

St Joseph's Catholic Church



1 Montem Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3QW **Sunday 10th September 2023**

catholicnewmalden.org 020 8942 2602 Twenty-third Ordinary Sunday (A)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

6.00pm Vigil Mass 9.30am Mass 11.30am Solemn Mass 5.30pm Mass

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 11th 10am Mass Feria, or St Ambrose Barlow, Pr & M

Tuesday 12th 10am Mass Feria, or The Most Holy Name of Mary, or St Eanswythe of Folkestone, Abbess

Wednesday 13th 10am Mass St John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (Memorial)

Thursday 14th 10am Mass The Exaltation of The Holy Cross (Feast) *

Friday 15th 10am Mass Our Lady of Sorrows (Memorial) *

Saturday 16th 10am Mass SS Cornelius, Pope, & Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs (Memorial) *

OTHER SERVICES

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

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays from 10am Mass, all day, until 8pm

CONFESSIONS

Thursday 6.30 - 7.30pm; Sat 10.30 - 11.30am & 5.15 - 5.45pm.

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year A; Weekdays cycle 1 This Sun: Ezekiel 33:7-9;

Romans 13:8-10; Matthew 18:15-20 M. Colossians 1:24 - 2:3; Luke 6:6-11

T. Colossians 2:6-15; Luke 6:12-19

W. Eph 4:1-7,11-13; Mark 4:1-10,13-20 *

T. Numbers 21:4-9; John 3:13-17

F. Hebrews 5:7-9; John 19:25-27 * **S.** 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Jn 17:11-19 *

Next Sun: Ecclesiasticus 27:30 - 28:7; Romans 14:7-9; Matthew 18:21-35

Twenty-fourth Ordinary Sunday (A)

ROTAS Team 2 today Sun 10th Sept Team 3 next Sun 17th September

COLLECTIONS last weekend: Gift Aid Standing Orders +Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 350 + Card £372 +Cash £ 605 Parish total £ 2,458

Next Sunday is HOME MISSION SUNDAY

2nd Coll for the Catholic Agency for the Support of Evangelisation

TODAY is EDUCATION SUNDAY

Education Sunday falls on the second Sunday of September (10 September, in 2023) just as the new academic year starts and is one of the oldest Days of Special Prayer in England and Wales, established 175 years ago in 1848. It provides an opportunity to celebrate the gift of Catholic schools and to give thanks to all involved in making them places of enlightenment. We look forward to the new scholastic year and we ask for God's Blessing on all as we pray:

Lord, Thank you for all those who have given their talents to educating our young people. Through the challenges they encounter each day, lead them to an ever deeper appreciation of the sacred duty to which you have called them.

Thank you for all those who contribute to the efficient running of our schools: support staff, kitchen staff, maintenance staff, governors and chaplains. We thank them for their hard work and dedication.

Thank you for all those who lead our Catholic schools. May they be people of integrity so that they can be witnesses as well as teachers. We pray that the schools they lead will become places where our young people can experience your love in their lives. Thank you for our pupils. May your love strengthen and nurture them through the influence and example of those who care for them. We pray that through their time at school they will flourish and grow to discover who you have called them to be.

We make this prayer through your Son, Jesus Christ, our teacher and our Lord, Amen.

THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL SERVICE FOR THOSE WHO

HAVE BEEN HARMED BY ABUSE will be led by Archbishop John Wilson and will be held on the 27th September 2023 at 6.30pm. The Service will be held at St George's Cathedral. We would welcome your attendance and support at this event. This Service allows the Archdiocese to acknowledge, pray and reflect on the pain that is caused by abuse and to demonstrate the Archdiocese's commitment to supporting those who have been abused and creating safe environments.

MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm People of the Parish; 9.30 The Carers of Emily Grey; 11.30 Marie Hills RIP; 5.30 Anthony Donovan RIP; Mon. 10. Ken Dourado RIP; Tue. 10. Peggy Wright RIP; Mary Devlin RIP; Woods RIP; **Thurs.** 10. **Fri. 10**. Agnes' Birthday Thanksgiving; Sat. 10. Rowena Wittinbaker; Next Sun (Sat) 6pm People of the Parish; 9.30 Marie Grey & Family; 11.30 George Hills RIP; 5.30 Manoel Leite da Silva RIP (Birthday).

SHRINE LAMPS this week: **St Joseph:** Brenda Corrie RIP;

St Pius X: John Haves Snr RIP

St Therese / St John Fisher: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell

Our Lady: Thérèse Hoey RIP; Ng Family Intentions Sacred Heart: Lorraine Hernan RIP - 30th Anniversary

Thomas More / St Anthony: Wellbeing of Nancy & Michael Connolly

https://www.youtube.com/c/StJosephNewMalden The 11.30am Sunday Mass is Live-Streamed weekly:

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The PARISH OFFICE is open Monday to Friday from 10am ~ 1pm. Tel: 020 8942 2602 / 07488 241753

A parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark CIO Registered Incorporated Charity Number 1173050

First Holy Communion Programme 2024 - application forms for next year's programme will be available shortly - watch this space! When the forms become available there will be plenty of time for parents to pick up the forms, so please listen out for announcements and check the bulletin.

Confirmation Programme 2023 continues as follows:

Sunday 24th September - Celebration Mass at 5.30pm and session at 6.30pm Tuesday 26th September- Parents Mass at 7pm 29th September - 1st October - Confirmation retreat Wednesday 4th October at 7pm - Confirmation Mass rehearsal

Saturday 7th October at 12 noon - Confirmation Mass with Bishop Philip Mojer

Parishioners please save these dates:

Thursday 28th September - 9 day novena for the Confirmation candidates. Please take the Novena Prayer home following announcement at weekend of 23rd/24th.

Tuesday 3rd October 9pm - Parish Zoom rosary to pray for the Confirmation candidates. Zoom link: Meeting ID: 873 4976 3433 Passcode: 080828

RCIA - THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC, or just exploring what Catholics believe, and how we live? We run an *Evangelium* course in Autumn, which is for adults who have not been Baptised, for Christians of other denominations who want to be Received into the Roman Catholic Church, for Catholics who have not been Confirmed, or want to deepen their understanding of the Catholic Faith. Please email the parish office if you are interested to join the next course, running **every Tuesday evening**, **starting 3rd October 2023 @ 7.45pm**.

POST 9.30am MASS REFRESHMENTS: back this Sunday 10th September. Pop in to the hall after Mass for a cuppa and a chat. We always welcome any new volunteers, who can make themselves known in the kitchen where Rosie & Grace can be found or email the parish office please. Any time / help anyone can give would be most appreciated.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP is open to children who would be in Nursery to Y2 in September and is back this Sunday during the 9.30am Mass. We are very grateful to Candice and Arlene for running this group for the past few years and welcome and thank Emma & Catherine for taking this over from them.

SILVER YOUTH CLUB resumes this Monday 11th and is usually every Monday, **12noon - 2pm** in St Joseph's PC Hall. For more information and to register, please contact Shirley on 07763 990489 or shirleykennett1@gmail.com. Entrance is free.

SEASON OF CREATION - The Season of Creation is from 1st September to 4th October (Feast of St Francis – Patron Saint of the Environment). It is also the time when we give thanks for the fruits of the harvest. It was initiated in 2015 by Pope Francis, the year he published the encyclical letter, Laudato Si – On Care for our Common Home.

Grief in Loss, Hope in Christ - If you are mourning the death of a loved one, this weekend may be for you. It's being held at Aylesford Priory from October 6-8; cost £230 single, £210 shared. For more details or to book, email reception@thefriars.org.uk, or phone 01622 717272.

Are you a parent, grandparent, carer, children's liturgy leader or catechist? Then these high quality, faith-filled sessions are for you! Three fantastic experienced speakers will be giving really useful tips and ideas to help you to engage the children in your life and your parish more deeply in faith. It will be accessible, practical & fun! Click CELEBRATE for all

Click **CELEBRATE** for all the details and to book.

REVISITING THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY: HUMAN LOVE IN THE DIVINE PLAN

Tuesday19th September 7-9pm at St Mary Moorfields RC Church EC2M 7LS.

For all the details and to book see our screens and notice-boards.

Run the Royal Parks Half Marathon in aid of The Passage -Sun 8th Oct 2023

This stunning autumnal route showcases the iconic sites of London through four Royal Parks - Hyde Park, Kensington Gardens, St James's Park and Green Park. Run past some of the capital's most historic landmarks, including Buckingham Palace, Horse Guards Parade and the Royal Albert Hall. Although undulating in parts, the course is not hilly and is great for both experienced and first-time half marathon runners. Registration fee: £20; Fundraising goal: £300.

MAKING A DONATION ONLINE

The best way to donate to St Joseph's online is by Bank Transfer - details here:

NB. The details may come up as RCAOS or Southwark - this is also correct)

St Joseph's Catholic Church, New Malden

Account Number: 79143857

Bank Sort Code: 60-50-01

Please email agnesvella@rcaos.org.uk or call 020 8942 2602 / 07488 241753 if you have any queries.