

This week at St Lawrence's



10th/11th September 2011 24th Sunday of the Year (A)

*Ecclesiasticus 27:30, 28:7; Psalm 102; Romans 14:7-9; Matthew 18:21-35
25th Sunday: Isaiah 55:6-9; Psalm 144; Philippians 1:20-24,27; Matthew 20:1-16*

Today is Racial Justice Sunday

We pray:

Loving God, you make us in your image.

*Forgive us when we fail to see your image in each other,
when we give in to prejudice, stereotyping and indifference,
when we do not question and challenge ourselves or others.*

As we are made in your image,

let us live in your image

and be Christ-like

in all we think and say and do

in the Name of Christ, our loving Lord.

Amen.

Sunday Mass Times

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

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THE SACRAMENTS

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.

CONFIRMATION

Registration for Confirmation in 2012 (for those in Year 9 or above) will take place on Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th September between 5pm and 7pm and on Saturday 17th September between 4pm and 6pm. Please wait in Church to complete an application form with Bridget Brinkley.

FIRST COMMUNION 2012

A meeting for all parents who have enrolled their child on the First Communion programme will take place on Tuesday 13th September at 2.30pm **or** at 7.30pm in the parish centre. You are requested to attend one of the meetings. A list of dates for further meetings for parents and children will be distributed at the meeting.

The children's first session will take place on the 14th and the 15th September from 3.30pm – 5pm.

YOUNG PEOPLE

ST LAWRENCE YOUTH CLUB (SYLC)

St Lawrence's Youth Club meets every Friday in the Parish Centre from 6.30pm-8.30pm. If you are aged 14 to 30, do come along on Friday 16th September.

SEPTEMBER CHILDREN'S MASS

The next Children's Mass will be on Sunday 18th September at 9am. Children aged 7 or over who would like to read at the Mass are invited to come along to a practice on Sunday 11th September after the 9am Mass.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy group is open to children who are in reception class and above. It takes place during three of the Sunday Masses in the parish Centre – Saturday 6pm, Sunday 9am and 11am. The Liturgy group starts again on Sunday 11th September. Children's Liturgy catechists are asked to collect their rotas from the Presbytery.

PARISH GROUPS

ALTAR SERVERS

Those who serve at the 11 am Mass please collect your new Rota from the sacristy.

ST LAWRENCE'S PRAYER GROUP

The Weekly Prayer Group meets every Thursday, 7.30-9.00pm in the Presbytery.

PARISH COUNCIL

The PPC meet again on Thursday, 15th September at 7.30pm. If you have any issues you would like to bring to the attention of the PPC, please write a note to the chair, Graham Baker, and post into the presbytery.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

There will be a meeting on Tuesday 20th September at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre to plan for the year ahead including fund raising, etc. All parishioners welcome.

PARISH NOTICES

SAFEGUARDING PROCEDURES

All parish volunteers are reminded that a meeting will take place on Saturday 17th September at 10.15am in the school hall. Thank you to those who have returned the reply slip. If you have not yet returned one please do so ASAP.

If you are interested in volunteering in the parish and would like to find out more about our safeguarding procedures please come along to the meeting.

HOME MISSION SUNDAY

There will be a collection at the end of all Masses next weekend in support of the work of evangelisation nationally.

BARN DANCE

The Barn Dance will be held on Saturday 15th October in St Lawrence's School Hall from 7.30pm. Details to follow.

OTHER

MASS FOR THE NIGERIAN COMMUNITY

Fr Richard Offgong, for the Nigerian Chaplaincy for London, will be celebrating a Special Mass here for the Nigerian Community on Sunday, 25th September 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.

SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSFER

PRIESTS REFERENCE FORMS

Fr Chris will be available to sign Secondary School transfer forms on the following dates only:

September: Monday 19th, Thursday 22nd, Friday 23rd) 3.45pm - 4.45pm

October: Thursday 13th, Friday 14th)

October: Saturday 15th: 9.30am -10.30am

Please come with your child and wait in the Church.

HOME VISIT

DO YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO IS ILL OR HOUSEBOUND?

If you know of someone who is ill in hospital or at home, or elderly or housebound, please ask them if they would like someone from the parish to visit them for a chat or with Communion, so that we can offer them and their family the support of our prayers and be a tangible sign of Christ's love for them in their need.

Mass intentions and other services this week:

Saturday 10th Feria	11.00 12.00	No Exposition today Sacrament of Reconciliation Frank Stackpoole RIP (A) (Anointing Mass)
+First Mass of Sunday	17.00 18.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation Lucita Garyat RIP
+ Sunday 11th 24 th Sunday of the Year	09.00 11.00 18.00	Bill Dethridge RIP (A) Christine and Michael Bigley RIP (A) People of the Parish
Monday 12th Feria	09.15 09.30	Morning Prayer Gbemi Badejo INT
Tuesday 13th St John Chrysostom	09.15 09.30 10.00	Morning Prayer Acedick and Benedick Masulit (in Thanksgiving) Novena to Our Lady
Wednesday 14th Exaltation of the Holy Cross	09.15 09.30	Morning Prayer For Racial Justice
Thursday 15th Our Lady of Sorrows	09.15 09.30	Morning Prayer Anita Calmiano RIP (A)
Friday 16th SS Cornelius and Cyprian	09.15 09.30	Morning Prayer Clarke and Francis Family INT
Saturday 17th Feria	11.00 11.00 11.45 12.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction Noel Walsh RIP
+First Mass of Sunday	17.00 18.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation Linda Dolland INT
+ Sunday 18th 25 th Sunday of the Year	09.00 11.00 12.45 18.00	Sylwestre Dugblor RIP Dorothy Dias RIP Baptisms of Jake Michael Porter, Chantelle Alicja Plopa-Nwafor and Madison-Rayne Eugenie Tydings People of the Parish

Sanctuary Lamp: Galligan Family Intention

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

Envelopes £1078.83, Loose £577.41, Standing Orders £265 Total: £1921.24

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