

# ST LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH FELTHAM

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## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> June 2022



Year C, Volume 2: (Page 81): Genesis 14:18-20; Psalm 109; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26; Sequence; John 6:51-52

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June – MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS (Page 87): Ezekiel 34:11-16; Psalm 22; Romans 5:5-11; Luke 15:3-7

Next Week: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Page 102): 1 Kings 19:16, 19-21; Psalm 15; Galatians 5:1, 13-18;

Luke 9:51-62



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#### MASS TIMES

Sunday Masses: 8.00am, 9.30am and 11.00am

Monday to Friday: 10am Mass

Saturday Morning: 11.00am Mass

Saturday Morning: Confessions: 10.00am to 10.45am  
with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament,  
Saturday Evening: 5.00pm Vigil Mass for Sunday

This Parish is part of Westminster Roman Catholic Diocesan Trust (WRCDT) Registered Charity No: 233699

### The Loving and Real Presence of Jesus

I know a number of young children in our parish who have spent the first weeks, months and years of their lives in and out of hospital. Their loving parents staying with them during the nights and days. It is harrowing for them to watch what their children are going through.

Many of us also know people who are sick or suffering and it can be hard to make sense of it all. We are told in today's Gospel that 'Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the Kingdom of God; and he cured those who needed healing'.

On this Feast of Corpus Christi we recall how Jesus took bread and gave it to his disciples saying 'this is my body broken for you'. Our own bodies may be weak and fragile, but Jesus is with us in our frailty. He nourishes us here in the Eucharist as he generously fed the people in the desert.

Jesus is among us. Here we hear his voice when the scriptures are read. His words are living words that console and inspire us, challenge us and heal us.

Here Jesus heals the wounds of sin and division. He heals us of our isolation and selfishness. Here the Holy Eucharist forms us into a community of love. Let us bring our brokenness into the loving presence of Jesus today:

### Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

*Outside the church the noisy traffic on  
Feltham High Street flows past.*

*But I have left that world behind, and I am here before you Jesus.*

*I close my mind and open my heart.*

*Here I experience my true worth, which consists,  
not in my possessions or achievements  
but in knowing that I am loved by you.*

*Amen*

Fr John

## CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to our first group of young people who received the Sacrament of Confirmation next this **Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> June**. The celebrant was Fr Gerard Quinn the Episcopal Vicar for the West Area.

## FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

This weekend **18/19 June** we celebrate the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). There will be an outdoor Eucharistic Procession of Witness (weather permitting) around the school playground after the 11am Mass on Sunday. If it rains the procession will be held in Church.

All Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who attended the Day of Recollection two weeks ago will be recommissioned at the various Masses this weekend on the Feast of Corpus Christi, to continue in their various ministries

## DAY FOR LIFE

*'Do not cast me off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength is spent' Psalm 71:9*

'Day for Life' is a day in our calendar set aside to celebrate life from conception to natural death. This year the focus is on caring for and valuing the elderly. Funds raised support various Day for Life initiatives, which focus on upholding the dignity of every human life from conception to natural death. For more information and to donate, see here:

<https://www.cbew.org.uk/dfi22/>

## RELICS OF ST EDMUND CAMPION

The Knights of St Columba 2022 Pilgrimage in honour of St Edmund Campion and the Martyrs of England and Wales takes place from May 29<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> September. They will be visiting local churches and will be at St Lawrence's with the relic of St Edmund Campion on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** at the 5pm Mass. The intention of this year's pilgrimage is Christian Unity and World Peace. All welcome.

## AID FOR AFRICA

Cathy Early's aunt is involved in collecting items of faith for Africa including, but not exclusive to: - Bibles, missals, prayer books, vestments, candles (incl. old Paschal), rosaries, statues, prayer books, pictures, etc. These are then shipped to Africa for those in need.

If people can bring the donations of goods over the next 2 Sundays (26<sup>th</sup> June and 3<sup>rd</sup> July), that would be great and Cathy will pick up after 11:00 mass.

For anyone who would like to contribute but are unable to bring to church Cathy can arrange for collection. Contact: 07713 983485

## UCM

The next meeting of the UCM is on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre

## THANK YOU FROM HELEN HURLEY

Helen has recently got back from Zimbabwe and on behalf of the two charities, St Francis Xavier Parish and Tose, who support orphans expresses her heartfelt thanks to all who gave so generously. Helen was able to make a donation of US\$920 to St Francis Xavier and US\$940 to Tose. Their letters of thanks are on the notice board.



## ST RICHARD REYNOLDS CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Currently advertising for a Teacher of English (Early Career Teacher) vacancy on our web-site

<https://www.strichardreynolds.org.uk/our-college/vacancies>

## 'CATECHISTS' SUMMER GATHERING

After two years of online Summer Gatherings for Catechists, we are once again able to meet in person. This year, the Summer Gathering will take place on **Saturday 2nd July, 9.45am-3.30pm** at Sacred Heart High School, Hammersmith. If any catechist would like to attend please register at:

<https://rcdow.org.uk/evangelisation/>

## WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 22-26 JUNE 2022

**#WMOF22** – this year we are invited to celebrate the WMOF locally using resources developed under the title 'Rome at home' to enable as many families to participate at the local level.

<https://rcdow.org.uk/marriage-and-family-life/marriage-and-family-life-catechesis/world-meeting-of-families-history/>.

## ST LAWRENCE SCHOOL – CAMINO PILGRIMAGE

Well done to Mr Leo Duggan, Head Teacher and Mrs Evelyn Thompson, Deputy Head Teacher for successfully completing the Camino Inglés Pilgrimage to raise funds towards new Yr 3 and Yr 4 classrooms. Total cost is £180,000 but Mr Duggan and Mrs Thompson's target is £10,000. If you hadn't already sponsored them and would like to the link is

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/leo-duggan>

## REST IN PEACE

We pray for the repose of the souls of **Joan McGrath, Timothy Hurley, Rebecca Offiajiaku and Jerzy Jan Jakubik** who passed away recently.

- **Joan McGrath RIP** – Her funeral will take place on **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm** at Hanworth Crematorium.

- **Timothy Hurley RIP** – His Requiem will take place here on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 11am**.

We also keep in our prayers their families and all who mourn them.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 18	11.00am	CONFIRMATION (Shannel Dias in Birthday Thanksgiving)
	2.00pm	CONFIRMATION
	5.00pm	Mr L and Mrs N Fernandes RIP
Sun 19	8.00am	Berthand Okoro RIP (Anniversary)
	9.30am	Rosalie Alloh RIP
	11.00am	Pat Stokes RIP
	1.00pm	Mass in Polish (Msza sw)
Mon 20	10.00am	Sr Mary O'Malley (Intention)
Tues 21	10.00am	Sylvia Olah RIP
Wed 22	10.00am	Brigida D'Souza RIP
Thurs 23	10.00am	Shanti Mushtaq RIP (Anniversary)
Fri 24	10.00am	Fr Joseph Okoro in Thanksgiving - 5 <sup>th</sup> Priestly Ordination Anniversary
Sat 25	11.00am	In Thanksgiving Pham Family
	5.00pm	Kyan Jayden D'Costa – Good Health
Sun 26	8.00am	Clodomino Victor Rodrigues RIP (First Anniversary)
	9.30am	Nelly Fernandes RIP
	11.00am	Gregorio Fernandes RIP (Third Anniversary)
	1.00pm	Mass in Polish (Msza sw)
		Sanctuary Lamp: Gabriel D'Souza RIP

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