

St Saviour's, Abbots Langley & Our Lady Mother of the Saviour, Chipperfield

Served by the Society of the Divine Saviour – The Salvatorians

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Parish Office hours: Monday 9am – 1pm & Friday: 9am-3pm

A Warm Welcome to you! If you are new to the parish, please introduce yourself to the Priest & to other parishioners. Census Forms are available at the back of the Church!

In today's gospel, John narrates Jesus' encounter with those profaning God's Sanctuary. His action simply demonstrates that He is actually God's wisdom and the fullness of the Law. His zeal distinguished Him, from the authorities. Instead of representing God's interest, they represented their selfish economic and social interests. It also, distinguishes Him from temple pilgrims who simply visited the temple without real devotion to God. The Church is the house of God and a place of worship. We must keep it holy and respect it. Also, it reminds us that our body, and the body of Christ is the Temple of God. So, we must not defile it. Finally, today Christ prophesied about his own death and resurrection: *"Destroy this temple and I will raise it up in three days."* This prophecy will be fulfilled during the paschal mystery. Therefore, today's gospel keeps the events of this season in perspective. It reminds us of where we are heading to this season, the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

MASS INTENTIONS at St Saviours, Abbots Langley: March 2024

| Saturday 2 nd : Lent Feria | 17.00: Ingram Family (Ints) | |
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| Sunday 3 rd : +Third Sunday of Lent | 08.30: Peter Arokiasamy + 11.30: Catherine & Frank Golden & Dennis +++ | Confessions: Saturday on call & available during |
| Monday 4 th : Lent Feria | 10.00: Mary Evans + (Anniversary) and Michelle Baxter (RIP) 11.00: Requiem Mass for Alistair Laing | monthly Adoration & upon request. <u>Adoration</u> every Friday 9.00am before Mass. |
| Tuesday 5 th : Lent Feria | 10.00: John McDonagh (Special Int) and Helen Morrell + | <u>Baptisms & Marriages:</u> Contact Parish office to make appointment (preferably by e-mail) |
| Wednesday 6 th : Lent Feria | 10.00: Sheila Vobes (RIP) | Signing of School Applications, Legal |
| Thursday 7 th : Lent Feria | 10.00: Carmel Butler (RIP) | Documents etc.: carried out every Wednesday |
| Friday 8th March: Lent Feria | 09.30: Stations of the Cross 10.00: John McDonagh (Thanksgiving Mass) | 5pm-7pm. <u>Sunday Readings:</u> Lent Year B |
| Saturday 9 th : Lent Feria | 17.00: Joe Harrington + (Anniversary) | <u>Weekday Readings:</u> Lent Year II |
| Sunday 10 th : +Fourth Sunday of Lent | 08.30: Maria & Carlo Aliprandi + (Anniversary) 11.30: Deborah Adeyanju (Anniversary) | |

MASS INTENTIONS at OLMS, Chipperfield: March 2024

| Saturday 2 nd : Lent Feria | 18.30: | Confessions: Before any of the Masses upon |
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| Sunday 3 rd : +Third Sunday of Lent | 10.00: Fiona Annie McDonnell RIP and | request |
| | Podreis McGowan RIP | Marriages, Baptisms: contact the Parish Clergy |
| | Anthony McMorrow + (10 th Anniversary) | via email / telephone. 6 months' notice is required for Marriage. |
| Friday 8 th : Lent Feria | 09.30: Stations of the Cross 10.00: | School Forms, Passports etc.: please speak to Clergy after Mass. |
| Saturday 9th: Lent Feria | 18.30: | Sunday Readings: Lent Year B |
| Sunday 10th: +Fourth Sunday of Lent | 10.00: Raymond Kelly (Get Well Int) | Weekday Readings: Lent Year II |

Please Pray for those who are sick, especially: Helen Downing, Hilary Usher, Jean Bradford, Tracey Jefferson, Breda Dale, Trevor Redpath, Mary-Kate Muir, Jane Broom, Stephen Hughes, Amy & Family, Paul Murray, Eileen Healy, Ann Long, Kathleen Masterson, George Crawford, Gediminas Moliejus, Debbie Fisher, Mary Bianchi, Maria Di Lima, Christine Aldridge, Mary Murphy, Frances Plough-Wright, Catherine Nolan, Ann Ward, Liz Bacon, Zach Barnes & family, Liam & Monica, Geraldine Latimer, Ron Allen, Tony Smith, Fr John Vallomprayil, Jeanne Johnson

Stations of the Cross: During Lent this will be said every Friday morning at 9.30am before morning Mass in both our Parishes

We offer our deepest sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of

Alastair Laing who sadly passed away on 7th February. Alastair's funeral will take place here at St Saviours on Monday 4th March at 11am followed by Committal at West Herts Crematorium at 12.40pm

Helen Morrell who sadly passed away on 17th February. Funeral Service: Tuesday 19th March 2024 Our Lady Mother of the Saviour, Church at 11am followed by Committal at Hemel Hempstead Crematorium at 12:30pm

Michelle Baxter who very sadly passed away on 14th February. Michelle's Funeral service will take place here at St Saviours on Monday 18th March at 11.30am followed by Committal at West Herts Crematorium at 1.20pm

May they rest in peace, Amen!

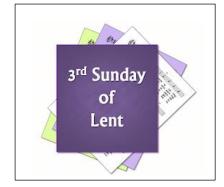
St Patricks Feast; Saturday 16th March from 7.30pm in the Parish Hall



Tickets will be priced at £5 each adult & £2.50 for children. There will be a buffet & music - it is sure to be a great night! If you would like tickets, please put the names down on the list at the back of the church. You can either pay in advance at the parish office or pay on the night.

On the first Sunday of each month, at the 11.30am Mass, we will be having the very talented Jade play the keyboard. We do require 2/3 singers to lead the singing with Jade so please let Fr Richard or Fr Dido know if this is something you would like to be involved in.

Abbots Langley & Chipperfield



Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony

Saturday 25th May 2024 at 2.30pm

Westminster Cathedral

The Cardinal invites to a Mass on Saturday 25th May at 2:30pm (please note the early start time) all couples in the Diocese who are celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th & 60th (& every year over 60) wedding anniversary of Catholic Marriage in 2024. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please give the Parish Clergy or the Parish office the following details: husband & wife's names, wedding date, full postal address & email (or telephone number if no email).

Please submit your details to the Parish by the 13th March

St Saviours; Children's Liturgy All children are welcome to join our children's liturgy group at the Sunday 11.30am Mass during school term time. We are always looking for volunteers to help run the children's liturgy – please contact Aoife if interested @ <u>Aoifewoodman@outlook.com</u>

CTAL Lent Course 2024: *St Lawrence Church*, Tuesday 20th February to Tuesday 19th March. 12.30pm – 2.00pm in the Breakspear room

Evening CTAL Lent group 2024: is via Zoom on Tuesdays, starting on Tuesday 19th February, 8pm to 9pm, please contact the St Lawrence parish office for the Zoom meeting code. Looking for a party venue?. We have a lovely hall which is perfect for birthday parties, Baptism parties, wakes or any other special celebration.

There is a fully equipped kitchen area and a fully stocked bar with staff which is also available. If you would like further information please contact the parish office on 01923 266177 or abbotslangley@rcdow.org.uk

<u>St Michaels Catholic High School</u> <u>Fundraising Quiz Night:</u> Friday 8th March- Time: 7pm for 7.30 pm start

All welcome: Book your tickets now by emailing <u>pta@stmichaelschs.herts.sch.</u> <u>uk</u> or via school Parent Pay (if you have a child attending the school)

£8 per ticket .Licensed bar & nibbles . Tables of 8 maximum (Adults only please)

Upcoming Parish Events;

St Patrick's Feast: Saturday 16th March

Lenten Reflection: Thursday 21st March at 7pm here at St Saviours with Fr James McTavish

Parish Walk: Sunday 24th March

Race Night: is postponed until April due to a clash with an event at St Michael's school.

ST SAVIOURS SANCTUARY LAMPS

Sanctuary lamps may be lit for the personal intentions of Parishioners. Please enquire at the sacristy after Mass. The Sanctuary Lamps will burn for: 1. Baxter Family (Int)

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