



St Lawrence Catholic Church

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Eleventh Sunday of the Year

16th/17th June 2018

Readings: Parish Mass Book Year B, Volume 2: Page 95: Ezekiel 17:22-24; Psalm 91; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34

Next Week: Twelfth Sunday of the Year: Page 98: Job 38:1, 8-11; Psalm 106; 2 Corinthians 5:14-17; Mark 4:35-41

GROWING TOGETHER IN GOD'S KINGDOM



We welcome to our parish Fr. Peter Shekelton. The Cardinal has appointed Fr. Peter as an Assistant Priest. Fr. Peter will take up his appointment at the beginning of September.

We also welcome our new Pastoral Assistant, Mrs. Jordan Pullicino who will replace Bridget. Thanks to Bridget for all the great work she has done here at St. Lawrence's. Jordan will begin working in the parish from the middle of September.

I am sure you will give both Fr. Peter and Jordan a very warm welcome.

Please remember Colin in your prayers as he prepares for Ordination to the Diaconate on Saturday 23rd June at Westminster Cathedral.

St. Lawrence will have a 'new look' parish team, bringing new gifts and talents to parish ministry. May it be an exciting and fruitful time for all of us, as our parish continues to grow.

In today's Gospel Jesus speaks about the growth of God's Kingdom using the parables of the seeds, to remind us that God is at work in us and in our parish and all around us, even when we are not aware of it.

If we have patience and keep our eyes open we will be able to see and appreciate God's blessings in our lives and in our parish.

Our parish **40 Hours Adoration** begins on Friday 29th June. Please take home with you our parish 9 day Novena leaflet which begins on Wednesday 20th June. Also please sign the sheet at the back of the church to let us know when you can spend some time in silent prayer and adoration and keeping watch during the 40 hours.

We must trust in God and hope for the harvest which only God can bring about. Thank you for your ongoing wonderful support.

FR. JOHN

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

A warm welcome to Catherine Rose Plassery who will be baptised this weekend and offer our warmest congratulations to her family.

PARISH NOTICES

ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL

We welcome Sr Jyoti Kujur who will be giving the appeal. Her mission experience has been in India and now in London. Sr Jyoti is a Medical Mission Sister and will be representing Missionary Sisters of England and Wales involved in giving annual mission appeals. Their emphasis is on "Mission for us all today, here and overseas" speaking especially from their overseas experience. There will be a collection at the end of all Masses.

UCM

The UCM will meet on **Monday 18th June at 7.30pm**. Mr Matt Downes will give an interesting talk on Age UK. This has changed from the printed programme.

SATURDAY 23rd JUNE

Please note that the **Church will be closed on the morning of Saturday 23rd June** due to the ordination of Colin Macken to the Permanent Diaconate.

Confession and Evening Mass will take place as usual.

CARER COMMUNITY GET-TOGETHER

Sandbanks Resource Centre and London Borough of Hounslow invite carers to an afternoon of activities at Sandbanks, Beattie Close, Feltham TW14 9RR on **Thursday 28th June** from 4pm-7pm. More details on notice board.

MASS & ANOINTING FOR THE SICK

Our Annual Mass of Healing and Anointing for the Sick will take place on **Saturday 14th July** at 12.00noon followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre.

There are lists at the back of Church for those who would like to attend, helpers, offers of lifts for those with no transport.

NEW ALTAR SERVERS

There will be a training morning for new Altar Servers on **Saturday 21st and 28th July, from 10am to 11am** in Church. All children who have made their First Holy Communion this year are very welcome to join St Lawrence's serving team. You need to attend only one of the training mornings.

FILIPINO COMMUNITY

Please be advised there is **no Mass** in Tagalog in June or July as Fr Cirinio is away. The next Mass will be on **Saturday 25th August**.

LINE DANCING

The next Line Dancing session will be on **Monday 25th June** at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. £4.00 per session. All welcome.

CONNECT@FELTHAM

Connect@Feltham provides a safe place for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities who would like to take part in Art, Music and Dance activities as well as learning basic cooking skills. The next meeting will take place on **Tuesday 19th June** starting with cookery from 10.30am to 12.30pm and Drama from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. Contact Tiziana Mecocci for further information.

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA

KSC is a group of gentlemen in the Catholic lay community who are dedicated to support the mission of the Church and follows the social teachings of the Catholic Church. We work for the moral and social welfare of our communities. Why not consider becoming a member; you never know where it may lead you. Our meeting is the 2nd Tuesday of every month and next meeting is on **Tuesday 10th July 2018** @ St. Lawrence Parish Centre in Feltham @ 8:00pm.

PILGRIMAGES

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF KNOCK, IRELAND

We are planning a pilgrimage to the Knock Shrine from **6th-9th September 2019**. The price per person is £499 including return transfer from Church, flight with hand luggage, all transfers, 3 nights hotel with breakfast and dinner. Single room supplement £100 for the 3 nights. Please see flyer on the noticeboard. If you are interested please put your name on the sign up sheet as soon as possible.

ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

The annual pilgrimage to Walsingham takes place on **22nd September**. We hope to take a coach, if you are interested please put on your name on the sign up sheet.

BRIDGET BRINKLEY

There is a card for Bridget and an envelope towards a gift in the Parish Office (weekdays) and in the Repository so everyone has an opportunity to sign the card contribute towards a gift. This will be given to her at the Parish BBQ on 7th July.

ANNUAL INTERFAITH WALK OF PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP

This annual event takes place on **Sunday 24th June** starting at 11.30 at the Athula Dassana Buddhist Centre, 114 Hounslow Road, Hanworth TW13 6QB. We then stop at Riverside Vineyard, then Hounslow Islamic Relief Association and finish at St Lawrence's at about 4pm, when Colin will give a short talk. We are asked to dress modestly and women should cover their heads. Shoes to be removed at the Islamic and Buddhist Centres. Please see flyer on notice board for further information.

DATES FOR YOU DIARY

ST LAWRENCE'S PARISH BBQ

The annual parish BBQ will take place on **Saturday 7th July** at 7pm in the parish centre. All are invited to attend and to make this a truly parish occasion. It will also be an opportunity to wish Bridget well in her new job and to thank her for all she has done in the parish.

Tickets priced at £7/Adult and £3 for children 10 and under will be on sale after Mass from the Repository or Parish Office (weekdays). If you can help with this event please contact Fr. John or the parish office.

ST LAWRENCE SCHOOL BBQ.

It is on **Friday 6th July from 6.30pm-9.00pm** in the school playground. It is the summer BBQ and also a thank you to Mrs P Owens for the service as governor of our school. Entrance: Adults £1.00, children £.50p. For any questions please contact the school office or Sandra Lawrence via the school office.

WEST LONDON GOANS SUMMER GET-TOGETHER

Friday 6 July 2018, 7 pm to 10 pm at St Lawrence Parish Hall. Party with people in your area! Free entrance! All invited. Bring your own drinks and a plate of food to share. Text 07877837933 or email:

westlondongoans@hotmail.com for more details

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 16 th	11.00 11.00 12.00 12.30 17.00 18.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Sacrament of Reconciliation David Hurley RIP (Anniversary) Baptism of Catherine Rose Plassery Polish Community First Holy Communion Sacrament of Reconciliation Starina D'Souza RIP
Sun 17 th	09.00 11.00 13.00 18.00	Olga Pereira RIP (Anniversary) Badejo Family in Thanksgiving Mass in Polish (Msza sw.) People of the Parish
Mon 18 th	09.30	Jeremiah Gorman (Get well)
Tues 19 th	09.30	Jim McDonagh RIP
Wed 20 th	09.30	Czeslav Surma RIP (Anniversary)
Thurs 21 st	09.30	Francisca Do Rosario RIP
Fri 22 nd	09.30	Bridget D'Souza RIP
Sat 23 rd	17.00 18.00	CHURCH CLOSED THIS MORNING DUE TO THE ORDINATION OF COLIN MACKEN TO THE PERMANENT DIACONATE AT WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL NO MASS IN TAGALOG THIS MONTH Sacrament of Reconciliation Intentions of the Power Family
Sun 24 th	09.00 11.00 13.00 14.30 18.00	Calmiano Family in Thanksgiving Michael & Christine Bigley RIP Mass in Polish (Msza sw.) Mass led by the African Community People of the Parish
Sanctuary Lamp: Roderick & Kerry Wilson in Thanksgiving		

Sunday Mass: 6pm (Vigil Mass), Sunday 9am, 11am, 1pm (Polish) & 6pm. Weekday Mass: Monday-Friday 9.30am; Saturday 12noon; Morning Prayer: Monday-Friday 9.15am, Novena to Our Lady: Tuesdays 10am, Exposition and Benediction: Saturdays 11am, Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): Saturday 11am and 5pm

Thank you for your generosity in last week's collection:

9-10 June: Envelopes £971.28; Loose: £994.66;
Standing Orders: £845.00 **Total: £2,810.94**

Happy Father's Day to all Dad's