



St Joseph's Church

Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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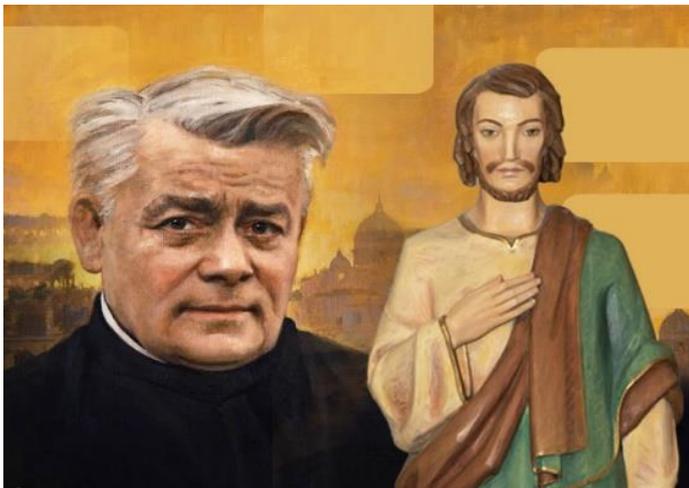
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Fifth Sunday of Easter

2nd May 2021



Prayer to St Joseph in the Year of St Joseph

*Blessed Saint Joseph, **beloved father of the Saviour**, give us the ability to reflect the paternal face of the one true God, helping us to be sons and daughters of his Divine Providence, as true apostles of fraternity.*

*Blessed Saint Joseph, **father in obedience**, teach us to be fully attentive, as was Francis Jordan, to listen and respond to the designs of God the Father, with total availability, even though we often do not understand them.*

*Blessed Saint Joseph, **father of creative courage**, inspire us, so that, like Francis Jordan, we may be inflamed with a love that leads us to find solutions to any difficulty, in constant discernment and prayer, without excuses and even until the cross.*

Amen

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Thank you for your continued support of St Joseph's Church, especially at this difficult time for everyone.

Your new box of envelopes is available to collect from the back of the church any day before or after the mass. For any assistance, please ask one of the stewards.

If you are a UK Taxpayer and wish to Gift Aid your donation, please contact the Parish Office.

Please note that this list has been revised and you may not receive the same numbered box as you had last time.

Many thanks, once again for your continued help.

May God bless you and keep you safe.

Water for Kalamba

Thank you for all your generous donations so far. The people of Kalamba are still in great need for clean water and your support is much appreciated. You can help by supporting our appeal and enabling us to reach out to more families and communities in desperate need of help.

Please donate to Society of the Divine Saviour Mission (Acc. 20327833 SC 16-24-06), 191 High Rd, Harrow, HA3 5EE with as reference "Water for Kalamba." Thank you very much.

Priest Training Fund

Thank you for your generosity to the Priest Training Fund collection last weekend. It is not too late to make a donation if you wish. Use an ordinary envelope. Please continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood. For more information, or to make a donation, visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations

Pope's Intention for May

Pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

Rosary intentions for May

Our Lady's intentions.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to all our children who have now made their First Reconciliation. First Holy Communion Masses will be held at 12 noon on Saturday 8th May and 12 noon and 2pm on Saturday 15th May.

Rehearsals for Communion Masses are as follows:

FHC Mass 8th May: **Rehearsal on Thursday 6th May** at 6pm in the Church.

FHC Mass on 15th May 12 noon: **Rehearsal on Thursday 13th May** at 6pm in the Church.

FHC Mass on 15th May 2pm: **Rehearsal on Thursday 13th May** at 6.45pm in the Church.

Emails will be sent directly to all parents confirming these dates and times. Please arrive promptly to allow us to start on time.

Each child may bring 6 family members with them. Masks must be worn by all those attending the Communion Masses (including children) unless exempt. **Children must complete the homework in their I Belong books and learn all their prayers.**

Confirmation

The next Session entitled 'Confirmation' is on Thursday 6th May at the later time of **7pm due to Parents' Evening**. Please note that dates for confirmation have now been allocated and cannot be changed. **The sponsor & confirmation names forms must be handed into the parish office by the end of this weekend.**

Confirmation Candidates' Sponsored Walk forms for 'Raise the Roof' should be handed into the parish office with any monies **before 20th May**. Parents will have received an email inviting the candidates to the Reconciliation Service on 20th May at 6pm in the Church.

See our website: www.catholicwealdstone.org or email Paula Donnelly: poilinnidonnaile@gmail.com for info.



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 for intentions at £10 each. Please enquire at the Presbytery.

1. **Peggy Malone+(b/day) & Sean Malone+**
2. **The Parish Team**

Mrs Pamela Singh OBE – Marathon Walk

Pamela Singh OBE, despite mobility difficulties has completed her Marathon Walk – 26.2 miles which began on Easter Monday and finished on Friday 30th April. She is hoping to raise £30,000 for Northwick Park & St Mark's Hospitals and St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School & Nursery, to thank them for their support to local residents during the Pandemic. It is still possible to donate to this excellent cause - see the noticeboard for details. Alternatively leave your donation in a marked envelope at the Presbytery.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year B; Weekday Easter Season

Monday: **No Public Mass**

Tuesday: **7:30 & 10.00: Public Mass**
The English Martyrs

Wednesday: 7:30 & 10.00: Public Mass

Thursday: 7:30 & 10.00: Public Mass

Friday: 7:30, 10:00 & 6pm: Public Mass

Saturday: 10.00am & 6pm: Public Mass:

Sunday: 6th Sunday of Easter 8:15; 11:00; 12:45

Both Saturday Masses count for a Sunday Mass

Below is the link (live streamed mass) to St. Joseph Church's Facebook page. You do not need a Facebook account to access:

<https://www.facebook.com/catholicwealdstone/>

Covid-19 Protocol

Please follow directions from the stewards when inside the Church & use the available hand sanitiser at entry and at exit. All adults must wear a face mask when in church & everyone must ensure they are maintaining social distancing. Do not come to church if you are feeling unwell or showing symptoms of Covid-19 - Stay at home. Please take your Mass Sheet & Bulletin home.

First Friday Devotions

Mass will be celebrated at 6pm on Friday 7th May.



Live Broadcasting of the Beatification of Father Francis Jordan

The Solemn Celebration of the Beatification of Father Francis Jordan, the Founder of the Salvatorians, will take place in Rome, in two stages:

15th May 2021 at 11.30am

Basilica of St. John Lateran: Rite of Beatification.

16th May 2021 at 4:00pm St. Peter's Basilica: Mass of thanksgiving for the new Blessed Francis Jordan.

Livestream link: <https://telepacenews.it/diretta/>

Broadcasting of the celebration will be held live at the Salvatorian College. If you would like to attend, please contact **the Parish Office**. We will post all broadcasting information on our Webpage and Facebook.

Please see the link below to watch the international music video of the original Salvatorian song, ETERNAL LIFE, commemorating the beatification of Venerable Father Francis Jordan:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lielw1t5szl>