

St Lawrence's Church Sidcup

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All Masses are live streamed through our parish Webcam

The church will be closed once the 09.30 morning mass has finished, in order for the stone washing and repairs to take place.

The Voice- Parish Magazine.

Due to the pandemic restrictions, NO Printed copies of the Summer issue will be available. The Magazine has been published on line, via the parish website.

Payment can be made via the newspaper collection box in the church, or through the parish office- donation £2.00.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will available on Saturday Morning from 11am- 12pm. We will use the Community Hall as it has the approved social spacing. Please follow the necessary Risk assessment procedures, there will be a designated waiting area in the hall.

We remember in our prayers those who have recently died Katie O'Connor, Theresa Stone, Margaret Evans, Carmel Clarke and Eileen Milligan..

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time-Year A.

Vigil Mass Saturday Evening 6.30pm.

Sunday: 8.30am 10.00am & 11.30am

Sunday 9th August

6.30pm Tom Conlin. RIP.

8.30am Tony Driscoll.RIP.

10.00am Andrew & Sylvia De Lord. RIP.

11.30am People of the Parish.

Monday 10th August.

9.30am Royland Judge. RIP.

Tuesday 11th August.

9.30am Joan Back.RIP.

Wednesday 12th August

9.30am Joseph Alexander.RIP.

Thursday 13th August.

9.30am Billy McCully. RIP.

Friday 14th August.

9.30am John Griffiths. RIP.

Saturday 16th August.

09.30 am Michael John Wyborn.RIP.

Sunday Readings:

Kings 19: 9.11-13.

Psalm: Let us see o lord your mercy and give us your saving help.

Second Reading: Romans 9:1-5.

Gospel: Matthew :14:22-33.

Acclamation: . Alleluia, Alleluia,
Blessings on the King who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens. Alleluia.

Weekly Collection for 2nd August 2020.

Cash : £311-61.

Gift Aid :£661.56

Total : £978.17

Face Coverings- From the Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales.

Face coverings will be mandatory in Places of Worship from Saturday 8th August 2020. All Those who are attending church must wear a face covering unless they are exempt from doing so. This is for the good of all who gather in the Church for Mass, as it is an enclosed public space where there are people from differing households who do not normally meet.

Priests in the sanctuary providing they are sufficiently distant (2m or more) from the congregation do not need to wear a face covering except when distributing Holy Communion, Other ministers in the sanctuary should wear face coverings and remain socially distant from the celebrant.

We are trying to ensure that as many people can be seated safely in the church, additional seats have been set up in the hall, following the advised social distancing guidelines.

Our government has now asked that parishes endeavour to create an accurate temporary record of those who attend Mass in order to assist with the NHS Track and Trace. Please take the card and complete, and return to the parish office where it will be retained securely for 21 days. You can download and complete the card and bring it with you when you next come to mass. One card per individual or household group.

The gospel highlights the importance of faith and prayer in the following of Christ. When Peter accepted the Lord's invitation to come to him across the waters he was taking a risk- it was a leap in the dark, a journey into the unknown. He became frightened and started to sink. Though he began to doubt, he cried out to Jesus and lord saved him. We are invited by Christ to believe and follow him, with conviction and courage through the storms and trials of life.

