



# St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 24th March 2019

Third Sunday of Lent (C)

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

(Sat.)	6.00pm	Vigil Mass
	9.30am	Mass
	11.30am	Solemn Mass
	5.30pm	Mass

## WEEKDAY MASSES

**NB.** No 7am Mass until Thursday 4th April, whilst Fr Uche attends his grandmother's funeral - 28/3/19.  
 Monday 25th 10am Mass  
**THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD (Feast) \***

<b>Tuesday 26th</b>	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
<b>Wednesday 27th</b>	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
<b>Thursday 28th</b>	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
<b>Friday 29th</b>	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
<b>Saturday 30th</b>	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	

## OTHER SERVICES

**Rosary:** Monday- Saturday after the 10am Mass (except Thurs)

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Thursdays from 10am Mass, all day, until 9pm.

## CONFESSIONS

**Thursday 6.30 - 7.30pm;\*\***  
**Saturdays 10.30-11.30 & 5.15-5.45.**

## READINGS AT MASS

**Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 1**

**This Sun:** Exodus 3:1-8,13-15;

1 Cor 10:1-6,10-12; Luke 13:1-9

**M.** Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10;

Hebrews 10:4-10; Luke 1:26-38 \*

**T.** Daniel 3:25,34-43; Matt 18:21-35

**W.** Deut 4:1,5-9; Matthew 5:17-19

**Th.** Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23

**F.** Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34

**S.** Hosea 5:15 - 6:6; Luke 18:9-14

**Next Sun:** Joshua 5:9-12;

2 Cor 5:17-21; Luke 15:1-3,11-32

**Fourth Sunday of Lent (Year C)**

**ROTAS** Team 4 today;

Team 2 next Sun 31st Mar (5th Sun)

## COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,211

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 412

+Cash £581 = **Parish total £ 2,174**

**Lenten Charities £278.82**

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**Fridays 10.30am & 8pm**

**Lenten Lunch in the Hall**

**Fridays 12noon - 1.30pm**

## LENTEN CHARITY FAYRE - THIS WEEKEND

This is our biggest annual fund-raiser for our chosen Lenten Charities (*see back*). Please pop into the hall after Mass for a browse, and show your support. *Thank you!*

**NB.** All 2nd Collections during Lent go towards our two chosen charities.

**ST JOSEPH'S YOUTH CLUB** last session this term is **Sunday 24th March**.

**CONFIRMATION** - Parents' Mass: tomorrow, **Monday 25th March @ 8pm**

Last session this term is this **Friday 29th March @ 7pm**

**AFTERNOON TEA** - All senior members of the Parish community are warmly invited to this occasion **THIS Sat 30th March 2019 3-5pm**, in our Parish Hall, hosted by St Joseph's Confirmation Group. Join us for a delightful afternoon with entertainment provided. **Please sign up on the list in the narthex \*\***

**\*\* Calling all young people of the Parish** to perform for our senior members of the Parish. Come & show your talent - singing, acting, dancing, comedy, magic tricks. Please contact Anne D'Silva at [annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk).

**MOTHERING SUNDAY:** On **Mothering Sunday, 31st March**, 4th Sunday of Lent, Flower & Plant Arrangements will be on sale in aid of our two Lenten Charities (after the Saturday evening Mass and two Sunday morning Masses), thanks to our Flower Arrangers Team. Treat your mother on this very special day!

**MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:** **Sun.** (Sat) 6pm Special Intention, 9.30 Thanksgiving for Margaret's recovery, 11.30 Brenda Corrie - Health & Healing, 5.30 People of the Parish; **Mon.** 10. Delia Hopkins' 100th Birthday; **Tue.** 10. Peggy Wright RIP; **Wed.** 10. Teresa Wright RIP; **Thurs.** 10. Anne Cox - Thanksgiving; **Fri.** 10. Rowena - Blessings on her Birthday; **Sat.** 10. Mary Hunt RIP; **Next Sun.** (Sat) 6pm Sheila Brown, 9.30 George Stuart Baxter, 11.30 Gloria Wheeler - 90th Birthday, 5.30 People of the Parish.

**SHRINE LAMPS: Our Lady:** Mo Afful; Isabella Keddy RIP  
**Sacred Heart** Thanksgiving for Jeyarajah Family; **St Pius X:** David Robert's Wellbeing  
**St Joseph:** In Thanksgiving for Francesca on her Birthday  
**St Therese / St John Fisher:** Dominic Wong - Wellbeing  
**St Thomas More / St Anthony:** Geraldine Colceary

**THANK YOU** - To Margarita and all the lovely people who helped make last Sunday's Lenten Lunch so enjoyable and special. After expenses, we are left with **£192.87** for our Lenten Charities. Thank you also to all who attended.

**\*\* NB.** No Thursday 6.30-7.30pm Confessions this week during Fr Uche's absence

## EASTER SERVICES : HELP NEEDED for welcoming, collecting and stewarding!

Our Easter services are always very full, so the regular welcomers need a lot of extra help to make sure that everyone gets a smile, a book and a seat, plus the chance to help with the collection for our Parish Priest. All this happens by the grace of God and willing hands.

If you could help at any of the services on Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Saturday evening Vigil Mass, Easter Sunday 9.30am or 11.30am, please email Katharine Cook at [philipcook1@waitrose.com](mailto:philipcook1@waitrose.com) (or give your name plus phone or email to a welcomer). Thank you !

## St Joseph's Presbytery & Parish Office

**Fr Uche Njoku** (Parish Priest): [uchenjoku@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:uchenjoku@rcaos.org.uk) Deacon John-Simon Lawson: [johnsimonlawson@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:johnsimonlawson@rcaos.org.uk)

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**\*\*\*PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday, 9.30am - 12.30pm - so weekday mornings are the best time to call.\*\*\***

## LENT 2019 FUNDRAISING at ST JOSEPH'S

**The Caritas Bakhita House** in London, our chosen home charity, provides help for women escaping human trafficking. They offer a range of services including emergency support, legal and financial assistance, mentoring, and help with accessing accommodation.

Our overseas charity is **St Peter & Paul Parish, Oyede, Niger Delta**. This is made up of a set of Mass Stations in a rural, riverine area which is in desperate need of a boat to enable the Parish Priest to access all these Mass Stations. The money raised will go towards the purchase of this much needed form of transport.

Our **2nd Collections during Lent**, our **Parish Lunch on the 17th March**, and our **Friday Lenten Lunches** are all fund-raisers for these projects, as is our **Lenten Charity Fayre 23/24 March**.

Parish Groups are asked to think of their own fund-raising ideas.



### POST EASTER EVENT

In the busyness of life, with all the calls on our time and energy, find the peace and help that arises from a deeper relationship with Jesus and the Father, through getting to know the Holy Spirit. Come along and find out for yourself what a difference this can make to your life.

**Tuesday evenings:** 30th April, 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th May, 4th & 11th June 2019.

Please see flyer in last week's bulletin & put the dates in your diary.

**WEDDINGS:** Please make sure you give us at least 6 months' notice when applying to get married in a Catholic Church.

**BAPTISMS:** Usually these take place on the 1st Saturday of the month, but other dates can be agreed should there be the need. Please ring the Parish Office for enquiries.

**REQUESTING A MASS INTENTION:** If you know the date you would like a Mass Intention for, please request it as far ahead as possible, and we will endeavour to accommodate the date asked for. If an urgent need for prayer arises, we will do our best to shift an existing Intention, with the agreement of the donor of course.

**MASS INTENTIONS & SHRINE LAMP INTENTIONS:** envelopes are available at the back of church. Please return via the Presbytery letter box or hand to one of the clergy.

**WEBSITE:** If your parish group's details need mentioning / updating on our website please email the webmaster at: [patheery@hotmail.com](mailto:patheery@hotmail.com)

**BILLINGS NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING:** for confidential time with our Parish's Natural Family Planning advisers, who are also involved in our Marriage Preparation Programmes, please ring Dymphna on 07775 163693 for an appointment.

**SVP (ST VINCENT DE PAUL):** Our Parish SVP can now be additionally contacted at: [SVPNewMalden@gmail.com](mailto:SVPNewMalden@gmail.com). Please get in touch if you or anyone you know needs practical or spiritual help, giving both your details and those of the person/s concerned.

**CANDLES IN CHURCH:** Please NEVER leave lighted candles in church - **these are a fire hazard!** You can light only Votive Candles provided at the Shrines & for Adoration.

**PLEASE MAKE SURE CHILDREN ARE SUPERVISED** when in church. Please do not let them wander about unattended as it is disrespectful and possibly dangerous as there are always lighted candles in church.

### CHURCHES TOGETHER IN MALDEN

present a 5-week course for Lent - Tuesdays 7.30-9pm, (started Tuesday 12th March), at St James Church, Bodley Rd, KT3 5QE. Theme 'On the Night He Was Betrayed - Learning to give thanks on our darkest days'. See posters for more. All Welcome!

### Corpus Christi School's Table Top Sale Saturday 30th March 2019 14.00 - 16.00

Wanting to clear your house of unwanted items or just make your self some extra money then book a stall at our indoor table top sale on Saturday 30th March. For those unfamiliar with a table top sale it is an indoor car boot sale (without the car).

The doors will open at 14.00 to buyers and finish at 16.00. If you would like to book a table for the sale please email Lucy at: [lucydlv1978@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:lucydlv1978@yahoo.co.uk). Tables are £8 per table (table is included). As we only have a certain amount of tables you must **pre-book**. Set up time for sellers 13.00 onwards.

If you only want to browse or purchase please remember: it's 50p for Adults and Free entry for children. Refreshments and snacks will be available. All proceeds raised will go towards Corpus Christi's Golden Jubilee Celebrations that are being held in June.

### 'MISERERE -

#### FROM ALLEGRI TO MACMILLAN'

Sat 30th March at 7.30pm the Merbecke Choir will perform a concert of sacred music at St. Raphael's Church, Portsmouth Road, Kingston. Tickets cost £6 and are available either on the door or can be reserved via the Parish Office [surbiton@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:surbiton@rcaos.org.uk) all profits will be donated to the Parish's Lenten Project which this year is supporting the 'Christian Blind Mission'. More info can be found at [www.straphaelsurbiton.org.uk](http://www.straphaelsurbiton.org.uk)

### NEW MALDEN PASSION PLAY

**1 & 3pm - Saturday 13th April 2019  
Blagdon Park Recreation Ground**

### PILATES at St Joseph's Hall -

**Wed 3.30pm - 4.30pm - Ongoing 6 week courses - Beginners Welcome**

A gentle-paced class using a blend of Pilates mat exercises and Somatic movement to help strengthen and lengthen the muscles of the body. The sessions will focus on alignment and ease of movement, developing awareness of how the body moves. Please wear comfortable clothing, and bring your own mat.

Cost: 6 week course - £48, or £10 drop-in.

*Fur further details contact Anne Gilpin [gilpinpilates@gmail.com](mailto:gilpinpilates@gmail.com); 07796 044882*