

# This week at St Lawrence's



1st/2nd June 2013

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
(Missal Page 83 – YEAR C)

Genesis 14:18-20; Psalm 109; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26; Luke 9:11-17

Tenth Sunday of the Year (Missal Page 93): 1 Kings 17:17-24; Psalm 29; Galatians 1:11-19;  
Luke 7:11-17



Dear Friends

Last weekend saw the culmination of our First Holy Communion programme this year. Over the last few weeks nearly 100 of our children have received the Blessed Sacrament for the first time, and I want to congratulate them on this momentous time in their young lives, and to thank their dear families for all their support, prayers and encouragement. At the same time I want to thank our committed team of catechists, ably led by Bridget Brinkley, who have accompanied our children throughout their journey to First Holy Communion day. So to Tanya, Lisa, Michelle, Frances, Sharon, Lovelina, Colin and Eugene, thanks for your dedication and inspiration.

I guess each one of our catechists (and those who work with our Sunday School children and Confirmation youngsters too) could say that they have each of them grown in their understanding and experience of their own faith through sharing a journey with the children, that in giving they have also received. We are always on the look out for new catechists, men and women in our parish family who quite simply have an enthusiasm for their faith and a desire to give and receive. If you think this might be you, speak to Bridget or myself and we'll take it from there.

God bless you all on this beautiful Feast of Corpus Christi and, by God's grace, be ready to become what you receive!

Fr Chris

## Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 6 pm (Vigil Mass), Sunday 9 am, 11 am & 6 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) - Saturday 11am & 5pm

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We are hoping to announce our total amount of pledges received for the recent *Growing in Faith* campaign within the next couple of weeks. At the commitment Weekend 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> March, a number of parishioners indicated that they would like to pledge but have yet to return their actual Pledge Form to the Parish Office. Once we have heard back from those who still wish to pledge we can give you our final total. Thanks to all those who have been part of this campaign.

## SACRAMENTS

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The Thanksgiving Mass for First Holy Communion will take place at 12 noon on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June, followed by a party in the School Hall.

### CONFIRMATION

The next Confirmation meeting will take place on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June** at 7pm in Church. The Rite of Election for Confirmation candidates will take place on **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June** at 6pm. At least one parent must attend the Rite of Election with the candidates.

## PARISH NOTICES

### RENEWAL OF COMMITMENT OF MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

This weekend, the Feast of Corpus Christi, all Ministers of Holy Communion are invited to renew their commitment at any of the Masses. There will be a sign up list in the sacristy.

### FIRST FRIDAY

This **Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> May** is the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. It is also the First Friday of the month and Mass will be celebrated at 06.45am and 9.30am.

### CAFOD COFFEE MORNING

The First Friday CAFOD Coffee morning will be held after the 9.30am Mass on **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June**.

### UCM

The UCM will meet on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** at 7.30pm and a talk will be given on "Working with Prisoners" by Angela. A charge of £1.00 will be made. All members of the parish are invited to attend.

### JUBILEE PHOTOS

Thank you to all those who had donated photos of St Lawrence's for our exhibition last year. These photos are now ready for collection from the Parish Office. Apologies for the delay in returning them.

### ROME/ASSISI PILGRIMAGE REUNION

There will be a reunion of the Rome/Assisi pilgrims at 7pm on **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June** in the Parish Centre. Please bring a small plate of food to share and your own drink.

### CATECHESIS

Anthony Curran the Diocesan Catechetical Support Team Director will visit our parish on the **16<sup>th</sup> June** to talk about the role of the catechist. Could all Catechists kindly make a note of this date in your diary.

### SPRITIAN MISSION APPEAL

Fr David Pember of the Spiritan Community (formerly Holy Ghost Fathers) will be visiting us to make a Mission Appeal at all Masses next **Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> June**.

## OTHER

### LOURDES PILGRIMAGE FUND RAISING EVENT

A Summer Evening Extravaganza on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June at Shepperton Studios, The Orangery, Littleton Park House from 7.30pm. Featuring Jamie Bruce from The Voice. The ticket price of £20 will include the live band and a buffet. There will be a licensed bar. Contact [gillydhicks@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:gillydhicks@hotmail.co.uk) or ring Jean Johnston on 07764287595 for tickets.

## SPIRIT IN THE CITY FESTIVAL

Catholic Faith Celebration in West End Churches and in the heart of London **12-15 June 2013**. Come and join us for the four-day celebration of our Catholic faith, including the 'Awakening' opening show in the Leicester Square Theatre, inspiring speakers: Mgr. John Armitage, Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow; workshops, processions, prayer and festival events. Saturday 15th June: Catholic festival in **Leicester Square** with an entire afternoon of live music, Eucharistic Adoration, reconciliation service and workshops. For detailed programme see the leaflets or visit [www.spiritinthecity.org](http://www.spiritinthecity.org) Email: [info@spiritinthecity.org](mailto:info@spiritinthecity.org) Tel: 020 7440 2663.

### "ENOUGH FOOD FOR EVERYBODY IF"

CAFOD invites you to join together with others in prayer and witness in central London on **Saturday, 8 June**, calling on G8 leaders to make global hunger a priority when they meet in mid-June. The day will start at 11.30am with an ecumenical service in Westminster Methodist Central Hall where Archbishop Vincent Nichols will speak. There will then be a Walk of Witness at 1pm to Hyde Park for a rally at 2pm calling on the G8 to tackle world hunger. For more information, visit [www.cafod.org.uk/g8rally](http://www.cafod.org.uk/g8rally) or call 0208 449 6970.

### CELEBRATE TWICKENHAM

On **Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 30<sup>th</sup>** at Gumley House Convent School, St John's Road, Isleworth TW7 6XF. Celebrate Twickenham is a lively, Catholic, faith filled weekend for the whole family organised by a team from Catholic Charismatic Renewal – with inspiring talks and workshops, streams for children & young adults aged 3 to 21 and Mass on both days with Bishop Alan Hopes. It's a perfect way for everyone to share in this Year of Faith and join together in a vibrant atmosphere to celebrate the love of God. There will be thought-provoking drama from RISE and Steve Murray. Saturday Registration starts at 9am and the evening ends around 9.30pm. Sunday registration starts at 9am and the afternoon ends at 3.30pm. Booking forms available from the Parish Office. Costs: Adults 22 and over - £40, Creche (0-3 years) – Free, Reception to School Year 6 - £10, School Year 7 to 11 - £15 and Sixth Form & Young Adults - £20. For more details visit the website at: [www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org). **Highly Recommended!**

### ST JOHN BOSCO CHILDREN'S CAMP

The St Vincent De Paul Society has been running a Children's Summer Holiday Camp for more than sixty years. The boy's camp runs for two weeks from 20<sup>th</sup> July to 3<sup>rd</sup> August and the girl's camp for one week from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> August. Boys' camp age range is 8 to 13 and girls' 9 to 12. Children are accepted for one week only. It's a camping holiday with an enormous range of activities such as mountain biking, boating, fishing, climbing, swimming, art, craft, etc. The camp fee is £140 for a child to stay at camp for one week. If you would like more information visit [www.svpboscocamp.org.uk](http://www.svpboscocamp.org.uk) or call the Boys' booking secretary 01708 509790 (6-9pm only) or Girls' booking secretary 01634 311350 (6-9pm only). See poster on notice board. A few booking forms are available from the Parish Office.

## PILGRIMAGES

### PILGRIMAGE TO AYLESFORD

The Knights of St Columba have their Annual pilgrimage to Aylesford on **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2013**. As part of our parish Year of Faith activities, there will be a coach leaving from St Lawrence's at 9am, for Mass at 12noon. There will be Full Knighthood at 2.30pm followed by Rosary and Benediction at 3pm. Coach tickets: £12 per adult. If you are interested in going please let Florie in the Parish Office have your name, contact number and payment this week.

## WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS

### June

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>** - First Holy Communion Thanksgiving Mass

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>** - Confirmation, 3pm

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Parish BBQ, 7pm onwards

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup>** – Parish Annual General Meeting

## Mass intentions and other services this week:

<b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup></b> St Justin	11.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	11.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	11.45	Benediction
	<b>12.00</b>	<b>Ministers of Holy Communion at St Lawrence's and their families</b>
	12.30	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
+ First Mass of Sunday	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Margaret O'Sullivan RIP</b>
<b>+ Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></b> THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)	<b>09.00</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>
	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Frank O'Connor RIP (A)</b>
	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b>
	14.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	16.00	Worldwide Holy Hour with Pope Francis
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Margarita Lee in Thanksgiving</b>
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup></b> St Charles Lwanga & Companions	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Kumari Wickramasinghe RIP</b>
	10.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	<b>12.15</b>	<b>Chris Keating (Intention)</b>
	12.45	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
<b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	19.00	Evening Prayer and Benediction
	<b>19.30</b>	<b>Anthony Fernandes (Intention)</b>
	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Joan Keightley RIP</b>
	10.00	Novena to Our Lady
<b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup></b> St Boniface	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Celebrant's Intention</b>
<b>Thursday 6<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Albert Fowles RIP (A)</b>
<b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup></b> THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS	<b>06.45</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Fernandes Family</b>
	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Gerald Kanagasasa RIP (A)</b>
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup></b> The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary	11.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	11.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	11.45	Benediction
	<b>12.00</b>	<b>Christopher Maple (Intention)</b>
	12.45	Baptisms of Jordan-Jay Stanislaus Weekes, Calen Arthur Miller, Norman-Mubwani Ngubu and Leo Townsend
+ First Mass of Sunday	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b>
	<b>+ Sunday 9<sup>th</sup></b> 10th Sunday of the Year	<b>09.00</b>
	<b>11.00</b>	<b>Thomas O'Brien RIP</b>
	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b>
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>

### Sanctuary Lamp: Victims of Natural Disasters

#### Thank you for your generosity in last week's Offertory Collection:

25/26 May: Envelopes £1156.92, Loose £877.41, Standing Orders £420.00 Total: £2454.33

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