



St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Second Sunday of Lent

8th March 2020

Mass Times

7th Sat	Lent Feria
10.00	
18.00	Vigil Mass
8th Sun	Second Sunday of Lent
08.15	
09.30	<i>With Children's Liturgy</i>
11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
12.30	
17.00	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>
18.00	
9th Mon	Lent Feria
07.30	
10.00	
10th Tues	Lent Feria
07.30	
10.00	
11th Wed	Lent Feria
07.30	
10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Margaret Mary Boles +</i>
12th Thurs	Lent Feria
07.30	
10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Christine Ann Dempsey +</i>
13th Fri	Lent Feria
07.30	
10.00	<i>Requiem Mass for Luigi Lambertucci +</i>
14th Sat	Lent Feria
10.00	
18.00	Vigil Mass
15th Sun	Third Sunday of Lent
08.15	
09.30	<i>With Children's Liturgy</i>
11.00	<i>Solemn Mass</i>
12.30	
17.00	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>
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: Tuesdays & Thursdays at 6.45pm.

March Intentions: To love, care & share for our fellowman.

Sunday Readings: Year A **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



The Transfiguration Fra Angelico 1440-42

The ministry of Transfiguration

Transfiguration is not a solitary event in the Gospel but one that happens over and over again. Throughout his public ministry Jesus transfigured many people – the broken, the wounded and the wayward. He called to the deepest part of people and transfigured them by the power of God's love, the same power that transfigured Jesus himself. For Jesus, that experience was getting closer to who he really was. And we all get closer to who we really are when we hear our name called in love. When that happens we become radiant and we are enabled to face the future.

We can understand transfiguration better when we ask: what would it take to transfigure us? What would it take to transfigure the people we know? Who calls our name in love? Whose name do we call in love? In our Lenten journey we are asked to transfigure each other by the power of God's love in us. We are all called to the ministry of transfiguration.

Kalamba Clean Water Project

Father Richard is coming on Sunday 22nd March to talk to us about this project. This vital work will help to transform the lives of the people living in Kalamba.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS

Every Sunday during Lent

Stations of the Cross at 5pm

Confessions available 5.30pm

Lent Extra & Walk with Me

For guided reading during Lent. Both books cost £1.00 and are available to buy at the back of the church.

Reflection and Formation of Lay Ministers

Ministers are encouraged to attend one of the following sessions in preparation for **re-commissioning at Mass on Maundy Thursday (9th April at 8pm).**

Ministers of the Word

Saturday 14th March, 3.00pm-4.30pm in the Church **OR**

Monday 23rd March, 7.00pm-8.30pm in the Parish Hall

Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ

Wednesday 11th March, 7pm-8.30pm in the Church **OR**

Monday 30th March, 7.00pm-8.30pm in the Parish Hall

Please call the Parish Office on: 020 8427 1955 to confirm which session you will attend. If neither date is suitable please advise the Parish Office.

Open Morning at Salvatorian College

There will be an open morning on Thursday, 26th March from 9 – 10am for parents whose sons have been offered a place at Salvatorian College for September 2020. Beginning at 9.15 am and ending at 10.15 am, Salvatorian pupils will show you around classrooms and let you see lessons in action. Senior staff, the Admissions Officer, and the Head of Year 7 will be on hand to answer any questions you may have. If you have any questions in advance, or would like to confirm your attendance, please email: admissions@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk or phone the school office on 020 8863 2706.

Building Work at the Church

Please note that next week there will be replacement of cobble stones and paving slabs at the side of the church with tarmac. This will necessitate an area to the right of the church being fenced off for a few weeks. However, there will still be full access via the main door and the side door.

Mass for the Sacrament of Matrimony

The Cardinal will be inviting to this Mass, at Westminster Cathedral on **Saturday 30th May at 3.00pm**, all couples in the Diocese who are celebrating their **5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2020. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please give the parish office the following details **as soon as possible**: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email).

Repository

Lenten booklets plus gifts and cards for St Patrick's Day, including St Patrick's Day Badges, Mother's Day & Easter, are on sale in the Repository.

Family Bingo & Coffee Morning

Family Bingo raised £333 and the coffee morning raised £178, making a total of £511. Many thanks.



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. These may be offered these for intentions at £10 each. Please enquire at the Repository.

1. Catherine's intentions
2. Caroline Onyema's intentions

First Holy Communion 2020

Next class is: Wednesday 11th March 6pm-7pm.

NB: PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILDREN TO THE CHURCH FOR THIS CLASS

Please ensure your child completes their homework (**Chapters 6 & 7**) before the next class.

First Reconciliation is on Wednesday 25th March at 6pm in the Church. Please ensure your children know all their prayers. These can be found in the 'I Belong' book.

Confirmation 2020

The next sessions is: Thursday 19th March

200 Club March Winners

1st Prize, £250 (25) Mrs C Cousins
2nd Prize, £100 (48) Maureen Sullivan
3rd Prize, £50 (72) Terri & Tom
4th Prize, £50 (55) Yolande Rajanayagam
5th Prize, £50 (73) Adrian McVan

Congratulations to all our winners! Next draw Sunday 5th April. 200 Club sign up forms are at the back of the Church.

Quiz Night

Following on from the success of our first parish quiz our next Quiz Night is on Thursday 12th March at 7.15pm in the parish hall. Entrance fee is £5, table top quiz and face race will be included as well as spot prizes for the one minute rounds. Light refreshments including wine and beer will be served.

French-speaking Volunteers

Are you a French speaker? Would you be able to work with a small group of pupils to develop their skills in French? Would you be able to spare a few hours a week to volunteer to support very well behaved and motivated boys with their conversational French? If so, please contact Ms F Memon on 0208 863 2706 or via email at admin@salvatorian.harrow.sch.uk.

The 27th Harrow (St Joseph's) Scout Group

We have vacancies in all sections, Beavers (6-8 years), Cubs (8 -10) and Scouts (10-14). We are holding a Taster Session at our headquarters 43 Claremont Road on Tuesday 17th March 7pm to 8.30. Please come along, for more information contact Dan Hall on 07971481971 or danielhall@scouts.org.uk.

Church Cleaning

Wednesday 11th March at 11.00am.

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Sunday 1st March £2,395 – for which many thanks.

Counting Group

Today Group 2: Next Sunday Group 3.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

8th Sat 18.00 G Teague, S Mantio, C D'Souza; Sun 8.15 R Yep, M Correa, E D'Souza; 9.30 J Donohue, P Horne, B O'Sullivan; 11.00 I Walker, M Kelly, J Fajfer-Wieczorek; 12.30 J Conneely, A Jervis, L McGloin; 18.00 E McCarthy, A Arrigo, J Fay.

Readers' Rota

8th Sat 18.00 E Ryan; 8.15 E Arjune; 9.30 A Avenia-Viney; 11.00 L Goes; 12.30 E Kinneary; 18.00 **Reader Req.**

Recently Deceased

Margaret Mary Boles, (Rowanweald Nursing Home). Funeral: Wednesday 11th March at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

Christine Ann Dempsey (The Bye Way). Funeral: Thursday 12th March at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

Luigi Lambertucci (Warham Road). Funeral: Friday 13th March at 10.00am followed by Cremation at Breakspear.

May they rest in peace