



St Joseph's Church Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Easter Sunday

5th April 2026

Second Sunday of Easter

12th April 2026



“He is risen !!!!”

Today, we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. We know that he has truly risen from the dead. Yes, indeed! This is the fundamental core of our profession of faith; this is the cry of victory that unites us all today.

Easter Sunday is God the Father's response to the Cross. It is the Father's affirmation of everything that Jesus preached and did, everything for which he lived and died. It is the definitive answer of the Father to a world that sought to silence Jesus forever, the supreme manifestation of the power of God's Love – a love that is stronger than death, or hatred, or injustice.

On this Easter Sunday, let us rejoice and be glad because Christ our Lord is Risen. Death, and all that is negative within us and in our world, has no longer any power over him. And with him we too are victorious, for now nothing can come between us, and the love of God made manifest in Christ.

We wish you and your families a very happy, safe and Holy Easter

Form Signing: By appointment only during Easter.

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year A; Weekday Easter Season

Please note: No Mass at 7.30am this week.

Monday: 10.00: Mass

Tuesday: 10.00: Mass

Wednesday: 10.00: Mass

Thursday: 10.00: Mass

Friday: 10.00: Funeral

Saturday: 10.00: Mass

Saturday: 6.00: Vigil Mass

Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

8.15: 9.30; 11.00 & 12.30

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Saturday: 10.00: Mass

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 for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

Rosary intention for April

We pray for mercy on us and the whole world.

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

First Holy Communion 2026



Classes have now finished for the Easter Break and will resume on **Wednesday 22nd 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: Easter Break

Children's Liturgy will return on Sunday 19th April.

From the Registers...

Benjamin Fernandez, Natalia Piatek & Charlie Rudden, who were confirmed & Gabriel Azevedo, Abbas Hammoud, Lugella Hinds, Keisi Krasniqi, James Lynch, London Miranda, Dimitri Anthony Cameron, who were baptised & received into the church at the Easter Vigil.

&

Hayden Anthony McCarthy & Isacc Khan Poskitt Who were baptised on Saturday 11th April
May the Lord bless them with His Love

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes are now available to collect from the back of the Church. **Please take care to collect the correct box.** 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



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 4th April

- 1 **Baby Gabriella Anto+(4th anni)**
- 2 **Thomas Mulvihill+(1st anni)**

Week commencing 11th April

- 1 **Jamie & Larissa Wickham (Wedding Day)**
- 2 **Father John O'Halloran+(anni).**

Offertory Collection: Sunday 29th March: £2,034.
Card Machine £559. Many thanks

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 to Maureen for the wonderful flower displays, making the church so beautiful and to the Slatina family for their work making the flower beds in front of the church so lovely. Thank you to Tom, Dominic & our choirs for providing the music liturgy.

Confirmation Group Coffee Morning



The Confirmation Group will be holding a coffee morning after all Masses next **Sunday 12th April.** Please support our candidates as they raise money for their chosen charity. All most welcome.

St Vincent De Paul Society: Coffee Morning

After all Masses on Sunday 19th April.



The Next Family Bingo will be Friday **24th April at 7:30pm for 8:00pm start,** with a Coffee Morning after all Masses on **Sunday 26th April.** Donations for prizes would be greatly appreciated.

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for Matrimony Westminster Cathedral: Saturday 23rd May, 2:30pm
The Archbishop invites all couples celebrating their **5th 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (& every year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2026. Please give the Parish Office the following: husband & wife's names, wedding date, full postal address, email and telephone number.

Recently Deceased

Mary Theresa Peters (daughter of Hannah Burke and sister of John). Funeral: Friday 10th April at 10.00am, followed by burial at Northwood Cemetery. **RIP**

Can Eucharist Ministers and Readers please add your names to the rota on the noticeboard

Ministers of Communion Rota

5th Sat 18.00 Easter Vigil 8.15: Sr Carmel 9.30 N Chan-Maguire 11.00 XXXX 12.30 G Simpungwe. **12th Sat** 18.00 Sr Catherine 8.15: **Minister Req** 9.30 **Minister Req** 11.00 **Minister Req** 12.30 G Simpungwe.

Readers' Rota

5th Sat 18.00 Easter Vigil 8.15 I Walker 9.30 A Avenia-Viney, L Taylor 11.00 M Kelly 12.30 L Dennehy. **12th Sat** 18.00 A Cook, A Pereira 8.15 E Amalathas 9.30 **Reader Req** 11.00 **Reader Req** 12.30 L Dennehy.