



St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

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Easter Sunday

20th April 2025

Second Sunday of Easter

27th April 2025



“He has risen !!!”

Today, we celebrate Easter, the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Easter stands at the pinnacle of the liturgical year. Easter is the cornerstone of faith promising redemption and eternal life to humanity.

Easter invites us into deep reflection and joy over the life-giving mysteries of Christ's triumph over death. Easter and the Octave are not just remembrances of a past event but are invitations into a more profound, personal encounter with the Risen Christ today. This season ushers in a time of new beginnings and divine grace, offering a pathway to spiritual renewal and deeper connection with the essence of our faith.

On this Easter Sunday, we wish you and your families a very happy, safe and Holy Easter

The Clergy Team

Thank You

Our thanks are due to so many people who helped make Holy Week and Easter Weekend so very special. Most especially, we thank all parishioners who supported our special liturgies by way of a great show of attendance. Thanks are due to our Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Office Staff and all the volunteers who came to clean the Church last Wednesday and to Maureen for the wonderful flower displays, making the church so beautiful. Thank you to Tom and Dominic and our choirs for providing the music liturgy.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year C; Weekday Easter Season

Please note: No Mass at 7.30am this week.

Monday: 10.00: Mass

Tuesday: 10.00: Mass

Wednesday: 10.00: Funeral

Thursday: 10.00: Mass

Friday: 10.00: Mass

Saturday: 10.00: Mass

Saturday: 6.00: Vigil Mass

Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

8.15: 9.30; 11.00 & 12.30

Monday: **St George, Martyr, Patron of England**

7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Tuesday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Wednesday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Thursday: 7.30 & 10.00: Mass

Friday: 7.30: Mass

10.00: Funeral

19.00: First Friday

Saturday: 10.00: Mass (First Sat Devotions)

Saturday: 6pm: Vigil Mass

Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter

8.15: 9.30; 11.00 & 12.30.

Pope's Intention for April

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

Rosary intention for April

We pray for the persecution of Christians to stop.

Repository: Cards and Gifts for First Holy Communion & Confirmation are on sale now.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The remaining Offertory envelopes can now be collected from the Presbytery. For queries, contact the Parish Office or call on: 020 8427 1955.

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

Many thanks, once again for your continued help.
Best wishes for a Happy & Holy Easter

First Holy Communion 2025



Classes have now finished for the Easter Break and will resume on Wednesday 23rd April at 6-7pm in the Church.

Please ensure that your children complete all the homework in their 'I Belong' books and learn their prayers in time for their Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

Books and Mass Attendance cards will be checked at this session.

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy will return next Sunday 27th April.

From the Registers...

Peter Bainbridge & Kouadio Ehui who were baptised and received into the church & Lauren Loughman, Alwyn Augustine Peters, Promise Obinna Akujobi, Ann Amuwa Ogunsulire and Maurice Wilbert Okello Ekwang who were confirmed at the Easter Vigil.

&

Olive Mary Kitto & Rome-Diego Noel James Joseph Who were baptised on Saturday 26th April
May the Lord bless them with His Love



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.

Week commencing 19th April

- 1 **Qaiz Aaron Rodrigues (18th Birthday)**
- 2 **Vince McGrath+(birthday 18th April)**

Week commencing 26th April

- 1 **Linus Kadzere (Birthday)**
- 2 **Nicholas & Augustin Muchini+(anni)**

Offertory Collection: Sunday 13th April: £2,017.
Card Machine £658. Many thanks

Form Signing: By appointment only during Easter.

Sisters of our Lady of the Missions - visit to Sturry
we will shortly be organising a visit to Sturry, near Canterbury to visit our sisters who were in ministry here in Wealdstone. More details to follow.

Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund

Family Bingo raised £168 and the Coffee Morning raised £289, overall total **£457**. Thank you so much for your continued support & generous donations. Our next Family Bingo will be **Friday 25th April and Coffee morning after all masses on 27th April.**

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.

Fundraising Coffee Morning: Sunday 11th May

Recently Deceased

Jennifer Mitchell (wife of James and mother of Lorna). Funeral: Thursday 24th April at 10.00am followed by cremation at Breakspear.

Peter Joseph Burke (husband of the late Maggie Burke). Funeral: Friday 2nd May at 10.00am followed by burial at Harrow Weald Cemetery.

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

Sheila O'Brien (formerly of Harrow Weald). Died in Ireland. Funeral to take place in Ireland.

May they rest in peace.

Acknowledgements

Helen Hall would like to thank parishioners for their overwhelming sympathy, mass cards and prayers following the sudden passing of her husband *Billy*. Over £5,000 has been raised for charities, so far, in memory of *Billy*. Holy Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Oliver Duffy and family thank parishioners for all their kindness, support and mass cards following the sad loss of his wife *Nora*. £620 has been raised, so far, for St Luke's Hospice, in memory of *Nora*. Holy Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist Rota

For Easter Sunday, please see separate chart.

Please sign up for April/May (see noticeboard)

Readers Rota

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