



St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Third Sunday of Easter

4th May 2025



The 3rd Sunday of Easter readings remind us of the joy and responsibility that come with following Jesus. He guided the disciples to a miraculous catch of fish. This illustrates that following Jesus' guidance leads to abundance and success in our spiritual journey.

In the first reading the apostles insisted on obeying God rather than men, even when faced with persecution. This teaches us the importance of putting God's will first in our lives. This encourages us to live with joy, love, and dedication to Jesus.

Pope's Intention for May

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanised.



The Rosary and Divine Mercy will be prayed in the Church, Monday – Friday, during the month of May at 6.45pm. Please bring flowers for Our Lady.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year C; Weekday Year I

Monday: 10.00: Mass (**Bank Holiday**)

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: **4th Sunday of Easter**

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

Pre-Conclave Mass of the Holy Spirit

There will be a Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit celebrated in Westminster Cathedral on Tuesday, 6 May, at 5.30pm to pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit on the Cardinals gathered in Rome before the Conclave starts on Wednesday. The principal celebrant of this Mass will be His Excellency the Papal Nuncio, Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendia. All are most welcome to attend.



Form Signing

Wednesday 6-7pm

NB: No Form Signing on Bank Holiday Monday

First Holy Communion 2025



Congratulations to all the children who have now made their First Reconciliation.

Rehearsals for First Holy Communion

FHC: Saturday 10th May at 12 noon – Rehearsal:
Wednesday 7th May at 6pm in the Church.

FHC: Saturday 17th May at 12 noon – Rehearsal:
Tuesday 13th May at 6pm in the Church.

On the day, children should be smartly dressed to reflect this solemn spiritual and joyous occasion.

For girls: White dresses, shoulders covered. For boys: White or dark suit with a formal shirt, with or without a tie, or smart shirt and trousers.

Each family will have their own pew. Please arrive by 11.30am on the day so everyone can be seated ready for Mass to begin at 12 noon.

Offertory Envelopes

We still have a few remaining boxes to collect from the Presbytery. For queries, contact the Parish Office or call on: 020 8427 1955. Many thanks for your continued support.



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 **Leon Kadzere (birthday)**
- 2 **Baby Gabriella Anto Jeyanson+(3rd anni)**

From the Registers...

*Vinnie Robert Bartlett &
Ayda Philomena Bartlett*

Who were baptised on Saturday 3rd May
May the Lord bless them with His Love



Please help to keep our Church Clean

Please do not leave used tissues in the Church after Mass. Not only is this extremely unhygienic it is unfair to our kind volunteers who regularly clean our Church.

Offertory Collection: Sunday 27th April: £1,880.
Card Machine £537. Many thanks.

Sisters of our Lady of the Missions - visit to Sturry

Again this year, we will be organising a visit to Sturry, near Canterbury to visit our sisters who were in ministry here in Wealdstone and our Heritage House and the Tomb of our Foundress, Euphrasie Barbier. More details to follow.



Myanmar Appeal

The Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions would be grateful for support for their Sisters in Myanmar

who are working with people there who have suffered, not only from this devastating earthquake, but from a civil war that has caused untold pain & suffering to the people & the country.



There will be a Fundraising Coffee Morning next Sunday 11th May, in the Parish Hall in support of the people of Myanmar. All most welcome.

Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund

Family Bingo raised £252, the coffee morning raised £288 making a grand total of £540. Thank you all so much for your very generous donations and continued support. Our next Family Bingo is on Friday 30th May at 7.30pm and a Coffee Morning will be held after all Masses on Sunday 1st June.

Recently Deceased

Tom Mulvihill (husband of Kathleen). Funeral: Wednesday 7th May at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

Thomas Clifford (cousin of Ann Clifford). Funeral: Friday 9th May at 10.00am followed by burial at Pinner New Cemetery.

Mary Alexander (mother of Christina Reffold). Funeral to be arranged.

May they rest in peace

Ministers of Communion Rota

4th Sat 18.00 G Teague 8.15 **Minister Req** 9.30 **Minister Req** 11.00 **Minister Req** 12.30 L McGloin.
11th Sat 18.00 Sr Catherine 8.15 **Minister Req** 9.30 P Horne 11.00 P Singh 12.30 G Simpungwe.

Readers' Rota

4th Sat 18.00 Sr Catherine, C D'Souza 8.15 **Reader Req** 9.30 P Rodrigues, L Taylor 11.00 P Singh, O Karanja 12.30 E Kinnear, G Simpungwe. **11th Sat** 18.00 Sr Vui, N Chan-Maguire 8.15 E Amalathas 9.30 **Reader Req** 11.00 **Reader Req** 12.30 **Reader Req**.