

# This week at St Lawrence's



16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> July 2011

16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year (A)

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Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Psalm 85; Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43 (or 13:24-30)  
17<sup>th</sup> Sunday: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12; Psalm 118; Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 13:44-52 (13:44-46)

Dear Friends,

It's been a funny old summer so far. After the early heat wave we're pretty much back to what we expect for good old British Summer time.

But the summer can give us all a chance to re-charge, refresh and renew. Wherever you are and whatever you are doing, be blest, and discover the face of God smiling on you.

September will soon come with its new beginnings, fresh challenges and exciting possibilities. It certainly promises to be a busy time for us here in the parish.

So for now, relax if you can, rest if you need to, and enjoy a little bit of a change of pace. I certainly will.

Every blessing

Fr Chris

## Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 6 pm (Vigil Mass ), Sunday 9 am, 11 am & 6 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 11am & 5pm

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## THE SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM

We extend a very warm welcome to Annabel Karikari, Leeya Fernandes and Rose Kay Quincey as they are baptised this weekend and offer our congratulations to their families.

### FIRST COMMUNION

Please pick up a registration form for next year's First Communion candidates from the Church porch or see Bridget Brinkley. A child must be registered before the end of term to be included in the First Communion programme which will begin in September. Completed forms to be handed into the Parish Office.

### ARE YOU INTERESTED IN EXPLORING THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

If you, or someone you know, would like to find out more about the Catholic faith with a view to becoming a full member of the Church, or you would like to prepare to receive the Sacraments you missed as a child, please have a word with Bridget Brinkley or Fr Chris. A new course will be starting in the autumn.

### WEDDING BELLS

We offer our congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life together to Sandra and David Macedo who celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage at St Lawrence's on Saturday 16 July.

## PARISH NOTICES

### UCM

The UCM Annual Garden Party will be held for members and guests on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in the Presbytery Garden. If wet – in the Parish Centre. Please bring a plate of party fare.

### WORSHIP BAND

Would you like to be part of a Sunday Evening Worship Band? We need talented and committed young musicians and singers and adult group leaders to rehearse and then lead our Sunday 6pm Mass once a month. Chat to Fr Chris if you would like to be a part of this.

### PARISH CENSUS

Thank you to all who have completed and returned a Census Form. If you have yet to complete a form they are available at the back of Church, please complete and post in the box marked 'Parish Census'.

### ST LAWRENCE YOUTH CLUB (SYLC)

The SYLC are in need of board games, sports equipment, toys, etc. Donations would be gratefully received of any games or equipment (still in good condition) that you no longer use or need.

## PARISH PILGRIMAGES

### DOWRY OF MARY PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

The Annual pilgrimage to Walsingham takes place on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September. A coach will leave from here at 8am to arrive in time for the welcome of flags and banners from different countries so come in your national dress. Mass at 12noon will be followed by a picnic and procession, which will end with Benediction. We will return home about 8.30pm. The cost of the day will be £13. To secure your seat please post your money in an envelope, clearly marked with your name and "WALSINGHAM", to the Parish Office as soon as possible. There are now only a few seats left.

### PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Dates: 14<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2012. Cost £1,149.

Enjoy a ten day trip of a lifetime next year with Fr Chris and your parish family. Please see the posters in the porch for details, sign the list there, collect a booking form and return with your deposit to the parish office. There will be a Pilgrimage meeting in the Parish Centre at 10am on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August to find out more. Deadline for deposits: Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August.

## THANK YOU

### ZIMBABWEAN COFFEE MORNING

"We would like to say a huge thank you to all those who generously supported our cake sale last Sunday. Special thanks goes to Fr Chris and all those who donated the wonderful cakes that resulted in us raising £200. A further £50 was donated by the Truter family. God Bless you all." The Hurley Family.

## OTHER

### MASS FOR THE NIGERIAN COMMUNITY

Fr Richard Offong, for the Nigerian Chaplaincy for London, will be celebrating a Special Mass here for the Nigerian community on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August at 2pm. If anyone would like to help with organising this celebration please drop your name and contact details in at the Presbytery, for the attention of Sister Dominica.

**ST MARY'S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TWICKENHAM** is recruiting students to begin its successful **Foundation Degree in Healthcare Chaplaincy**. This part-time two year course provides Priests, Religious and lay people with a recognised NHS qualification to be appointed as a Roman Catholic Hospital Chaplain.

Supported by the Diocese of Westminster and the Catholic Bishops Conference of England & Wales, the Foundation Degree combines pastoral experience with Theological learning to equip chaplains and volunteers to work on behalf of the Church serving patients and staff within the NHS. For more details or to enrol for October, please email Sam Chant at [chants@smuc.ac.uk](mailto:chants@smuc.ac.uk) or call 0208 240 4198 or email Fr Peter Scott at [peterscott@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:peterscott@rcdow.org.uk).

## Mass intentions and other services this week:

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| <b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup></b><br>Feria<br><br>+First Mass of Sunday                | 11.00                       | Sacrament of Reconciliation   |
|  | 11.00                       | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament   |
|  | 11.45                       | Benediction   |
|  | <b>12.00</b>                | <b>Ebere Olewunne (Thanksgiving)</b>  |
|  | 17.00                       | Sacrament of Reconciliation   |
| <b>18.00</b>   | <b>Manuel Gonçalves RIP</b> |   |
| <b>+ Sunday 17<sup>th</sup></b><br>16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year               | <b>09.00</b>                | <b>Sr Mary O'Malley INT</b>   |
|  | <b>11.00</b>                | <b>Deceased members of the McCarthy and McManamon Families</b>                        |
|  | 16.00                       | Baptisms of Annabel Karikari, Leeya Fernandes and Rose Kay Quincey                    |
| <b>18.00</b>   | <b>People of the Parish</b> |   |
| <b>Monday 18<sup>th</sup></b><br>Feria   | 09.15                       | Morning Prayer  |
|  | <b>09.30</b>                | <b>Thomas Moore INT</b>   |
| <b>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup></b><br>Feria  | 09.15                       | Morning Prayer  |
|  | <b>09.30</b>                | <b>Eileen Galligan INT</b>  |
|  | 10.00                       | Novena to Our Lady  |
| <b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup></b><br>Feria  | 09.15                       | Morning Prayer  |
|  | <b>09.30</b>                | <b>Isabel Figueirido RIP</b>  |
| <b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup></b><br>Feria   | 09.15                       | Morning Prayer  |
|  | <b>09.30</b>                | <b>Kurt Kosin INT</b>   |
|  | <b>18.00</b>                | <b>Requiem Mass for Lucita Garyat RIP</b>   |
| <b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup></b><br>St Mary Magdalene                                   | 09.15                       | Morning Prayer  |
|  | <b>09.30</b>                | <b>Mary Galligan INT</b>  |
| <b>Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup></b><br>St Bridget of Sweden<br><br>+First Mass of Sunday | 11.00                       | Sacrament of Reconciliation   |
|  | 11.00                       | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament   |
|  | 11.45                       | Benediction   |
|  | <b>12.00</b>                | <b>Seamus Burke RIP (A)</b>   |
|  | 17.00                       | Sacrament of Reconciliation   |
| <b>18.00</b>   | <b>Sharifa Arab RIP (A)</b> |   |
| <b>+ Sunday 24<sup>th</sup></b><br>17 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year               | <b>09.00</b>                | <b>Michael Riley RIP</b>  |
|  | <b>11.00</b>                | <b>Vilma Martin (In Thanksgiving)</b>   |
|  | 12.45                       | Baptisms of Harry Simper, Malakai Payet, Eleonor Rose Lainton and Harry Brian Lainton |
|  | <b>18.00</b>                | <b>People of the Parish</b>   |

**Sanctuary Lamp:** Janet Danladi INT

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