



St. Erconwald's Parish Newsletter

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY, YEAR A

12TH JULY, 2026

THEME: A Generous Sower



When we look at living beings in nature, plants and animals of all kinds, we see how much seed is generously sown. There is plenty of it, and yet few spring up and reproduce fruit. The Lord himself keeps sowing his word among us as an invitation, a call, a challenge. But do we even let it take root? What is the crop we let it produce? God is generous with his word but are we generous with our response? Let Jesus speak his word to us, let us welcome it with warmth, let it take root in us and grow and yield a rich and beautiful harvest.

MEDITATE: Jesus very often taught the crowds in parables. In this passage, he explains to his disciples why he chooses to teach in this way.

ACT: Determine a specific way in which you will be more responsive to God's promptings.

DAY TRIP TO BRIGHTON - WEDNESDAY 5th August

Booking forms are available at the back of the Church. The cost of this day trip is: Adults: £20.00; Senior Citizens and Children: £15.00; Family Special: £45.00 [2 Adults & 2 Children].

It is advisable to book as early as possible to avoid disappointment.



RECEPTION OF SACRAMENTS – REGISTRATION FORMS 2027

for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion [May 2027]
are available at the back of the Church.

[You must submit a photocopy of your Baptismal Certificate if your child was not baptised in this Parish]

The forms need to be returned by the weekend of **29th/30th August**.

Forms arriving after this date will **not** be accepted.

Children need to have attended regularly St. Erconwald's for a year, before joining the First Holy Communion Programme.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

From **Monday 13th July the weekday Masses will be at 10.00am.**

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.**



POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JULY 2026

For Respect for Human Life

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

WORLD WIDE ROSARY

Radio Maria UK is hosting a World Wide Rosary on **Wednesday, 26th August at 3:00pm** at the Shrine of Our Lady of Willesden. The Rosary will be broadcast live across our network of Radio Maria stations worldwide, with almost a billion people praying together. We warmly invite pilgrims to join us at the Shrine and bring their voices to this extraordinary moment of global prayer. Further information is available at www.RadioMaria.uk.

CHARITY GARDEN PARTY

In aid of Homes of Promise, Uganda. On Saturday 18th July, 2026, 2.00 – 4.30pm. 319, Preston Road, Harrow, HA30QQ. See posters for details.

DEMENTIA CARERS SUPPORT GROUP

Do you care for someone who is living with Dementia (incl. Alzheimer's)? We next meet in the Parish Hall on **Monday 13th July between 12.00noon - 2.00pm**. COME AND BE SUPPORTED. For further information please contact Frank Arrojo on 07867 903917 (email frankj.arrojo@gmail.com).



Online meeting: Friday 24th July between 4.00 – 6.00pm

BANNEUX ND GB PILGRIMAGES 2026

12th – 18th August. Details on the notice boards

CHAMELEON'S SUMMER SHOW



The Chameleons have been rehearsing here in our Hall since 2013, on Monday and Thursday evening. They have been very supportive of this Parish, so if you enjoy the game **Cluedo** or mystery murder programmes consider booking a place in the luxurious Compass Theatre in Ickenham, 16th – 18th July, and enjoy *The Chameleons* unique twist on this play, as they 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

As some of our regular cleaners will be going away on holiday, if you have any spare time please come along and join us after the 10.00am Mass on Tuesday mornings to help clean God's House.

LITURGY FOR THE FIFTEENTH WEEK OF YEAR 2 - Psalter Week 3

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 12th July: 15th Sunday, Year A [10.00am/11.30am] **Readings:** 1st

Reading: Isaiah 55.10-11; Psalm: 64; 2nd Reading: Romans 8.18-23; Gospel:

Matthew 13.1-23. **Intention:** 10.00am: Mary and Richard Govan [RIP, A]

11.30am: People of the Parish

Monday 13th July: Feria [10.00am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Isaiah 1.11-17;

Psalm: 49; Gospel: Matthew 10.34-11.1. **Intention:** Sheila Wheaton [RIP, A]

Tuesday 14th July: Feria [10.00am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Isaiah 7.1-9;

Psalm: 47; Gospel: Matthew 11.20-24. **Intention:** Ignatius Rocha [RIP]

Wednesday 15th July: St. Bonaventure [10.00am] **Readings:** 1st Reading:

Isaiah 10.5-7,13-16; Psalm: 93; Gospel: Matthew 11.25-27. **Intention:** George

Biggerstaff [RIP]

Thursday 16th July: NO SERVICE

Friday 17th July: Feria [10.00am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Isaiah 38.1-6,21-

22.7-8; Psalm Isaiah 38; Gospel: Matthew 12.1-8. **Intention:** Special Intention.

Saturday 18th July: 16th Sunday, Year A [5.30pm] **Readings:** 1st Reading:

Wisdom 12.13,16-19; Psalm: 85; 2nd Reading: Romans 8.26-27; Gospel: Mat-

thew 13.24-43. **Intention:** Jackie Molloy [RIP]

Sunday 19th July: 16th Sunday, Year A [10.00am/11.30am] **Readings:** 1st

Reading: Wisdom 12.13,16-19; Psalm: 85; 2nd Reading: Romans 8.26-27; Gos-

pel: Matthew 13.24-43. **Intention:** 10.00am: People of the Parish

11.30am: Paul O'Brien [RIP, A]

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



We keep in our thoughts and prayers: Theresa Lowman, Sandra Warren, Angela Tora, 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 Alphonsus Liguori]