



St. Erconwald's Parish Newsletter

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TRINITY SUNDAY, YEAR A

31ST MAY, 2026

THEME: An Inexhaustibly Great God



With joy and gratitude we celebrate today the solemnity of the Blessed Trinity. When we think of the mystery we honour today, the question is not so much: who is God, but, as Scripture puts it: who is God for us? And the Bible, both the Old and New Testaments, answers, in a variety of ways: God is a mystery of love. God loves us. With Psalm 8 we say: what are human beings that you care for them? Thank you, Lord, thank you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. All praise to you through Jesus.

MEDITATE: In celebrating the Trinity at our Liturgy today, we celebrate the greatest mystery of our faith.

ACT: As Catholics, we often make the Sign of the Cross with very little thought. Take some time to think about what it means to bless ourselves and others with that simple, yet powerful Trinitarian gesture.

PENTECOST - INTERNATIONAL DAY

A huge **THANK YOU** to all those who came to prepare the Church, Hall and Car Park for our Pentecost/International Day celebration. Both Church and Hall really looked beautiful. This day entails a huge amount of work and time. Thank you to all who helped with preparations, cooking, serving and clearing away and all who helped in any way. There is always room for extra helpers and food representing other cultures. An enormous **Thank You** to Perry and "Velvet Touch" for the entertainment. **Thank you to all those who made donations towards the Church Restoration Fund.**



RAFFLE RESULTS

1st Prize: Hamper – 1842, Liz Larkin; 2nd Prize: Holy Land Icon - Zuhilli; 3rd Prize: £60 Cash – 1332, Cariston D'Silva. Winners have been notified. Remaining prizes on the Raffle Table - by the car-park exit.

Congratulations to all the winners.

LIVE STREAMING 24/7 - FOR YOUR AWARENESS

The sanctuary area is continuously monitored via a 24/7 livestream, serving as a focal point for prayer and contemplation for congregants who are at home. Please be aware that if you are present in this area, your image and actions will be captured on the livestream.

TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS IF VISITING ST. ERCONWALD'S

There is a School Street in operation in our area from 8am - 9am and 2.30pm - 4pm. If you enter the following streets Carlton Ave. East, Elmstead Ave. and Princess Ave. during these times, you will receive a fine from the Council.

DONATIONS AND COLLECTION OF MONEY

GIVING BY STANDING ORDER IS THE PREFERRED METHOD

Offertory Envelopes and other donations can be placed in the Collection Box at the entrance or at the exit of the Church.

Make a donation via our website:

<https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/wembleyprestonroad/donate/>

Via Dona [the company who supply our card readers].

<https://portal.mydona.com/assets/webPay/index.php?cid=268>

CONTACTLESS DONATIONS

Donations, Mass Intentions, Candles and Repository payments can also be made via the card readers in Church

[If you are a tax payer, please Gift Aid your donation]

QR CODE

Don't use cash? Prefer to make your offering by phone?

Scan the QR code with your smartphone.

[If you are a tax payer, please Gift Aid your donation]



**THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR ALL YOUR DONATIONS,
HOWEVER YOU CHOOSE TO GIVE.**

REPOSITORY

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Cards, Rosaries, Mass Books, Medals and Gifts are now available from the Repository.

You are welcome to browse please ask a Repository helper if you require something you do not see.

THE LARDER

Thank you for your kind donations.

Please leave your donations in the box provided by the Lady Chapel.



POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE 2026

For the values of sports.

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.



DEFEND NHS STAFF CONSCIENCE RIGHTS

Following the fall of the Leadbeater assisted suicide Bill, fresh bids to introduce an assisted dying law in England and Wales are anticipated. Any new law would likely pressure NHS staff to be involved in some way and offer even less protection to institutions like hospices. You can help protect healthcare workers and hospices by signing the Bios Centre **online petition**.



It calls on Health Secretary, Wes Streeting, to protect conscientious objection rights for religious and personal beliefs. *Sign the petition at bioscentre.org/petition-on-conscience-protection or scan this QR code with your smartphone.*

CHAMELEON'S SUMMER SHOW

The Chameleon's Amateur Dramatic Society presents: "Cluedo" – The Hilarious Whodunnit Play! - at The Compass Theatre, Globe Avenue, Ickenham UB10 8PD, 16th – 18th July 2026. Evenings: 7.45pm, Saturday Matinee: 3.00pm.



This July, step into a world of mystery, mayhem, and magnificent mischief as *Cluedo* comes to life on stage! Celebrating our 60th anniversary in style, we invite you to a fast-paced, laugh-out-loud whodunnit packed with outrageous characters, shocking twists, and more red herrings than you can shake a candlestick at.

- ◆ Adult: £17.50; Concession: £16. [14+ Parental discretion advised!]
- ◆ Tickets are available: Online via *The Compass*.
- ◆ Phone 01895 250 615. Email: info@thechameleons.co.uk

THE "ANGELUS"

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary
R. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit
Hail Mary

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done to me according to your word.
Hail Mary

V. [with head bowed] And the word was made flesh
R. And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary....

V. Pray for us O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord, your grace into our hearts, that, we whom the incarnation of Christ your Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by his Passion and Cross, be brought to the glory of his resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.



CHURCH CLEANING

If you have any spare time please do come along and join us after the 9.30am Mass on Tuesday mornings to help clean God's House.

LITURGY FOR THE NINTH WEEK OF YEAR 2 - Psalter Week 1

All services can be followed online: <https://www.churchservices.tv/wembley3>

Saturday 5.30pm and Sunday 10.00am/11.30am Masses are recorded

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Sunday 31st May: Trinity Sunday, Year A [10.00am/11.30am] **Readings:** 1st

Reading: Exodus 34.4-6,8-9; Psalm: Daniel 3.52-56; 2nd Reading: 2Corinthians 13.11-13; Gospel: John 3.16-18. **Intention:** 10.00am: Dan Moriarty [RIP]

11.30am: People of the Parish

Monday 1st June: St. Justin [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Peter 1.2-7; Psalm: 90; Gospel: Mark 12.1-12. **Intention:** Chris Cooney [RIP]

Tuesday 2nd June: Feria [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Peter 3.11-15,17-18; Psalm: 89; Gospel: Mark 12.13-17. **Intention:** Eric D'Seuza [RIP].

Wednesday 3rd June: St. Charles Lwanga [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Timothy 1.1-3,6-12; Psalm: 122; Gospel: Mark 12.18-27. **Intention:** Mary O'Donovan [RIP, A].

Thursday 4th June: NO SERVICE

Friday 5th June: St. Boniface [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Timothy 3.10-17; Psalm: 118; Gospel: Mark 12.35-37. **Intention:** Loretta Tinch [RIP].

Saturday 6th June: Corpus Christi, Year A [5.30pm] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8.2-3,14-16; Psalm: 147 2nd Reading: 1Corinthians 10.16-17; Gospel: John 6.51-58. **Intention:** Nicholas Sheung Ng [RIP, A].

Sunday 7th June: Corpus Christi, Year A [10.00am/11.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8.2-3,14-16; Psalm: 147 2nd Reading: 1Corinthians 10.16-17; Gospel: John 6.51-58. **Intention:** 10.00am: Keith Allyn DeFontaine [RIP] 11.30am: People of the Parish

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK - [for those who have asked to be remembered]



We keep in our thoughts and prayers: Theresa Lowman, Sandra Warren, Magdalene Davis, Angela Tora, Claudette Roby, Sue McGovern, Cathy Singer, Martin Geary, Susan Bradley, Radwan Naffa, and Yves Remedios.

We remember also those in Kenbrook, Birchwood Grange and Brook House.

In case you are admitted to hospital.....

Please indicate on entering hospital that your details are to be passed to the RC Chaplain, and that you would like a visit from the RC Chaplain.

Sunday - Friday 8.00am - 4.00pm 020 8967 5130. Kindly leave a voicemail including patient's name and ward or e-mail: LNWH-TR.CHAPLAINCY@NHS.NET

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love you above all things and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.

[based on a prayer of St Alphonus Liguori]