

# This week at St Lawrence's



9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> July 2011

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

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*Isaiah 55:10-11; Psalm 64; Roman 8:18-23; Matthew 13:1-23 (or 13:1-9)*

*16<sup>th</sup> Sunday: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Psalm 85; Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43 (or 13:24-30)*

Dear Friends,

We heard last weekend from some of our young people who are going as pilgrims to the World Youth Day with Pope Benedict in Madrid next month. I am delighted that ten of us from the parish will have this experience of a lifetime. Our young people and our children are our future, and anything we can do to inspire, encourage, accompany and support them is worthwhile.

Archbishop Vincent has spoken recently of the challenge for all parishes to pray for and to nurture vocations in our young people – vocations to service, to married life and parenthood, to the single life, to the religious life, to the priesthood. Every vocation starts somewhere, and here is as good a place as any! Pray that our parish will be good and fertile soil for vocations to be planted, to be nurtured and to grow. Oh, and don't forget to encourage every one of our young people you meet.

With my prayers for you all.

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 Michal Makafui Kwaku, Joram Benon Mubiru and Esther Nykazi Talugende 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.

### CONFIRMATION

The Thanksgiving Mass takes place this Sunday at 6pm followed by a Barbecue, the proceeds of which will go to the Cardinal Hume Centre. Tickets: £5 each or £10 per family.

### 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.

## PARISH NOTICES

### 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'.

### CALLING ALL POLAND PILGRIMS

Following the 12 noon Mass on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July there will be a Poland Pilgrimage Meeting in the Parish Centre. This is for all those who have booked to come with our Parish Pilgrimage in September.

### 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. Please sign up in the porch. To secure your seat please post your money in an envelope, clearly marked with your name and "WALSINGHAM", to the Parish Office.

### PARISH ANNUAL MEETING

On Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. It will be a great opportunity to look back at the last twelve months, to take stock, and to plan ahead for our Big Birthday year, 2012

### CATECHISTS' BREAKFAST

All catechists, and anyone who would like to find out more about the ministry of catechesis, are invited to a breakfast meeting in the Parish Centre on Saturday 16 July at 10.30am.

### JULY CHILDREN'S MASS

The next Children's Mass will be on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 11am. Children aged 7 or over who would like to read at the Mass are invited to come along to a practice on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July after the 11am Mass.

### SCHOOL LEAVER'S MASS

St Lawrence's School join us on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> July for their "Leaver's Mass". Please pray for the children of Year 6 as they leave St Lawrence's School to begin their secondary school education in the autumn.

### FRIENDS OF ST LAWRENCE'S SCHOOL

Thank you to everyone who supported our school fete on 26<sup>th</sup> June. Despite being the hottest day we had our most successful fete ever. A special thanks to Fr Chris for being the 'coolest' man on the day, in the stock with the wet sponges!

### SOCIAL CALENDAR

#### COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF ZIMBABWEAN ORPHANS

The Zimbabwean group will be holding a Coffee Morning after the morning Masses this Sunday in the Parish Centre. Do drop in for a cuppa!

### 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.

### REST IN PEACE

#### DOROTHY MARLEY RIP

In your kindness please pray for the repose of the soul of Dorothy Marley RIP whose Funeral Service will be celebrated here on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 11am.

### Mass intentions and other services this week:

<b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	11.00 11.00 11.45 <b>12.00</b> 17.00 <b>18.00</b>	Sacrament of Reconciliation Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction <b>Edward Galligan RIP</b> Sacrament of Reconciliation <b>Patti Owen INT</b>
<b>+ Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b> 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year	<b>09.00</b> <b>11.00</b> 12.45 <b>18.00</b>	<b>Sr Mary O'Malley INT</b> <b>Pedro Tacla RIP</b> Baptisms of Michal Kwaku, Joram Mubiru and Esther Nykazi Talugende <b>Confirmation Thanksgiving Mass</b>
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	09.15 <b>09.30</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Sr Mary O'Malley INT</b>
<b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	09.15 <b>09.30</b> 10.00	Morning Prayer <b>Gualberto Dieran and Cesar Rendon RIP</b> Novena to Our Lady
<b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	09.15 <b>09.30</b> <b>11.00</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Sr Mary O'Malley INT</b> <b>Funeral Mass – Dorothy Marley RIP</b>
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	<b>09.30</b>	No Morning Prayer <b>School Leaver's Mass</b> (with school)
<b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	09.15 <b>09.30</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Pierino Pili RIP (1<sup>st</sup> A)</b>
<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup></b> Feria	11.00 11.00 11.45 <b>12.00</b> 17.00 <b>18.00</b>	Sacrament of Reconciliation Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction <b>Ebere Olewunne (Thanksgiving)</b> Sacrament of Reconciliation <b>Manuel Gonçalves RIP</b>
<b>+ Sunday 17<sup>th</sup></b> 16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year	<b>09.00</b> <b>11.00</b> 12.45 <b>18.00</b>	<b>Sr Mary O'Malley INT</b> <b>Deceased members of the McCarthy and McManamon Families</b> Baptisms of Annabel Karikari, Leeya Fernandes and Rose Kay Quincey <b>People of the Parish</b>

**Sanctuary Lamp:** Janet Danladi INT

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