



St Joseph's Church

Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

30th January 2022



For a synodal Church
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Last year, parishioners were advised of Pope's Francis's intention to hold a Synod of Bishops in 2023. Time has now passed and we must send our contribution as a parish to Westminster. The questions that we were asked to consider were:

During this terrible pandemic what strengths did I find in my faith and faith community?

In what ways did the grace of God most clearly touch and uplift me?

Who felt left out?

What did we do better as a parish during the pandemic?

How may we make our parish community more welcoming, inclusive and missionary?

If you have had time to reflect on any or all of these questions, please send us your thoughts. Either post a letter through the Presbytery letterbox: 191 High Road, Harrow, HA3 5EE or via email to: office@catholicwealdstone.org.

Rev Father Peter (Louis) Preston SDS

Funeral arrangements

Father Peter will be received into the church on **Thursday 10th February at 7pm**. His Requiem Mass will be on **Friday 11th February at 12 noon** followed by burial. ***May God be good to him for his faithful service to the church.*** In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in his name to either the HCPT (Hosanna House and Children's Pilgrimage Trust) or to <http://www.parkinsons.org.uk>.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year C; Weekday Cycle Year 2

Monday:	St John Bosco, Priest 7:30 & 10.00: Public Mass
Tuesday:	7:30: Public Mass 10.00: Funeral – Public may attend
Wednesday:	The Presentation of the Lord 7.30 & 10.00: Public Mass Ss Laurence, Dunstan & Theodore Archbishops of Canterbury
Thursday:	7.30: Public Mass 10.00: Funeral – Public may attend
Friday:	7.30 & 10.00: Public Mass
Saturday:	St Agatha, Virgin & Martyr 10.00: Public Mass
Saturday:	6pm: Vigil Mass
Sunday:	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time: 8:15; 9:30 (including Children's Liturgy); 11:00; 12:30.

200 Club

Thank you to all our members of the 200 Club. The first draw takes place today! The results will be published in the bulletin the following week. If you would like to join our 200 Club please pick up a form from the back of the church.
Thank you for your continued support.

First Holy Communion 2022



The next session will be online on Thursday 3rd February from 6pm-7pm. A link will be emailed to the parents for this session.

During this lesson we will be looking at Chapters 5 & 6 in your 'I Belong' books. **For Safeguarding, all children must have a parent/guardian sitting with them whilst online.** Please continue to have your child's Mass Attendance Card signed after Mass.

Confirmation 2022



The Confirmation Programme begins on **Saturday 5th February** in the Francis Jordan Hall, Salvatorian College.

The first session starts with Registration check at **8.50am. Classes will be held every Saturday starting promptly at 9.00am – 10.00am.** Candidates must continue to have their Mass Attendance Cards signed – this is essential and part of their commitment to the Sacrament.

Altar Servers/The Guild of St Stephen

Our next monthly meeting will be held next **Saturday 5th February at 9:30am.** All servers are required to attend as we will be finalising the rota for February. Please remember to return any cassocks and cottas that are no longer required so they can be re-used.



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 & Sean Malone+(anni)**
- 2 **Theresa Anazodo & family intentions**

Please note: Sanctuary Lamps are available to book during March and throughout the rest of the year.

Form Signing

Form Signing takes place in the Presbytery every Monday and Wednesday evening between 6pm-7pm. No appointment necessary.



First Friday Devotions

Friday 4th February: Adoration (5.15pm – 5.45pm) with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Holy Mass at 6.00pm

St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP)

Thank you to everyone who attended last Sunday's coffee morning in support of the SVP. £302 was raised thanks to your kind generosity!

Coffee Morning

There will be a coffee morning, in aid of the Parish Development Fund, after all Masses today in the Parish Hall. Everyone welcome.

Parish Council Meeting

The re-arranged Parish Council Meeting will take place on Thursday 17th February at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Amongst other topics we will be discussing our feedback to Westminster for the Synod of Bishops in 2023 (see front of Newsletter). All welcome.

Attendance at Mass

With the daily news about the Omicron variant, there is much discussion and concern about its further spread. With respect to the current situation, it is important to ensure the following points are followed:

- If you are displaying any symptoms of Covid-19 you should stay at home.
- Use hand sanitiser when entering & exiting Church.
- Face masks must be worn (covering both nose and mouth) whilst in Church.
- We would prefer if you didn't stand throughout Mass. Please be mindful of your safety and that of others.

Recently Deceased

Brinnell Shortt. Funeral: Tuesday 1st February at 10.00am followed by Cremation at Breakspear.

Elizabeth Hanrahan. Funeral: Thursday 3rd February at 10.00am followed by burial at Northwood Hills.

Philomena Feeney. Funeral: Tuesday 8th February at 10.00am followed by burial at Harrow Weald.

Bernard Weir (Kent). Funeral: Monday 14th February at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

Jean Gabriel (wife of Bill) Stanmore. Funeral: Friday 18th February at 10.00am followed by burial at Carpender's Park. In lieu of flowers, please follow this link to a tribute page either to make a donation to St Luke's Hospice, or to share memories:

[Tribute to Jean Gabriel, 1940 - 2022 \(muchloved.com\)](https://www.muchloved.com/tribute-to-jean-gabriel-1940-2022)

Clarence Thompson (husband of Rosmond). Funeral to be arranged.

May they rest in peace