

# This week at St Lawrence's

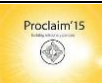


18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> June 2016

Twelfth Sunday of the Year  
(Missal Page 99 – YEAR C Vol. 2)

Zechariah 12:10-11; 13:1; Psalm 62; Galatians 3:26-29; Luke 9:18-24

Next week: 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year (Missal Page 102): 1 Kings 19:16, 19-21, Psalm 15;  
Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62



## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

*We offer our warmest congratulations to the following children who will be receiving their First Holy Communion this weekend.*

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 12.00noon**

*Sophia Anne Marie Roga, Gabriela Chodnicki,  
Jessie Charlotte Dyer, Joshua Thomas Dyer,  
Zofia Laura Krzywdzik, Margardia Leonor Corte Camara,  
Sabrina Rose Jemba, Serena Isabella Jemba,  
Emily Louise Reilly, Ethan Bella, Leanna Wanjiko Kingori,  
Alice Hope Murphy, Amelia Weiner, Zuzanna Maria Szeruga,  
Kuba Lukasz Jakubik and Mercedes Alexis Prendergast.*

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 6.00pm**

*Kenisha Maami Afua Mason, Shiloh Sebastian Oola  
and Tony Hoang Phuc Nguyen.*

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 9.00am**

*Irin Theresa Tojo and Wojciech Lewandowski.*

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 11.00am**

*Emily Nikolli, Marina Garcia Kikiras,  
Rachael Mia Valansha Dias, Elianna Grazia Da Costa Timineri,  
Nicolas Piotrowicz, Luke Peter Davis, Nico Pierdominici,  
Oliver Kowalik and Maxum William Blackford De Azevedo.*

*We pray that they will continue to grow in the love of the Lord.*

### From Fr Chris....

Many thanks for your really kind words following the announcement I had to make last week. Change is never easy but as much as I am very sad to be leaving St Lawrence's I am excited about the new challenge. At the same time I am delighted that you will be getting a really wonderful man as your new parish priest, Fr John Byrne. I will be moving into my new parish, St Mary Moorfields (two minutes from Liverpool Street Station) on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September and Fr John will be moving in that week. So I haven't gone yet!

### SACRAMENTS

#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please keep our children in your prayers who will receive their First Holy Communion at our weekend Masses on the **18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> June.**

First Holy Communion Rehearsals will take place **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**, please refer to the schedule you were given at the parents meeting to ensure you are at the correct rehearsal.

#### CONFIRMATION

The Sacrament of Confirmation for Groups 1 and 2 will take place on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2016** at 12 noon. The Reconciliation Service for both Confirmation groups will be on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** in Church at 7pm and the rehearsal will take place on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June** at 7pm.

There is a letter in the porch for you to pick up this weekend.

### PARISH NOTICES

#### SATURDAY MORNING CHANGES

There will be **no** 11am Eucharistic Adoration and Confession on **25<sup>th</sup> June**. Instead there will be a special First Holy Communion Mass at 12 noon, to which everyone is invited.

#### A MESSAGE FROM COLIN MACKEN

I would like to thank parishioners for their love and prayers, thus far, in my journey towards becoming a Permanent Deacon. This weekend, I am having the office of Lector conferred upon me by Bishop Paul McAleenan at St Helens Church in Leavesden. Once again, your prayers would be gratefully received.

#### UCM

The UCM will meet on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June** at 7.30pm at the Salvation Army Hall, Bedford Lane. A talk will be given by the Dogs Trust Association. Members are urged to attend. All ladies of the Parish are invited. A charge of £1.50 will be made.

The annual Retreat will take place in the Church and presbytery from 10am to 4pm on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June**.

#### ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

All parishioners are invited to attend our Annual parish Meeting on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July** at 7.00pm in St Lawrence's School (this is a change of date from 16<sup>th</sup> June). This will be an opportunity to hear about developments in the parish in the last year, to get a financial update and to outline plans for the future.

#### SUMMER FIESTA 2016

The Goan Community are holding a Summer Fiesta on **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July** from 7.00pm in the School Hall. All proceeds will go towards the Parish Centre Building Fund. There will be delicious Goan food, Live Band and dancing, spot prizes, raffle prizes. Get your tickets early to avoid disappointment. Adults: £12.00 Children (6-10 years) - £6.00. Dress code: Summer wear/dress to impress. Contact George: 07424 761058 or Johnny 07405 837687. Donations towards the raffle prizes would be appreciated. To all Goans - a food list will be available this weekend if you are able to help.

**\*\*\*\* A BIG ANNOUNCEMENT! \*\*\*\***

Everyone is invited to the Solemn Blessing and Grand Opening of our new Parish Centre on **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September** at 12noon, starting with a Mass of Thanksgiving in Church and then the ceremony and a reception. Put this date in your diary today.

**A LITTLE APPEAL FROM FR CHRIS**

Any men in the parish who might be able to assist at funerals, setting up and serving. This might suit those who are retired, or otherwise have time on their hands. Please speak to Fr Chris if you are interested.

**THANK YOU**

**BBQ** - A big thank you to all who supported the BBQ on Saturday, we raised £315 towards the Parish Centre Building Fund.

**CAFOD Ethiopian Appeal** – thank you for your generosity a sum of £409.00 was raised for the Ethiopian crisis.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

We have had a request from the Chaplain at West Middlesex Hospital for Eucharistic Ministers to assist with bringing Holy Communion to patients on a Sunday and if anyone would like more information please contact Florie in the Parish Office about this.

**OTHER**

**AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED**

Helen McIldowie-Jenkins, our ACN parish rep, will be taking part in a British 10k run for Aid to the Church in Need on 10<sup>th</sup> July and is seeking sponsorship. There are sheets at the back of Church if you would like to sponsor her.

**TALKING FAITH ON HEAVENS ROAD CATHOLIC RADIO – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June.**

Please see notice board for further details.

**A PASTORAL APPROACH TO SUICIDE PREVENTION AND COPING WITH GRIEF**

Console, the Suicide Prevention and Bereavement Charity, will present a seminar to be delivered by Sr Kathleen Maguire PBVM, MA CT and Rev Dr Tony Byrne, CSSp on pastoral approaches to preventing suicide and coping with grief on **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2016 from 6:30-9:30pm**. The seminar will take place at Vaughan House, 46 Francis Street, London, SW1P 1QN. For more information and bookings, please contact Console either by email at [info@consolecounseling.co.uk](mailto:info@consolecounseling.co.uk) or telephone 020 7821 8865.

**REST IN PEACE**

We pray for the souls of **Joe Lynch RIP and Fr Harry Hamill RIP**, who died recently. Please also keep in your prayers their loved ones and all who mourn them. :

Their funeral of **Joe Lynch RIP** will take place here on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June** at 11.30am.

**DAY FOR LIFE**

Day for Life is the day in the Church's calendar dedicated to celebrating the dignity of life. This year, it will explore how the wonder of human life and God's creation are intimately connected. We are invited to support the crucial work of Day for Life through prayer and generosity. There will be a retiring collection at the end of all Masses **this weekend 18/19 June**. Visit [www.dayforlife.org](http://www.dayforlife.org) for more information.

The following is a prayer, from *Laudatio Si*, to deepen our wonder at the gift of life:

All powerful God, you are present in the whole universe  
and in the smallest of your creatures.

You embrace with your tenderness all that exists.

Pour out upon us the power of your love,

That we may protect life and beauty.

Fill us with peace, that we may live

as brothers and sisters, harming no one.

**Mass intentions and other services this week:**

<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	<b>12.00</b> 17.00 <b>18.00</b>	<b>First Holy Communion</b> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i> <b>First Holy Communion</b>
<b>+ Sunday 19<sup>th</sup></b> Twelfth Sunday of the Year	<b>09.00</b> <b>11.00</b> <b>13.00</b> <b>18.00</b>	<b>First Holy Communion</b> <b>First Holy Communion</b> <b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b> <b>People of the Parish</b>
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup></b> St Alban	09.15 <b>09.30</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <b>John Rea RIP</b>
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup></b> St Aloysius Gonzaga	09.15 <b>09.30</b> 10.00	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <b>Raymond Mendoza RIP (Anniversary)</b> <i>Novena to Our Lady</i>
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup></b> STS JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE	09.15 <b>09.30</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <b>Celebrant's Intention</b>
<b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup></b> Feria	09.15 <b>09.30</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <b>Mary &amp; Brendan Buckley RIP</b>
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup></b> THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST	09.15 <b>09.30</b> <b>12.15</b>	<i>Morning Prayer</i> <b>Trevor Mackrodt RIP (First Anniversary)</b> <b>Union of Catholic Mothers (Intentions)</b>
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	<b>12.00</b> 17.00 <b>18.00</b>	<b>First Holy Communion</b> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i> <b>First Holy Communion</b>
<b>+ Sunday 26<sup>th</sup></b> Thirteenth Sunday of the Year	<b>09.00</b> <b>11.00</b> <b>13.00</b> <b>18.00</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b> <b>First Holy Communion</b> <b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b> <b>Erwin Gorczynski RIP</b>

**Sanctuary Lamp: Roderick Wilson and Family in Thanksgiving**

**Thank you for your generosity in last week's Offertory Collections:**

11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> June: Envelopes: £1,064.70 Loose: £1,204.24 Standing Orders: £539.00 **Total: £2,807.94**

**PARISH CENTRE UPDATE: MONEY BANKED AS AT 13/6/2016 - £74,214.83**

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**Pastoral Assistant:** Bridget Brinkley

**Parish Secretary:** Florie Fernandes

**Sunday Mass Times: Saturday 6 pm (Vigil Mass), Sunday 9 am, 11 am,  
1pm (Polish) & 6 pm;**

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

