

ST LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH FELTHAM

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

25th/26th May 2019

Readings: Parish Mass Book Year C, Volume 1: Page 273: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Psalm 66; Apocalypse 21:10-14, 22-23; John 14:23-29
Ascension of the Lord (Thursday 30th May): Page 277: Acts 1:1-11; Psalm 46; Ephesians 1:17-23; Luke 24:46-53
Next Week: Seventh Sunday of Easter: Page: 281: Acts 7:55-60; Psalm 96; Apocalypse 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; John 17:20-26



Pentecost Prayer: Nine Days to Prepare for the Holy Spirit

This year to prepare for Pentecost, various groups within the parish will lead an HOUR OF PRAYER each day, from Ascension to Pentecost. Traditionally, this is called a 'Novena' of prayer. Each group, choosing various forms of prayer, invites you to join them here in the church. The Novena will start on Friday 31st May, and conclude on Saturday 8th of June:

Friday 31st May, 6pm – 7pm: St Lawrence Yo! Group

Saturday 1st June, 7pm - 8pm: The Malayalam Community

Sunday 2nd June, 3pm – 6pm: The African Community

Monday 3rd June, 10am – 11am: The Mercy Sisters and Associates

“ ”, 6pm – 7pm: The Goan Community

Tuesday 4th June, 10.15am – 11.15am: Various parishioners (after the Marian devotion)

Wednesday 5th June, 10.30am – 11.30am: Yr 6, St Lawrence School

“ ”, 7pm – 8pm: The Polish Community

“ ”, 9pm – 9.30pm: *Bow Down : an Ecumenical Prayer Event on the Green.*

Thursday 6th June, 6.30pm – 7.30pm: The Confirmation Group

Friday 7th June, 10.30am – 8pm: The Filipino Community, included in all day Eucharistic Adoration.

Saturday 8th June, 2.30pm – 5pm: Members of the Congregation at St Lawrence

Sunday 9th June, 6.30pm – *An evening of worship and prayer at the Riverside Vineyard Church, (TW13 7LX) – All welcome.*

On Pentecost Sunday Masses, (June 9th) we will pray a prayer of dedication to the Holy Spirit, for the spiritual renewal of ourselves and our parish: **Come, Holy Spirit, Come!**

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Protecting your Privacy:

In compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) which became effective in May 2018, the Parish requires your permission to hold your data for Parish/Diocesan use. You can read our full privacy policy on www.rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy

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 & 5pm

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

SACRAMENTS

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - APOLOGY

Our congratulations and best wishes to Ikenna Nwaokeocha who celebrated her First Holy Communion last weekend. Our sincere apologies for missing her name from the list.

CONFIRMATION

The next preparation session for Group 2 will be on **Thursday 6th June** at 7pm in the Parish Centre.

BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

A warm welcome to Ariana Sabino and Oliver Hicks who were baptised this weekend and we offer our warmest congratulations to their families.

PARISH NOTICES

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION

The Feast of the Ascension will be celebrated on **Thursday 30th May**. This is a Holyday of Obligation. Masses will be at 9.30am, 12.15pm and 7.30pm.

YOUTH OUTREACH YO

The next meeting is on **Friday 31st May at 7pm** in the Parish Centre.

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA PILGRIMAGE

The Knights of St Columba invite you to join them for their annual Pilgrimage to The Friars in Aylesford on **Sunday 16th June**. A coach will leave from St Lawrence's at 9.00am returning around 5 or 6pm. The cost of a seat on the coach will be £17.00 per person. In order to secure a seat please put your name on the list in the porch. Put your money in an envelope marked **KSC Aylesford Pilgrimage** and hand it in to Florie in the Parish Office at the latest by **Friday 31st May**.

PILGRIMAGE/HIKE FOR YOUNG ADULTS 18+ TO PEAK DISTRICT AND PADLEY CHAPEL

Still 10 places left. **Departure: 5:30pm Friday 7th of June**
Return: Evening Sunday 9th of June

Cost: £50 for accommodation + plus transport (price to be confirmed). Food not included.

Jordan and Fr. Peter will accompany young adults to the Peak district to climb Kinder Scout (a smallish peak at the beginning of the Pennine Way) and celebrate Mass in Padley Chapel. (a clandestine chapel during the reformation). Contact Jordan or Fr. Peter for more information.

QUIZ NIGHT

The West London Goans are having a Quiz Night with a Fish & Chips Supper on **Saturday 6th July** from 7pm to 10.30pm. Tickets: Adults: £10 for fish/chips or chicken/chips; Children: £5 chicken nuggets/chips. Contact Tim Fernandes for further information.

CAFOD

Thank you to those who returned their CAFOD collection boxes which totalled £160.06.

Money raised from the First Friday Coffee Mornings over the last year totalled £806.38.

A tremendous amount – thank you to all our supporters.

OTHER

The **DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2019** will be held on **Saturday 15 June 2019** at the Church of Our Lady Mother of God, 2 Windsor Road, Ealing W5 5pd from 10:45 am to 6 pm. Guest Speaker Sr Brieghe McKenna, OSC who has a world-wide Healing Ministry and Intercessions for Priests. Entrance by ticket only at £12 pp donation. Please contact Millie on 07957594646 or the Divine Mercy Apostolate on 020 8998 0925.

ANNUAL MASS & PROCESSION IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES: Sunday 26th May 2019 starting at 5 p.m. in the grounds of the Sons of Divine Providence, 25 Lower Teddington Road, Hampton Wick. After the procession through the local street there will be Mass in the beautiful gardens followed by refreshments. (3min walk from Hampton Wick station and limited parking spaces available in local streets). See the poster displayed on the notice board

WHO CARES? RESPONDING TO THE CRY OF THE EARTH: Caritas Westminster invites you to an evening of how we can respond to the environmental crisis. There will be contributions from local and national organisations including CAFOD, CaFE, the Felix Project and more. The event will be on **Wed. 29th May**, from 6:30pm-8:30pm, with refreshments from 6pm, at Vaughan House, 46 Francis Street, London, SW1P 1QN. To get your free ticket,

email caritaswestminster@rcdow.org.uk, call 020 7931 6077, or search the event title on Eventbrite

PRIEST TRAINING FUND

Thank you for your generosity to the Priest Training Fund collection last weekend, which has raised £878.53 so far. The collection will remain open until the end of the month so it is not too late to make a donation if you wish. Envelopes are available in the back of the church, or by contacting the parish office. Please continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood. For more information, or to make a donation, visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

SPIRIT IN THE CITY FESTIVAL

31 May and 1 June in Leicester Square. Please see notice board for further information.

CARITAS

WHO CARES? RESPONDING TO THE CRY OF THE EARTH.

Wednesday 29th May 6.30pm-8.30pm Vaughan House, Francis Street, London SW1P 1QN

VOLUNTEER FAIR

Saturday 8 June from 1-3pm At St Aloysius Parish Hall, Phoenix Road, Euston NW1 1TA.

Posters for these events on the notice board. If interested register with caritaswestminster@rcdow.org.uk or call 0207 931 6077 for your free ticket.

CELEBRATE TWICKENHAM

15 & 16 June. Adults: £45.00, 18-21 - £23.00, Reception to School Year 13 - £12.00, 0-3 Years - Free. Please see leaflet on notice board or pick up a booking form from the porch

REST IN PEACE

We pray for the repose of the souls of Nellie Chitson RIP and Tina Conway RIP who have died recently.

NELLIE CHITSON RIP – Her funeral will take place at Hanworth Crematorium on **Monday 3rd June** at 12.20pm

Please also remember in your prayers their families and friends who mourn them.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 25	11.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	11.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	12.00	Lloyd Rodrigues RIP
	12.45	Baptisms of Ariana Sabino and Oliver Hicks
	15.00	Mass in Tagalog
	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	18.00	Milagres Camelo & Davina Pereira in Thanksgiving – Wedding Anniversary
Sun 26	19.00	Mass in Ukraine
	09.00	Ester Carsi-Cruz Kimpo RIP (Anniversary)
	11.00	Barbara May Light RIP
	13.00	Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)
	14.30	Mass led by the African Community
Mon 27	18.00	People of the Parish
	9.30	Sr Nora O'Gorman (Intention)
Tues 28	09.30	Celebrant's Intention
Wed 29	09.30	Frank O'Connor RIP (Anniversary)
Thurs 30	09.30	Jim McGonigle RIP
	12.15	Kieran McIntyre RIP
	19.30	Fr Noel O'Connor RIP
Fri 31	09.30	In Thanksgiving Ian & Brooke Webb
	14.00	Baptism of Baby Mongan
	18.00	Pentecost Prayer – St Lawrence Yo Group
Sat 1	11.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	11.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	12.00	Millie D'Souza (Intention)
	12.45	Polish Community – First Holy Communion
	17.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation
	18.00	People of the Parish
	19.00	Pentecost Prayer – Malayalam Community
Sun 2	09.00	Mary D'Costa RIP
	11.00	Nellie O'Keefe RIP
	13.00	Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)
	15.00	Pentecost Prayer – African Community
	18.00	Jeán Antonian RIP
		Sanctuary Lamp: Thomas Mendes RIP

Thank you for your generosity in the Easter and last week's collections:

18-19 May: Envelopes £681.00 Loose £1251.04

Standing Orders £769.00 **Total £2,701.04**