



# St Lawrence Catholic Church

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## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> April 2017

**Readings: Parish Mass Book Year A, Volume 1:** (Missal Page: 176): Isaiah 50:4-7; Psalm 21; Philippians 2:6-11; Matthew 26:14-27, 66

**Maundy Thursday:** Page 192; **Good Friday:** Page: 197; **Easter Vigil in the Holy Night:** Page 216

**Next Week: – Easter Sunday:** Page 251: Acts 10:34, 37-43; Psalm 117; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9



## HOLY WEEK

### A Prayer for Holy Week

*Father in heaven,  
the love of your Son led Him to accept the suffering of the cross  
that His brothers and sisters might glory in new life.  
Change our selfishness into self-giving.  
Help us to embrace the world you have given us,  
that we may transform the darkness of its pain  
into the life and joy of Easter.  
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

#### CONFESSIONS IN HOLY WEEK

Confessions will be available on Tuesday from 7.00-8.00pm, on Good Friday from 11.00 – 1.00pm and on Holy Saturday from 11.00-12.00noon.

#### CHRISM MASS – TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK

The Chrism Mass at Westminster Cathedral takes place at 12noon on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> April. This is one of the most solemn and significant liturgies of the Church, and includes the blessing of oils to be used in sacramental celebrations in the forthcoming year. Parishioners are warmly encouraged to take part in this beautiful liturgy.

#### MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER – MAUNDY THURSDAY

The Mass of the Lord's Supper takes place on Maundy Thursday at 8 pm. The Mass will be followed by watching at the altar of repose until midnight.

Please sign your name on the list in the porch if you are willing to have your feet washed during the service. We are looking for men and women.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS LED BY THE CHILDREN– GOOD FRIDAY MORNING

Children are encouraged to take part in the special Stations of the Cross at 10 am on Good Friday morning and then to participate in the Walk of Witness with their parents.

#### WALK OF WITNESS – GOOD FRIDAY MORNING

Our Walk of Witness along the High Street with members of other local Christian churches starts at 11 am on Good Friday morning

(meet on the Green at 10.50am). Please join in this powerful event.

#### GOOD FRIDAY CHILDREN'S LITURGY/WORKSHOP

This workshop is aimed at children from 3 – 10 years old. All children under 5 must be accompanied by an adult who will need to stay with them throughout the event. The event starts at **2:30pm** on Good Friday in the Parish Centre and finishes with the children being returned to church at the end of the service. All children must be signed in when attending this workshop. A donation of £2 would be appreciated.

#### GOOD FRIDAY

The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord takes place at 3.00pm and Stations of the Cross at 7.30pm.

#### EASTER VIGIL – HOLY SATURDAY

The Easter Vigil starts in the School playground at 8 pm.

#### EASTER SUNDAY

Mass at 9am, 11am and 6pm.

#### WIELKI TYDZIEŃ

April 12 <sup>th</sup>	19.30pm - Droga Krzyżowa.
Wielki Piątek, April 14 <sup>th</sup> –	5.30pm - Liturgia Męki Pańskiej 8.30-9.30pm – Adoracja Jezusa w grobie i adoracja krzyża
Wielka Sobota, April 15 <sup>th</sup>	12.30–2.00pm - Święcenie Pokarmów
Niedziela Wielkanocna i Poniedziałek Wielkanocny –	1.00pm – Msza św.

## PARISH NOTICES

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

**MAUNDY THURSDAY** – The Lenten Alms collection for The Cardinal's Appeal will be taken up during the offertory.

**GOOD FRIDAY - HOLY PLACES**, this annual collection will be taken up during the veneration of the cross.

### PARKING IN HOLY WEEK

Please remember that parking restrictions apply in the local roads during Holy Week. Every year, a number of parishioners receive Penalty Notices whilst in Church because they have parked inappropriately.

The Church car park is for disabled parishioners and access for drop off and collections. Please do not park where you shouldn't. The school car park will be open but once it is full, the barrier will come down.

### EASTER FLOWERS

There will be a second collection at all Masses this weekend for Easter Flowers.

### PLANNED GIVING

A few boxes still await collection. Please collect your boxes as soon as possible.

### NURSERY SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

Fr John will be available to see families to sign Nursery School Applications on the following dates. To make an appointment to see him please put your name on one of the lists on the notice board. Please use the sign up sheets on the notice board. Please attend with your child, along with all the forms needed, their Baptism Certificate and the Certificate of Catholic Practice.

**Saturday, 22nd April**      **9.30-10.30am**  
**Tuesday, 25th April**      **3.45-5.00pm**  
**Tuesday, 2nd May**          **3.45-5.00pm**

## OTHER

### RIVERSIDE AFTER CARE & EARLY RISERS CLUBS

The Early Risers Breakfast Club will be opening at St Lawrence's Parish Centre on **Tuesday 18th April** from 7.30am to 9am. Breakfast will be provided and children will be walked to St Lawrence and Cardinal Road Infant Schools by Early Risers Staff. To register your child or for further details please contact Kate, Play Leader on 07539 498952 between 3pm-5.30pm or 7.30am-8.30am, Monday to Friday.

### 7TH FELTHAM SEA SCOUTS – CAKE SALE

The 7th Feltham Sea Scouts hut is being removed and being refurbished but we need a fund of £500,000 to rebuild our hut. With everyone's help, we can raise this fund. 7th Feltham are releasing a website (we don't know the name of the website yet) and when it comes out you can donate money on that website. In St Lawrence's Parish Hall, on **Sunday 30th April**, we will be making cookies and cakes, come along and buy some! This will be after 9.00am Mass until 1pm. These donations will go towards the building costs. By *Lewis Haigh 5E & Henry Johnson 5G*

### INTERESTED IN PURSUING A CAREER IN TEACHING?

If so, St Paul's Catholic College in Sunbury will be hosting an Information Morning for the Teach South East Initial Teacher Training (ITT) Programme on Friday 21st April at 9.00 am – 11.00 am. The morning will consist of short talks about the teacher training programme from Teach South East and St Paul's Catholic College, as well as a tour of the school and a chance to meet some members of staff. To reserve a place: please email [teach@st-pauls.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:teach@st-pauls.surrey.sch.uk) by Monday 17th April.

### TALKING FAITH ON HEAVENS ROAD CATHOLIC RADIO

On the next broadcast Lavoisier Fernandes talks with Fr. Chris Vipiers - Director for Evangelisation at the Diocese of Westminster. The broadcast goes on air on **Heaven's road Radio FM** on **Friday, 14th April at 0600/1200/1800/0000 GMT**. Tune in using smart phones, iPhone, iPad or tablets via the free app TuneIn Radio (search for heavens road FM catholic radio) or via the web [www.heavensroadfm.com](http://www.heavensroadfm.com)

## LIFE PREGNANCY MATTERS COFFEE MORNING

There will be a Coffee morning cum bric-a-brac sale on **Sunday 23rd April** after the 9am and 11am Masses in aid of Life Pregnancy Matters. For further details contact Annie Burke.

### COME AND SEE - BECOMING A PERMANENT DEACON.

Men wanting to know more about the permanent diaconate are invited to come to a two hour meeting at Ealing Abbey Parish Centre, Charlbury Grove, W5 2DY on Saturday **29th April** from 10am to noon. No booking needed. Wives welcome. Contact details Deacon Adrian Cullen 07961 594725 or Deacon Anthony Clark 07545 373548.

## REST IN PEACE

We pray for the repose of the soul of **Margaret (Peggy) Cook RIP** who died recently. Please also keep in your prayers her family, friends and all who mourn her. Her funeral will take place here on **Monday 24th April** at 9.45am. The reception of her body into Church will be at 5.00pm on Sunday 23rd April. Please note that this is the only Mass in Church that day.

### Thank you for your generosity in last week's collection:

1st/2nd April: Envelopes £898.68; Loose: £1,072.52  
 Standing Orders: £665.00 **Total: £2,636.20**

Easter Flowers - £200.00

Parish Centre Building Fund - £25.60

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 8th	11.00 11.45 12.00 13.15 17.00 18.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation Benediction In Thanksgiving to parishioners from <b>George &amp; Brigida Fernandes</b> Baptism of <i>Tristan Lars Przeniczowski</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation Deceased members of the <b>Kenny &amp; Hypher Families RIP</b>
Sun 9th	09.00 10.45 11.00 13.00 18.00	<b>Gabriel D'Souza (Birthday Intention)</b> Gather on the Green for Procession <b>People of the Parish</b> <b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b> <b>John Murphy RIP (Anniversary)</b>
Mon 10th	09.30	<b>Ann Andrews RIP</b>
Tues 11th	09.30 19.00-20.00	<b>Ermelinda and Edgar Cota Cruz RIP</b> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation
Wed 12th	09.30 19.30	<b>German D'Souza RIP (Anniversary)</b> Stations of the Cross in Polish ( <i>Droga Krzyzowa</i> )
<b>THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM</b>		
Thurs 13th	09.00-10.00 20.00	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Prayer <b>Mass of the Lord's Supper</b> Followed by Watch of Prayer until Midnight
Fri 14th	10.00 11.00 11.00 15.00 17.30 19.30 20.30	Stations of the Cross led by the Children Sacrament of Reconciliation Walk of Witness (gather on Feltham Green) <b>The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord</b> <b>Polish – Liturgia Meki Panskiej</b> Stations of the Cross Polish – Adoracja Jezusa w grobie I adoracja kryza
Sat 15th	11.00 20.00	Sacrament of Reconciliation <b>The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night</b>
Sun 16th	09.00 11.00 13.00 18.00	<b>Celebrant's Intention</b> <b>Celebrant's Intention</b> <b>Mass in Polish (Msza sw.)</b> <b>Celebrant's Intention</b>
Sanctuary Lamp: Paula and Family (Intentions)		

**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 and 5pm**