

# This week at St Lawrence's



2nd/3rd March 2013



Second Sunday of Lent  
(Missal Page 160 – YEAR C)  
Eucharistic Prayer III (Page 27)

Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15; Psalm 102; 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12; Luke 13:1-9  
4th Sunday of Lent (Missal Page 168); Joshua 5:9-12; Psalm 33; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21  
Luke 15:1-3, 11-32



## Growing in Faith

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Lord God, we thank you for  
the gift of our Catholic faith.  
Bless us as we seek to live  
our faith each day and work for its future.  
Bless our work for 'Growing in Faith'  
for 'if the Lord does not build the house,  
in vain do its builders labour'. (Ps 126)  
Give us all a generous heart  
and a sacrificial love for your Church.  
We make this prayer  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thank you so much for your very generous response to our Growing in Faith campaign so far, helping us rise to the challenge of our growing parish and wider diocesan family. Our campaign has another two weeks to run, so if you have not already done so please consider how you could respond.

God Bless you all.

Fr Chris

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## LENT DAY OF PRAYER - SATURDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

(visiting priests for Confession morning and afternoon)

10.30am – 11.45am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation

12.00noon – Holy Mass

12.30pm – Stations of the Cross

1.00pm - 2.30pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation

## SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM

We extend a warm welcome to Megan Sara Bassaly and Ayomikun Michael Marques who will be baptised this weekend and offer our congratulations to their families.

### CONFIRMATION

The next preparation session is on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** at 7pm in St Lawrence's School Hall.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The next preparation session for Children will be on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March** in St Lawrence's School at 9.45am and the Parents Session with Fr Chris will be on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March** at 2.30pm or 7.30pm.

## PARISH NOTICES

### BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

The Bereavement Support Group will meet on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March** at 7.30pm in the Presbytery.

### ST LAWRENCE'S PRAYER GROUP

The Prayer Group meets every **Thursday from 7.30pm to 9pm** in the Presbytery. A time of prayer and thanksgiving. Reflecting on scriptures. Intercessory prayers for the parish and wider community. New members welcome, come and see.

### LENT REFLECTIVE HOUR OF PRAYER

A reflective hour of prayer will take place on **Wednesdays in Lent** at 10am in the Presbytery (after the 9.30am Mass). All are welcome.

### CHILDREN'S MASS

The next Children's Mass will be on **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March** at 9am.

### SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

Fr Chris will be available at the following times for St Lawrence's School for **Nursery Class**

**2013 Admissions:** Please come with your child and wait in the Church.

Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup>: 9.30am – 10.30am; Thursdays: 3.45pm – 4.45pm; March 7<sup>th</sup>; April 18<sup>th</sup>

### POLISH NEWS (POLSKA NEWS)

On **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March** at 7pm there will be Stations of the Cross - **Droga Krzyżowa** followed by a Retreat - **Rekolekcje Wielkopostne** in Church.

On **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March** at 1pm there will be the blessing of Easter Baskets - **Święcenie potraw**.

On **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April** there will be Mass at 1pm-- **Msza św**.

## REST IN PEACE

### LOURDINO DAVID FERNANDES RIP

We pray for the repose of the soul of Lourdino David (LD) Fernandes RIP whose Funeral Mass will take place here on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 11am.

Please also keep his children, his siblings and all the family in your prayers at this sad and difficult time.

**THE FELTHAM PASSION  
"Our Passion Play"**



**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm  
in St Lawrence's**

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March at 3.00pm  
in St Dunstan's**

**Don't miss it!**



**OTHER**

**NATIONAL MASS FOR ALTAR SERVERS**

This Mass for Altar Servers will take place at Westminster Cathedral on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2013** at 2.30pm. We plan to take a group from here and will aim to leave at 11.15am and arrive back at approximately 5pm.

**PILGRIMAGES**

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES**

**Dates: July 21<sup>st</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup>.** The pilgrimage will be led by Archbishop Vincent Nichols. The theme for this year "Lourdes: a Doorway to Faith". Prices vary according to mode of travel. Booking forms available from the Parish Office.

The Heston/Cranford group will also be joining the pilgrimage, travelling by Coach on **July 20<sup>th</sup> returning July 28<sup>th</sup>** with overnight stops in Tours, Rocamadour and Nevers, details can be obtained from Florie in the Parish Office.

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND**

Archbishop Vincent invites you to join the Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, **18-26 November 2013**. It will be led by Bishop Alan Hopes and Fr. John Farrell OP. During the pilgrimage you will visit Galilee, Jerusalem and Bethlehem and have opportunities to show your support for the local Christian communities. The cost is £1495 per person for 2 sharing a room. Places are limited so ask for a booking form as soon as possible. Booking forms can be obtained via the Parish Office or directly from Gerald Daly at [gerald Daly@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:gerald Daly@rcdow.org.uk) tel: 02077989173.

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

**March**

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>** – Altar Servers Mass at the Cathedral

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>** - Mothering Sunday

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup>** - The Feltham Passion at St Lawrence's, 7.30pm

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>** – Lent Day of Prayer 10.30am to 2.30pm

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>** - The Feltham Passion at St Dunstan's, 3pm

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup>** – The Feltham Passion at SS Michael and Martin, Hounslow, 7.30pm

**April**

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup>** – Line Dancing in St Lawrence's School Hall, 7.30pm

**THANK YOU**

**CAFOD LENT FAST DAY**

Thank you for your generous support, so far the collection has raised £1058.60 plus Gift Aid

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

<b>Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup></b> Lent Feria	11.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>12.00</b>	<b>Bridie and Desmond Holland RIP</b>
	12.30	Stations of the Cross
	13.15	Baptisms of Megan Sara Bassaly and Ayomikun Michael Marques
	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>In Thanksgiving - Moore-Saxton Family</b>
<b>+ Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup></b> 3rd Sunday of Lent	<b>09.00</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>
	<b>11.00</b>	<b>In Thanksgiving – Ndangang Family</b>
	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b>
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Kineeze Mehboob, Praveen Alice and Pana RIP</b>
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Michael Joseph Gilbert RIP</b>
<b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b>
	10.00	Novena to Our Lady
<b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Raymond Jeyapragasam RIP (A)</b>
<b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Paul Omoniyodo RIP</b>
	<b>11.00</b>	<b>FUNERAL MASS – LOURDINO DAVID (LD) FERNANDES RIP</b>
<b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	09.15	Morning Prayer
	<b>09.30</b>	<b>Terry Fernandes RIP</b>
	10.00	Stations of the Cross
<b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup></b> Lent Feria	11.00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>12.00</b>	<b>Margaret Donnelley RIP</b>
	12.30	Stations of the Cross
	13.15	Baptisms of Megan Ida Adeke Ngugi and Margarete Paige Menciaor
	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Jean Lock RIP (A)</b>
<b>+ Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b> 4th Sunday of Lent	<b>09.00</b>	<b>Victor Frost RIP</b>
	<b>11.00</b>	<b>May and Bernard Early RIP (1<sup>st</sup> A)</b>
	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b>
	<b>18.00</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>

**Sanctuary Lamp: Janet Danladi in Thanksgiving**

**Sunday Mass Times**

**Saturday 6 pm (Vigil Mass), Sunday 9 am, 11 am & 6 pm  
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) - Saturday 11am & 5pm**

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

Envelopes £914.66, Loose £569.89, Standing Orders £420 Total: £1904.55

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