

St Joseph's Catholic Church



1 Montem Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3QW Sunday 17th September 2023

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

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 18th 10am Mass Feria, or St Edith of Kemsing

Tuesday 19th 10am Mass Feria, or St Theodore of Canterbury, Bp, or St Januarius, Bishop & Martyr

Wednesday 20th 10am Mass SS Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions, Martyrs (Memorial)

Thursday 21st 10am Mass St Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist (Feast) *

Friday 22nd 10am Mass

10am Mass Saturday 23rd St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest (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: Ecclesiasticus 27:30 - 28:7; Romans 14:7-9; Matthew 18:21-35 **M.** 1 Timothy 2:1-8; Luke 7:1-10 T. 1 Timothy 3:1-13; Luke 7:11-17 **W.** Romans 8:31-39; Luke 9:23-26 T. Eph 4:1-7,11-13; Matthew 9:9-13 * **F.** 1 Timothy 6:2-12; Luke 8:1-3 **S.** Galatians 2:19-20; Matt 16:24-27 * Next Sun: Isaiah 55:6-9; Philippians

Twenty-fifth Ordinary Sunday (A) **ROTAS** Team 3 today Sun 17th Sept Team 4 next Sun 24th September

1:20-24,27; Matthew 20:1-16

COLLECTIONS last weekend: Gift Aid Standing Orders +Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 235 + Card £314 +Cash £ 680

Parish total £ 2,360 Catholic Education Services £217.53

Next Sunday is **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR MIGRANTS & REFUGEES**

EVANGELII GAUDIUM SUNDAY (Mission Sunday) A Call to Mission in England & Wales

In 2013, the first year of his pontificate, Pope Francis released an Apostolic Exhortation on the joy of the Gospel titled Evangelii Gaudium. In it, he encouraged the Christian faithful to "embark on a new chapter of evangelisation" marked by this joy, whilst striving to find new paths to proclaim the Gospel in today's world. He added: "We cannot forget that evangelisation is first and foremost about preaching the Gospel to those who do not know Jesus Christ or who have always rejected him. Many of these are quietly seeking God, led by a yearning to see his face... Christians have the duty to proclaim the Gospel without excluding anyone."

Evangelii Gaudium (Joy of the Gospel) Sunday calls us to be joyous in proclaiming our faith. The day supports the work carried out by the Mission Directorate on behalf of the Bishops' Conference. A key focus of work for the next few years is responding to Pope Francis' calling of a Jubilee Year in 2025 with the theme Pilgrims of Hope. The Holy Father has invited the whole Church to prepare for the Jubilee in the two years prior through:

- Reflecting on the four Constitutions of the Second Vatican Council in 2023.
- Deepening our prayer life, with a special focus on the Lord's Prayer, in 2024.

To support the Church in England and Wales in this important initiative the Mission Directorate has produced a series of videos on the four Constitutions which reflect on the Liturgy, the Word of God, the Church and on its role in the modern world.

Please support the Mission Directorate through prayer and giving to the second collection. However much you give, big or small, it will go directly to support this important work to bring the joy of the Gospel to all.

MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm People of the Parish; 9.30 Marie Grey & Family; 11.30 George Hills RIP; 5.30 Manoel Leite da Silva Mon. 10. Nora Mary Murphy RIP; Tue. 10. Antonia & Agnesa Fanelli RIP; Wed. 10. Mr R Hourigan RIP; Thurs. 10. Fred Devlin RIP; Fri. 10. Henry Hoskins RIP Sat. 10. Margaret Collins RIP; (Sat) 6pm Special Intention; 9.30 Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP; 11.30 Brenda Corrie RIP; **5.30** People of the Parish.

SHRINE LAMPS this week: **St Joseph:** Brenda Corrie RIP; St Therese / St John Fisher: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell Our Lady: Ng Family Intentions; St Pius X: John Hayes Snr RIP Sacred Heart: Wellbeing of Nancy & Michael Connolly **Thomas More / St Anthony:** Iris Kathleen Lorenschitz RIP

NHS COVID VACCINATION CLINIC - Fr Uche has recently agreed to St Joseph's hosting a Covid & Flu Vaccination Clinic in our PC Hall during the flu season. The clinic will be open every Thursday from 9am -12.30pm, starting 28th September and will run as a drop-in clinic as well as by appointment. We feel this will be of great benefit to our parishioners as well as to the wider community.

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

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Technical Team: Daniel - <u>newmaldenict@rcaos.org.uk</u> Sacristan: Sue Port 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.

Friend of Acutis Youth Group next meet on Friday 22nd September @ 7pm.

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 Friday 29th September - Sunday 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.

The Bethlehem Nativity Group TBNG, A missionary from Bethlehem, The Holy Land, will visit us again on the weekend 30th September - 1st October to briefly talk about the Holy Land and sell religious articles made out of Olive Wood to help and support the poor Christian families. Any help you could give to them will be highly appreciated - "When you help the poor you help our Lord".

The Legion of Mary at St. Joseph's would like to invite Parishioners to join them. Interested parties can call Rene on 020 8394 0798 or e-mail rene.decondappa@sky.com.

The Family of Brenda Corrie RIP have asked us to share her funeral details. Brenda's funeral is to be held here at St Joseph's on Friday 6th October at 12noon, which her friends and parishioners are welcome to attend. This will be followed by a private family service at Kingston Crematorium. There will be a celebration of Brenda's life at Coombe Golf Club and all are welcome to raise a glass for her there from 2.30pm.

World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR) is an annual celebration marked by the Church to increase awareness about migration and its opportunities, as well as its challenges. The day is marked on the last Sunday of September and has been celebrated by the Church since 1914. This year, the celebration will be marked on Sunday 24th September.

In Preparation for the day CSAN (Caritas Social Action Network of England and Wales) is hosting a webinar on the evening of 20th September. Please register to attend by following the link: https://www.csan.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/ 2023/07/WDMR-webinar-QR-code.png

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 the details and to book.

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.

Grief in Loss, Hope

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

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

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