St Joseph's Church

Wealdstone and Harrow Weald

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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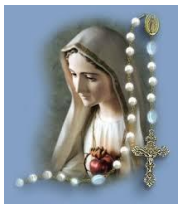
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time **4th October 2026**

This Sunday reminds us that God trusts us to care for what He has given. Like a vineyard, our world is meant to bear good fruit. God gives everything we need to grow in love, faith, and kindness. Yet, sometimes we forget our role as caretakers and live for ourselves instead.

In the Gospel, Jesus tells a parable about tenants who refuse to honour the landowner. They reject his servants and even his son. It is a warning for anyone who ignores God's message. On this Sunday, we are called to look at our lives and ask if we are producing good fruit for God's kingdom.

Pope's Intention for October

Let us pray with the Holy Father for mental health ministry to be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination towards people with mental illnesses.



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

YOUR MASSES

Cycle of Readings Year A; Weekday Year II

Monday:	7.30: Mass
	10.00: Funeral
Tuesday:	7.30 & 10.00: Mass
Wednesday:	**Our Lady of the Rosary**
	7.30 & 10.00: Mass
Thursday:	7.30 & 10.00: Mass
Friday:	**St John Henry Newman, Priest & Doctor of the Church**
	7.30 & 10.00: Mass
Saturday:	10.00: Mass
Saturday:	**6.00: Vigil Mass**
Sunday:	**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
	8.15: 9.30; 11:00 & 12:30

Livestreaming link:
https://youtube.com/@stjosephsharrow

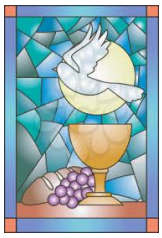
Car Park

Following on from the announcement last week regarding the Car Parks, if you haven't completed a form with your car registration number, please do so over the next 2-3 weeks. Forms are available from one of the stewards at the back of the church. Thank you.

From the Registers...

Aare Max Germaine &
Ryan Don Jayamanne
Who were baptised on Saturday 3rd October
May the Lord bless them with His Love

Form Signing: Mondays & Wednesday 6-7pm



Parish Sacraments 2027

Registration Forms and Photograph Consent Forms are available to download from our website, for those wishing to make their First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2027.

Registration for ***First Holy Communion*** will take place next Sunday 11th & Sunday 18th October, after 9.30am Mass, **in the Parish Hall**. Please bring your completed Registration form, signed photograph consent form and £30 registration fee. If your child was **NOT** baptised at St Joseph's, you will need to bring a copy of his/her baptism certificate.

Registration for ***Confirmation*** will take place next Sunday 11th & Sunday 18th October, after the 9.30am, 11am and 12.30pm Masses, **in the Parish Hall.** Please bring your completed Registration form, signed photograph consent form & £40 registration fee, plus your Baptism & First Holy Communion Certificates.

The Sacred Heart Language College

Our next two open mornings are taking place on Friday 16th & Monday 19th October. Parents can book a place by scanning the QR code on the poster, displayed on the noticeboard.

Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund

Family Bingo raised £207 and the Coffee Morning raised £327. Overall total **£534. T**hank you so much for your very generous support and for all for your kind donations and gifts. Your continued support is greatly appreciated. Our next Coffee Morning will be on Sunday 18th October.

Family Bingo

Our next Family Bingo will be on **Friday 16th October *at 7:30pm for 8:00pm start***. Everyone welcome! Donations of gifts for prizes would be gratefully appreciated.

Feast of St Francis Xavier
Celebration: Sunday 29th November

Our Goan community will celebrate this Feast at the 12.30pm Mass followed by a social gathering in the Salvatorian college. Early bird offers available until 31st October. See noticeboard for details.

Thank You!

Lucella, Kevin and Kathleen thank parishioners for supporting their fundraising BBQ in aid of St Luke's Hospice and MacMillan. The afternoon was a great success! Financial results will be published shortly.

Planned Giving

Today will be the start of our Planned Giving Appeal. Booklets with details of this will be available as you enter the Church or at the end of Mass.

Irish Rambling House Show

On tour from Ireland at Salvatorian College, on Saturday 31st October at 8pm and Sunday matinee 1st November at 3pm. To reserve tickets costing £20, please call: 07312 032905.

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. **Anne-Marie Drew (60th Birthday)**
2. **Qaiz Rodrigues (ints)**

Coffee Morning

Last Sunday's Coffee Morning on behalf ***of Father Patrick Keaney & the Salvatorian Missions in Tanzania*** raised £460. Thank you for your support.

Recently Deceased

Fergus McKenna (known by all as Fergie, from Daly's Bar) formerly from Killanny, County Louth. Funeral: Monday 5th October at 10.00am followed by cremation at West Herts Crematorium.

Brendan Gerard Calder (partner of Christine Towndrow). Funeral: Thursday 8th October at 1.30pm at Breakspear Crematorium.

Vincent O'Shea (formerly of this parish). Funeral: Friday 30th October at 12.30pm at St Mary Magdalen Church, Whetstone, N20 9AE, followed by cremation at Hendon.

May they rest in peace.

Offertory Collection: 27th Sept: £1,997. Many thanks

Ministers of Communion Rota

4th Sat 18.00 Minister Req 8.15 L McGloin 9.30 M Correa 11.00 P Singh 12.30 G Simpungwe. **11th Sat** 18.00 xxxx 8.15 L McGloin 9.30 J Donohue 11.00 Minister Req 12.30 Minister Req.

Readers' Rota

4th Sat 18.00 Jeniah; 8.15 Reader req 9.30 L Taylor, P Rodrigues 11.00 O Karanja 12.30 E Kinnear **11th Sat** 18.00 Reader Req; 8.15 E Amalathas 9.30 L Taylor, A Joseph 11.00 F Ejiofor, Fay 12.30 L Dennehy, E Kinnear.