



St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 25th November 2018

JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 26th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria

Tuesday 27th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria

Wednesday 28th 10am Mass
Feria

2pm Requiem Mass for
Theodora (Teddy) Connolly RIP

Thursday 29th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria

Friday 30th 7 & 10am Mass
St Andrew, Apostle, Patron of
Scotland (Feast)*

Saturday 1st Dec 10am Mass
Feria, or Our Lady

OTHER SERVICES

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

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 B; Weekdays cycle 2

This Sun: Daniel 7:13-14;
Apocalypse 1:5-8; John 18:33-37
M. Apocalypse 14:1-5; Luke 21:1-4
T. Apocalypse 14:14-19; Luke 21:5-11
W. Apocalypse 15:1-4; Luke 21:12-19
Th. Apocalypse 18:1-2,21-23; 19:1-3,9;
Luke 21:20-28

F. Romans 10:9-18; Matthew 4:18-22*

S. Apocalypse 22:1-7; Luke 21:34-36

Next Sun: Jeremiah 33:14-16;
1 Thess 3:12 - 4:2; Luke 21:25-28,34-36
First Sunday of Advent (Yr C)

ROTAS Team 4 today;
Team 1 next Sun 2nd December

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,217
+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 503
+Cash £608 = **Parish total £ 2,328**
Altar Servers' Christmas Outing £ 372

2nd Collection today on

National Youth Sunday, is for
CATHOLIC YOUTH WORK

Next Sunday is the start of
Advent - all 2nd collections for our
Advent Charity - see back for more.

**TODAY we celebrate the FEAST of CHRIST THE KING,
when we also celebrate NATIONAL YOUTH SUNDAY.**

The Church invites young people to be at the heart of our celebration of National Youth Sunday. We want young people to hear the message that there is *ONE* filter that helps us stay true to ourselves, that helps us all to measure our lives in the right ways and present ourselves to others as we are. **THIS IS THE FILTER OF GOD'S LOVE.** For more, visit homemission.org.uk

TODAY PLEASE POP INTO THE HALL FOR OUR CHRISTMAS FAYRE, after Sat 6pm Mass and Sun 9.30 & 11.30am Masses, and support our Advent Charity.

RCIA / EVANGELIUM - THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC? Mondays, 7.45pm - 9pm, Pastoral Centre, upstairs in the Pope St John Paul II Room.

CONFIRMATION - Remaining classes this term are Friday 30 Nov & 7 Dec.

ST JOSEPH'S YOUTH CLUB for all young people in Years 7+. Next session is TODAY Sunday 25th November in the Pastoral Centre after the 5.30pm Mass.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME - Reconciliation Service on Saturday 1st December @ 3-4pm. Parents please ensure the children attend.

HOLY CROSS SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR is THIS Friday 30th November from 6.30-9pm. All welcome!

CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR follows closely on Saturday 1st December from 12 - 3.30pm. Please support both schools!

PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH - We hope to have this yearly event at 1pm on Sunday 16th December. The co-ordinators of our Catering Team have sadly had to give this up after years of dedicated work. We have a possible one or two new co-ordinators, but they are going to need a number of helpers, on the day and leading up to it. Please, please do offer your services if you can at all - it will be very much appreciated by all parishioners who would otherwise miss out!

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK: **Sun.** (Sat) 6pm David Roberts' Recovery, 9.30 Maria Joao & Jose Costa RIP, 11.30 Liberata Vella RIP, 5.30 People of the Parish; **Mon.** 7. November Requiem, 10. November Requiem; **Tue.** 7. November Requiem, 10. November Requiem; **Wed.** 10. Fr Eugene O'Sullivan RIP; **Thurs.** 7. Donato Cangi RIP, 10. November Requiem; **Fri.** 7. Wilfred & Constance Norton RIP, 10. Teresa Wright RIP; **Sat.** 10. Holy Souls; **Next Sun.** (Sat) 6pm Ester Mispenas RIP, 9.30 Dennis & Theresa Smith RIP, 11.30 Mary John RIP, 5.30 People of the Parish.
NB. Gentle reminder that a Mass Stipend is usually £10, which is the Priest's daily income.

SHRINE LAMPS: Sacred Heart: Mrs M Maharaj RIP

St Joseph: Roberts' Family Intentions

Our Lady: Tan Family Thanksgiving; Ng Family Thanksgiving

St Therese / St John Fisher: The Youth of the Parish; **St Pius X:** Patsy Chan - Health

St Thomas More / St Anthony: Brenda Corrie's Wellbeing;

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS IN OUR BOOKSHOP - Please visit and browse for all for your Advent goods & Christmas cards, cribs, Religious Art Calendars, etc. Open after every weekend Mass and after 10am Mass on weekdays from 10.45 - 11.15am.



St Joseph's Presbytery & Parish Office

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

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OUR ADVENT CHARITY FOR 2018

This year's Christmas Fayre proceeds will be going to a very poor school in a small village in Nigeria - **Queen of Apostles Nursery, Primary and Secondary Technical School**. Fr Uche had the opportunity to visit the school when he was in Nigeria last January, and he was horrified to see the state of the building and the dire conditions the poor students have to endure.

The building works necessary to turn this into a viable place of study is estimated at around £2,500, which we hope to achieve during Advent with everybody's help.

Apart from the proceeds of the Christmas Fayre, we are also having 2nd collections the 4 weekends of Advent to help raise this sum, so these start next weekend.

Please also consider sponsoring a child during their studies: £25 a year for a Nursery/Primary pupil; £50 per year for a Secondary School student. Please be generous!

For photos and videos of the school please visit our website.

TEAMS OF OUR LADY ADVENT REFLECTION EVENING, St Joseph's Parish Hall, Tuesday 4 December 2018, 7.45 for 8.00pm start. Finishing with mulled wine and mince pies. Please do join us.

INTRODUCTION TO THE CRAFT OF CATECHESIS - Sebastian Morello from Centre for Catholic Formation in Tooting speaks to all existing and future Parish Catechists from 10.30am-12.30pm Sat 19th January 2019. Please look out for an email with more info soon!

NEW MALDEN PASSION PLAY Saturday 13th April 2019, in the Blagdon Road Recreation Ground - Auditions are on Friday Nov 30 at 7.30pm and Saturday Dec 1st at 3.00pm at The Space, New Malden United Reformed Church KT3 6DR. Email: info@nmpassionplay.com & see posters.

MASS OFFERINGS - Our parish is blessed with an abundance of Mass Intentions, and whilst we try our best, it may not always be possible to have the date requested available but we will always try and provide an alternative. In the meantime, please try to give us as much notice as possible for your preferred dates.

NEXT SUNDAY IS THE 1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Below is a message from our Diocesan Stewardship Team inviting us to spend some time reflecting during this coming Advent.

So often in our fast paced world we find ourselves run off our feet and exhausted by the frantic build up to Christmas and we completely lose this special time to take stock and renew our relationship with God.

To help make some space and focus on the development of this most precious relationship, the Diocesan Stewardship Team have once again produced a handy daily email to enable reflection.

The focus will be on the readings for each Sunday in Advent. Every day there will be a different reflection; so each week, Monday and Tuesday will focus on the First reading, Wednesday on the Psalm, Thursday and Friday on the Second reading and Saturday and Sunday on the Gospel.

The brief reflection will be sent directly to your Inbox to make it as easy as possible to take a little time out each day. So wherever you are, and whatever time you can invest in your personal Advent preparation – you will have the resources to hand!

To receive your daily reflection – simply sign up at:

<http://www.southwarkdsc.org.uk/>

VACANCY: PARISH SECRETARY AT

OLI, TOLWORTH - The parish of Our Lady Immaculate, Tolworth is looking to recruit a part time Parish Secretary to assist in the administration of a busy parish. This will initially be on a 12-month fixed term contract with a 3-month probationary period. Closing date for application - 2nd December. See noticeboard for more.

FROM PETER MORRELL, our Director of Music: **Sound Foundations Music**: www.soundfoundationsmusic.co.uk Get one-to-one Music lessons at your house, with a motivational teacher who believes in you! Singing, piano and theory lessons, welcoming children and adults of all abilities. Contact Peter Morrell at: peter@soundfoundationsmusic.co.uk.

PILATES IN OUR PARISH HALL in the New Year. A gentle-paced class using a blend of Pilates mat exercises and Somatic movement to help strengthen & lengthen the muscles of the body. The sessions will focus on alignment and ease of movement, developing awareness of how the body moves. The ultimate aim is to move with increased fluidity, strength & grace. Beginners welcome. Enquiries to Parish Office.

YOUTH WORKER

for the Parish of St. Joseph, New Malden (Archdiocese of Southwark)

18hrs/week. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience.

We are looking to appoint an enthusiastic and dedicated person to work with our young people.

Supported by the parish Youth Advisory Team, Catechists and Volunteers, the Youth Worker will build on the existing Youth Group (yr 7 and above) and establish younger age groups to foster and promote our young people's faith journey.

Applicants should be able to demonstrate experience in leading groups of young people and have or be working towards a recognised qualification in youth work.

Consideration will be given to parish funding of further training where appropriate.

Applicants must also have an informed understanding of and commitment to the teaching of the Catholic Church and the life of the Catholic community.

For further information and an application form email newmalden@rcaos.org.uk

Closing date for applications - Sunday 25th November 2018