



St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

16th February 2025



The readings for this Sunday focus on themes of trust, resurrection, and true happiness. Jeremiah, Paul, and Jesus each offer insights into how we should live our lives in faith. These reflections explore what it means to trust in God, the hope found in Jesus' resurrection, and the blessings and woes of our earthly lives.

This message teaches us to look for true happiness in God. It reminds us that worldly comforts are not lasting. This encourages us to trust in God and seek His blessings, knowing that He cares for those in need. Let us open our hearts to these messages and live with faith and hope.

Pope's Intention for February

We pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

Rosary intention for February

We pray for the sanctity of life.

Safeguarding

For the purposes of safeguarding, children **must always** be accompanied to the toilets by either a parent or guardian.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year C; Weekday Year I

Monday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Tuesday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Wednesday: 7.30: Mass

10.00: Funeral

Thursday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Friday: 7.30: Mass

10.00: Funeral

Saturday: 10.00: Mass

5:15 Adoration

6pm: Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.15; 9.30; 11.00 & 12.30.

Livestreaming link:

<https://youtube.com/@stjosephsharrow>

Confessions: Saturday after 10am Mass and during Adoration (5.15-5.45pm) before Mass

Luxury Valentine's Day Afternoon Tea

Today: 2-4pm in the Parish Hall



We have a few tickets remaining if you would like to join us for a lovely Afternoon Tea in the Parish Hall. Enjoy sandwiches, quiche, sausage rolls, cakes,

scones, fruit crumble with custard, tea, coffee, Bucks Fizz and fruit juice. Tickets cost £15 and are available to buy on the door.

We have some amazing raffle prizes including a luxury hamper, Glenlivet, a 'tower of treats', wine, toiletries and chocolates.

First Holy Communion 2025



This week is half term so there will not be a class on Wednesday. For homework, please complete Chapters 1,2,5,6,7 & 8 in your 'I Belong' book.

Classes resume on Wednesday 26th February in the Salvatorian College 6-7pm.

Racial Justice Sunday

Today is the thirtieth anniversary of Racial Justice Sunday. The theme this year: **"Pilgrims of Hope: Our Journey Together Towards Racial Justice"**. The theme invites Catholics across England and Wales to reflect on the collective journey towards racial justice in our schools, parishes and wider society. There will be a 2nd collection to support this cause.

Children's Liturgy

There will be no Children's Liturgy during half term. Returns Sunday 2nd March during the Family Mass.



Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

2 lamps constantly burn before the tabernacle to indicate the presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. The candles burn for 7 days - Sat to Sat. These may be offered for intentions at £10 each. Please enquire at the Presbytery.

- 1 **Patrick Joseph Kelly+(39th anni)**
- 2 **Annarani Mariathas (birthday)**

The Killarneys

Tickets for The Killarneys, on their first tour to the UK, are now on sale. **Saturday 15th March at 7.30-11pm in the Salvatorian College.** For tickets, costing £15.00 call: 07312 032905. See notice board for more information.

Mass Intentions

Please write your intentions **clearly, in block capitals**, on the envelopes provided at the back of the church. These can then be posted through the Presbytery letterbox (191 High Road). **Please note, Mass Cards are on sale in the Repository.**

Offertory Collection

Sunday 9th February: £1,870. Many thanks

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for Matrimony Westminster Cathedral: Sat 17th May at 2:30pm

The Cardinal invites couples in the Diocese celebrating in 2025 their **5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, and 60th (and any year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage. Please give your parish these details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, number of years married, postal address, email (or phone number, if no email).

Form Signing: Mondays & Wednesdays 6-7pm

Recently Deceased

Evelyn Ferguson. Funeral: Wednesday 19th February at 10.00am followed by repatriation to Ireland.

Karen Shannon (daughter of Maura & Michael). Funeral: Friday 21st February at 10.00am followed by burial at Woodcock Hill Cemetery at 12.30pm.

Sheila Plowright (formerly of this parish). Funeral: Tuesday 25th February at 10.00am followed by cremation at Golders Green Crematorium.

Joe Cormican (husband of Eileen). Funeral: Thursday 27th February at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

Hazel Annenberg (wife of Ray Annenberg). Funeral: Tuesday 4th March at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

Helen Owens. Funeral: Friday 7th March at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

William Fahy (husband of Barbara). Funeral: Monday 10th March at 10.00am followed by burial at Harrow Weald Cemetery.

Nora Duffy (wife of Oliver). Funeral: Thursday 13th March at 10.00am followed by burial at Northwood Cemetery.

Sheila Whelan (wife of the late Jim Whelan) formally of this parish. Funeral to be arranged.

Teresa Galvin. Funeral: Tuesday 18th March at 10.00am followed by burial at Harrow Weald Cemetery.

May they rest in peace

Ministers of Communion Rota

16th Sat 18.00 C D'Souza 8.15: Sr Carmel 9.30 XXXX
11.00 P Singh 12.30 XXXX. **23rd Sat** 18.00 Sr Catherine 8.15 O Agboro 9.30 **Minister Req** 11.00 **Minister Req** 12.30 L McGloin.

Readers' Rota

16th Sat 18.00 A Cook, N Chan-Maguire 8.15 E Amalathas, E Arjune 9.30 L Taylor 11.00 M Moniz 12.30 E Kinnear, L Dennehy. **23rd Sat** 18.00 Sr Vui, A Peiris, 8.15 E Arjune 9.30 **Reader Req** 11.00 S Karanja 12.30 G Simpungwe, E Kinnear