farm Street Church, Mayfair. Tickets cost £30 and must be bought in advance via: [www.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk) (search for Vinnie Packs). See noticeboard for details.

### From the Registers...

*Ruth Elizabeth Cox &  
Tyler Katrina Geraghty  
who were baptised by Father Frank  
on Saturday 19th January*

**May the Lord bless them with His love**

### Westminster Year Book 2019

Now available to buy at the back of the Church. Cost: £4.50. Please put the money in the wall safe marked 'Papers'.

### St Joseph's Catholic Nursery, Dobbin Close

Application forms are now available on the school's website for Nursery September 2019 (DOB: 01/09/15-31/08/16). The closing date for receipt of application forms is Friday, 8th February 2019.

**If we have been pleased with life,  
we should not be displeased with death,  
since it comes from the hand  
of the same master**

Michelangelo

### Harrow Winter Night Shelter 2019

The teams from St Joseph's who are cooking for the night shelter also need female volunteers who would be willing to spend one night or more sleeping at the shelter. The guests sleep in one room, supervised by an overnight supervisor who stays awake all night. The overnight volunteers - either one or two per night - sleep in a separate room and are there simply to support the supervisor should the need arise. Dates needed for St Joseph's are Fridays 18th January, 1st and 15th February and 1st, 15th and 29th March, and Saturdays 26th January, 9th and 23rd February and 9th and 23rd March. Please contact Mary Prazer on 07976759968 or [maryprazer.mp@gmail.com](mailto:maryprazer.mp@gmail.com). Both male and female overnight volunteers are also needed on other nights. Please contact Fernando, the night shelter manager, on 07734384831 or [fdp@firmfoundation.org.uk](mailto:fdp@firmfoundation.org.uk)

**We often look for God in the momentous  
when he is waiting for us in the moment**

### Child Protection

Parents or guardians must accompany children to the toilet in the Church. Please walk to the back of the church rather than crossing in front of the altar, and try to avoid going there during the Consecration of the elements.

### Forthcoming Dates

First Friday Devotions..... from 6.15pm 1st February  
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Ash Wednesday.....6th March

## First Holy Communion 2019

**All classes will be held at St Joseph's School, Dobbin Close, at 6pm on Thursdays. The next session is:**

**31st January**

**All classes will begin at 6pm PROMPT for one hour.**

### 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.

Due to an error, the bookings are currently appearing one week in arrears. We apologise for this. If you have any concerns regarding a date booked for a special occasion please speak with one of our volunteers in the Repository.

### Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

Week commencing 12th January

- 1 Dennis O'Neill +
- 2 Daniel O'Neill & family +

### Reflections at Rosary Priory

Monday 4th February at 11.00am with Sister Avril OP. The real Margaret Clitherow - Margaret's household and her (both Protestant and Catholic) enemies. See notice board.

### Church Cleaning

Wednesday 23rd January at 11.00am.

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

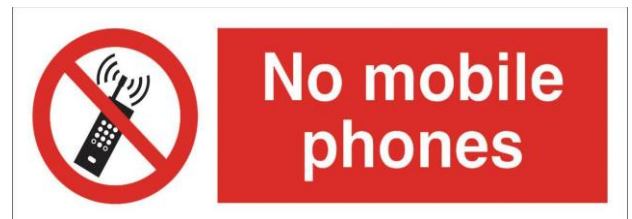
### Last Week's Offertory Collection

Sunday 13th January £3,206 - for which many thanks.

### Counting Group

Today Group 7: Next Sunday Group 8.

Counting Rota for 2019 is now available in the Guild Room.



### Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

**20th** Sat 18.00 C D'Souza, G Teague, S Mantio; Sun 8.15 T Drew, R Yep, O Agboro; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker, G Simpungwe, A Mutanda; 12.30 J Conneely, A Jervis; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo. **27th** Sat 18.00 C D'Souza, G Teague, S Mantio; Sun 8.15 O Agboro, R Yep, M Correa; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, J Fay; 11.00 I Walker; 12.30 J Conneely, A Jervis, L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo.

### Readers' Rota

**20th** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; 8.15 A Yep, E Amalathas; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney, T Oliveira; 11.00 P Singh; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 **Reader Required**. **27th** Sat 18.00 **Reader Required**; 8.15 E Arjune; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 **Reader Required**; 12.30 **Reader Required**; 18.00 **Reader Required**.

### Recently Deceased

*Patrick (Paddy) O'Connell*, formerly of The Meadow Way, Harrow Weald. Funeral: Friday 25th January at 10.00am followed by burial at Northwood cemetery.

*Teresa Egan* (wife of Tony Egan) died peacefully at Northwick Park Hospital. Funeral to be arranged.

*May they rest in peace.*