

St Joseph's Catholic Church, New Malden

Sunday 18th December 2022
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR

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Sunday Readings Year A
Christmas Bumper Bulletin

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

Advent Charity Project 2022

This year we are raising funds for a borehole project in Dandou Kissidougou which is on the border between Guinea and Sierra Leone. This is a very rural area with no access to schools, churches, health-care and other facilities. For the many poor villagers living there, there is only one source of drinkable water and it would be around a mile walk away - on rough terrain for most people. With the money we raise, it is hoped that one or more new boreholes are sunk, especially in the vicinity of the church, where the Christian families worship. Christians are in a great minority so this would make a huge difference to their well being and give them a sense of worth and support, greatly missing in an area such as this. All our 2nd collections during Advent will go towards this project. Please be generous. God Bless you.

The Christmas Fayre last weekend raised over £1,100, for which we thank all who organised and ran it, and those of you who bought items! It was wonderful to see it back after more than 2 years, and see such support!

Father Uche,
Father Jude &
Deacon John-Simon,
wish all Parishioners a
Holy and very
Happy Christmas,
and pray for God's
Blessing on your homes
and families.



CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

This is your personal gift to Fr Uche, who will give a portion of his offerings to the Missions. If you give by Gift-Aid envelopes, please use the one from your box. If not, please use one of the Christmas offering envelopes attached to this bulletin or take one from the back of church.

CHRISTMAS MASSES 2022

Saturday 24th, Christmas Eve

5.30 pm ~ Vigil Mass

10pm ~ First Vespers of Christmas

10.30pm ~ Midnight Mass



Sunday 25th, Christmas Day

9.30 am & 11.30 am ~ Mass of the Day

NB. No 5.30pm Mass on Christmas Day

ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Wednesday 21st December 6pm-7pm at St Joseph's.

There will be 3 priests available for individual confession, to help us prepare spiritually for Christmas. All welcome!

APPEAL FOR STEWARDS FOR CHRISTMAS MASSES

We are very short of stewards for the Midnight Mass (10 pm Vespers & 10.30pm Mass), and the 9.30am and 11.30am Mass on Christmas Day. Please let us know urgently if you are available to help these Masses run more smoothly. Thank you!

St Joseph's Presbytery & Parish Office - newmalden@rcaos.org.uk

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The PARISH OFFICE is closed during the Christmas Holidays, until Monday 9th January 2023.

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CHRISTMAS SEASON MASS TIMES, FEASTS, READINGS & INTENTIONS



Sunday 18th December 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A)

Day of Prayer for Expectant Mothers

ROTAS Team 3 today

Monday 19th 10am Mass

Advent FERIA

Funeral of Sharon McCormack RIP

Tuesday 20th 10am Mass

Advent FERIA

Wednesday 21st 10am Mass

Advent FERIA (St Peter Canisius, Priest)

Thursday 22nd 10am Mass

Advent FERIA

Friday 23rd 10am Mass

Advent FERIA (St John of Kanty, Priest)

Saturday 24th 10am Mass

Advent FERIA

THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS



CHRISTMAS EVE

5.30pm Vigil Mass

10pm First Vespers of Christmas,
leading into:

10.30pm Midnight Mass (**NB. new time**)

CHRISTMAS MASSES OF THE DAY top of next column

READINGS AT MASS THIS WEEK

Sun 18th: 4th Sunday of Advent:

Isaiah 7:10-14; Romans 1:1-7;

Matthew 1:18-24

M. Judges 13:2-7,24-25; Luke 1:5-25

T. Isaiah 7:10-14; Luke 1:26-38

W. Zephaniah 3:14-18; Luke 1:39-45

Th. 1 Samuel 1:24-28; Luke 1:46-56

F. Malachi 3:1-4,23-24; Luke 1:57-66

S. 2 Samuel 7:1-5,8-16; Luke 1:67-79

Christmas Vigil Mass: Isaiah 62:1-5;

Acts 13:16-17,22-25; Matthew 1:18-25

Christmas Midnight Mass (10.30pm):

Isaiah 9:1-7; Titus 2:11-14; Luke 2:1-14

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sun. (Sat) 6pm In Thanksgiving; **9.30am**

Mary Grace RIP; **11.30am** Elizabeth Barnes

RIP; **5.30pm** People of the Parish; Anne &

Menino D'Silva; **Mon. 10. Funeral of Sharon**

McCormack RIP; Tue. 10. Lyra Mendes RIP;

Wed. 10. Thanksgiving for John Butler; Thur.

10. Mr D Maharaj RIP; Fri. 10. Aloysius

Corrie RIP; Sat. 10. Mr & Mrs J Hourigan RIP

CHRISTMAS EVE ~ 5.30pm

(Christmas Vigil Mass) Special Intention

10.30pm Midnight Mass

Vella Family Thanksgiving and Intentions

CAROL SERVICE at Our Lady
Immaculate Church, Tolworth,
at 4pm this Sunday 18th December.
All welcome to join!

Sunday 25th December 2022

CHRISTMAS DAY

THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

ROTAS Team 4 today

9.30 & 11.30am Masses of the Day

NB. No 5.30pm Mass on Christmas Day

Monday 26th 10am Mass

St Stephen, Deacon & First Martyr (*Feast*)*

Tuesday 27th 10am Mass

St John, Apostle & Evangelist (*Feast*)*

Wednesday 28th 10am Mass

The Holy Innocents (*Feast*)*

Thursday 29th 10am Mass

St Thomas of Canterbury, Bp & M (*Feast*)*

Friday 30th 10am Mass

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY
& JOSEPH (*Feast*) *

Saturday 31st 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA



READINGS AT MASS THIS WEEK

Sunday 25th: Christmas Mass of the Day:

Isaiah 52:7-10; Hebrews 1:1-6; John 1:1-18

M. Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Matthew 10:17-22 *

T. 1 John 1:1-4; John 20:2-8 *

W. 1 John 1:5 - 2:2; Matthew 2:13-18 *

Th. Colossians 1:24-29; Luke 22:24-30 *

F. Ecclesiasticus 3:3-7,14-17;

Col 3:12-21; Matthew 2:13-15,19-23 *

S. 1 John 2:18-21; John 1:1-18

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

CHRISTMAS DAY: 9.30am Mr & Mrs

Maharaj RIP; **11.30am.** Thanksgiving for

Brenda Corrie; **NB. No 5.30pm Mass today.**

Mon. 10. Éliane Patton RIP, Tue. 10.

Teresa Wright RIP, Wed. 10. Leon

Peters RIP; Thur. 10. Elizabeth Crewe

RIP; Fri. 10. Maria Koharic RIP; Sat. 10.

Jennie McCarthy RIP.

FR UCHE goes on his annual post-Christmas break, on the 26th December, till the beginning of February 2023.

We are very blessed to have Fr Jude Ogbuanu with us again this year throughout that period, to say Mass, keep things ticking over and see to the spiritual needs of the Parish.

We welcome Fr Jude warmly, and wish him the very best for his time with us, and assure him of our co-operation, care, assistance & prayers. We thank Fr Jude in anticipation.

We wish Fr Uche a pleasant and peaceful time back home and keep him and his family in our prayers at the start of the year, as he enjoys his very well earned rest, God willing.

Sunday 1st January 2023

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (A)

ROTAS Team 1 today

Monday 2nd 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA

Tuesday 3rd 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA

Wednesday 4th 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA

Thursday 5th 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA

Friday 6th 10am Mass

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD *



Saturday 7th 10am Mass

Christmas FERIA

(St Raymond of Penyafort, Priest)

READINGS AT MASS THIS WEEK

Sun 1st Jan 2023 : Numbers 6:22-27;

Galatians 4:4-7; Luke 2:16-21

M. 1 John 2:22-28; John 1:19-28

T. 1 John 2:29 - 3:6; John 1:29-34

W. 1 John 3:7-10; 1 John 1:35-42

Th. 1 John 3:11-21; John 1:43-51

F. Isaiah 60:1-6;

Ephesians 3:2-6; Matthew 2:1-12 *

S. 1 John 3:22 - 4:6; Matthew 4:12-17,23-25

Sunday 8th - The Baptism of the Lord (A)

Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11; Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7;

Luke 3:15-16,21-22

* Proper Readings on Feasts and Solemnities

MASS INTENTIONS for week starting

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Sunday 8th January 2023

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



The clergy and staff at St Joseph's
wish you a Happy, Healthy and
Blessed New Year 2023.

IN OUR PARISH

SHRINE LAMPS (3 weeks) - **Our Lady:** Ng Family thanksgiving; Peggy & Leslie Dickie RIP
St Joseph: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell; **Sacred Heart:** Christmas Crib
St Therese / St John Fisher: Thanksgiving for Fr Uche
St Pius X: Benadict Rosary RIP - 1st Anniversary
St Thomas More / St Anthony: Thanksgiving for Fr Jude



BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS - Please email the Parish Office with enquiries.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023 resumes in the New Year with a Zoom meeting for Parents on Wednesday 11th January from 8-8.45pm, followed by the children's session on Saturday 14th at 9.45am, and the 9.30am Mass on Sunday 15th, and the First Reconciliation Service on Saturday 21st at 12.30pm.

CONFIRMATION 2023 - Applications for next year's course are now closed. Any forms still to be given in need to be dropped off at the presbytery by TODAY Sunday 18th December 2022. Timetables and other information will be sent out / emailed in due course.

ST JOSEPH'S BOOKSHOP - Our bookshop is stocked with Advent & Christmas cards, cribs, candles etc. The shop open after every weekend Mass, so do pop in and have a browse.

NIGERIAN CHILDREN'S EDUCATION SPONSORSHIP - Please contact Agnes **URGENTLY** if you haven't yet, to check the correct amount due and for any other information or updates. New sponsors are always welcome.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY at 9.30am Mass St Joseph's is now finished for this year and will return on Sunday 8th January 2023. Please email newmaldenclow1@rcaos.org.uk for more info.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS GIFTS - Thank you to all who supported our annual Christmas Charity Gifts Donations to The Westminster Children Society and The Good Counsel Network. Our parishioners have been very generous as always. This is a message from The Good Counsel Network: "we are so grateful for the beautifully wrapped presents which makes the mothers we serve feel like they and their children are precious".

WARM WELCOMES

Our Hall is open every Friday from 11am until 3pm until the end of March, for refreshments, soup and company! If you can help please email:

NewMaldenParishWarmWelcomes@rcaos.org.uk

NB. Warm Welcomes is shut on Friday 30th, but will re-open on The Feast of the Epiphany, Friday 6th January 2023.

THE SILVER YOUTH CLUB

Every Monday, 12.30-2.30pm, in St Joseph's PC Hall. This is an exciting and fun initiative run by the DONS Local Action Group, part of the AFC Wimbledon Foundation - Charity no 1154198.

All adults are welcome to join us for tea, sandwiches and a chat with other members of the community. Bingo, quick and light entertainment included. For more information and to register your place, please contact Shirley on 07763 990489 or shirleykennett1@gmail.com. Entrance is free.

NB. Last session for this year is Monday 19th December; back on Monday 9th January 2023.

SCOUTS, CUBS & BEAVERS at St Joseph's - for all enquiries regarding registering your child, etc, please could you email: enquiries@2ndmalden.org or georgie@2ndmalden.org directly.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 ~ The Archdiocese of Southwark is taking a group of pilgrims (aged 18-35) to a World Youth Day in Lisbon. Provisional dates are 31st July - 7th August 2023. Further info can be found at www.lisboa2023.org/en/ Please email Anne D'Silva for further details at annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk if you are interested in joining a group from St Joseph's.

HYMNATHON - On January 14th The United Reformed Church in New Malden (by the Foundation Roundabout) is holding a 12 Hour Hymnathon to raise money for Christian Aid and give people a chance to sing. It is from 7.00am - 7.00pm and people can join at anytime for as long as they want. Please see posters for more info.

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.

MASS INTENTIONS (and Donors) for January 2023

Sunday 1st January

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Francis D'Souza RIP
 (M D'Souza)
11.30 Cristina Sprigge
 Thanksgiving (D Sprigge)
5.30 Jenny Fairclough RIP
 (Srs Ursula & Margaret)

Monday 2nd

10. Helen Peters (H Peters)

Tuesday 3rd

10. John Richard Wright RIP
 (M Wright)

Wednesday 4th

10. Eddie Power (SVP) RIP
 (G Brand)

Thursday 5th

10. Vanessa Jade Fernandes
 RIP (D Fernandes)

Friday 6th

10. Reggie Coelho RIP
 (L Coelho)

Saturday 7th

10. Larry Patton RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Sunday 8th January

Sat. 6pm James & Betty
 Booth RIP (M Wright)
9.30 Thanksgiving for prayers
 answered (Anon)
11.30 Vittoria Raimondo RIP *
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 9th

10. Elizabeth Clark RIP *

Tuesday 10th

10. Angelo & Tina Piccirillo
 RIP (M Sharp)

Wednesday 11th

10. Mrs Duff RIP *

Thursday 12th

10. Helen
 Croston (G Brand)

Friday 13th

10. Peggy Wright RIP
 (M Wright)

Saturday 14th

10. Peggy Dickie RIP -
 Anniversary (A C Dickie)

* *Foundation Masses*

Sunday 15th January

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
 Michael Carroll RIP
 (S Carroll)
9.30 Antonio Almeida & Family
 RIP (I Almeida)
11.30 Janja Lovrić (M Jones)
5.30 Tony Lindsay RIP
 (F Marshall)

Monday 16th

10. Nicholas
 Peters RIP (H Peters)

Tuesday 17th

10. M Loftus RIP *

Wednesday 18th

10. Lorraine Butler Thanksgiving
 (Rowena & Brenda)

Thursday 19th

10. Mary Gibbons RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Friday 20th

10. Mr Thomas Murphy RIP
 (M Vanderpant)

Saturday 21st

10. Patrick Brownrigg RIP
 (M White)

Sunday 22nd January

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30. Mr Peter Raw RIP
 (A Griffin)
11.30 Rose McKenna
 Wellbeing (A & O Patton)
5.30 Kate Flood RIP -
 Anniversary (F Marshall)

Monday 23rd

10. Joseph
 Bastiampillai RIP (M Bastian)

Tuesday 24th

10. Special Intention
 (M Wright)

Wednesday 25th

10. Catherine Bastiampillai
 RIP (M Bastian)

Thursday 26th

10. Peter Holwill RIP
 (M White)

Friday 27th

10. Colin Brand's 90th Birthday
 (G Brand)

Saturday 28th

10. Kathleen O'Driscoll RIP
 (E Pellizzon)

Sick and Housebound: Holy Communion is taken to the Sick & Housebound weekly by our Extra-ordinary Ministers, and we remember them during Adoration. Our Clergy visit the Housebound during Advent and Lent, and at need, for the Sacraments of Confession and Anointing. Please tell the Parish Office of anyone who needs visiting by a Priest, or by SVP.

Camilo Alvares, Norah Anglim, Angela Balogun, Colin Benyon, Martin Bonner, Delma Bouvier, Geoff Brand, Elizabeth Brennan, Andrew Brown, Ernest Budden, Irene Butterworth, Edith Byrne, Ernie Chadwick, Chris Clark, Mary Colleoy, Michael & Nancy Connolly, Anne Convey, Eileen Cornwell, Brenda Corrie, Helen Croston, Helena Czerniewicz, Mariam Dankha, Rita Desa, Amanda C Dickie, Marie Fahy, Marie Ferguson, Gabriel Finnigan, Eileen Firth, Tony Fisher, Mary Fitzgerald, Kathleen Foale, Monica Ford, Antoinette Fowler, Angela Fursman, Margaret Gilder, Grace Gnanasakthy, Norrie Golden, Teresa Gordon, Joan Hale, Terry Harman, Ann Harvey, Sharon Holliman, David & Maureen Jacobs, Kathleen Jones, Eileen Kaye, Barbara Keane, Katherine Kozielski, Ethel Larkin, Margaret Leatherbarrow, Diane Levak, Lileath Lewis, Cindy-Ann Lim, Ann Linnane, Teresa Long, Alastair Lynn, Sylvia Lypka, Frank MacGuinness, Natalie McCloud, Joyce McGinn, Mary Malloy, Anne Manson, Peggy Marmion, Mary Metcalf, Dora Nash, Jacqueline Neveu, Stella Nichollas, Rita O'Connell, Vincent O'Connor, Sadie O'Donovan, Brian O'Gorman, Mary O'Sullivan, Isabella Oldknow, Maureen Oliver, Joseph Pataky, Tim Quane, Dolores Ramos, Atputhaseeli Rayappu, Ida Rebello, Catherine Reynolds, David Roberts, Andrew Rosemeyer, Liam Sammon, Carmala Sarvesaran, Winifred Sawyer, Hilda Scanlon, Philomena Sherliker, Diana & Gordon Simpson, Mike Stanley, Lilian Stephenson, Joan Stevens, Anne Sullivan, Nina Sutton, Robert Tolley, Tony Tucker, Geraldine Waterhouse, Siân Watkinson, Monica Whelton, Mary Wheeler, Josefina Wheeler, Margaret Wills, Colwyn Wittenbaker, Andrew Woods & Bernadette Yakubu.

January Anniversaries of Death

1st James Wilkinson, Lawrence Cuminskey, Charles Buckland, **2nd** Kathleen Eason, Ann Gonet, Eileen Sullivan, John Taylor, Peter Chesterman, **3rd** Louise Detourney, **4th** Bernard Roberts, Joshua King, Carole Otto, Agnes O'Brien, **5th** Oliver Warner, Ernest Palmer, James Lawton, **6th** Mercedes Nassell, Desmond Martin, Gloria Morano-Castillo, **7th** William Walter Molony, Violet Walters, **8th** Susan Booker, Pietro Lupo, **9th** Elizabeth Clarke, Henry Senaratne, Sir Charles Curran, John McLoughlin, Eileen Betts, Cyril D'Souza, **10th** Margarita (Rita) Henchy, **11th** John Backous, Laurence Coleman, Edith Black, Charles Eaton, **12th** Nicholas McCullum, Marjorie Mullins, Katherine Cank, **13th** Balbina Saiz, **14th** Arthur Somerford, Grace Pendlebury, Eileen Lawton, Peggy Dickie, John Curtis, **15th** Michael Carroll, Esther Fox, Dorothea Elizabeth Hodson, **16th** Olive Donegan, Patrick Brooks, Gustav George, Anna Iacomelli, **17th** Mary Leech, Bernard Foster, Denis Brick, **18th** Joan Burgermeister, Sarah Christine Taylor, **19th** Annie Durkin, Amadeo Brentovich, **20th** Mary Johan Dowds, Michael Shiel, Denis Mahoney, **21st** Gordon Duckett, Jean Greta Myers, Bridget Waters, Catherine McCartie, William Curtis, Joao Neves, **22nd** Cecilia Knott, Veronica Boniface, Yacoub Romaya, **23rd** James Norman, Gwendoline Don, Julia Sheil, **24th** Domenico Iacomelli, **25th** Eva Delannoy, Elizabeth Clarke, Ellen Collins, David Downes, **27th** Frank Rinaldi, Vincent Van Dort, Norah O'Sullivan **28th** Laura Snalune, Henry Wing Sik Lau, Mary O'Connell, **29th** Kathleen Madden, Eileen Gasson, **30th** John Healey, Neil (Sonny) McNelis, John Trapnell, Sheila McSweeney, Denis Francis Mahoney, **31st** Gemma Best, Douglas Dowds, Kathleen Cater, Jerzy Preiss, Marsha Saratne, Bersafoni Vanda Evans.

Please pray for **Margaret Hernan & Sharon McCormack**, who died recently, for their families,
 and for those whose anniversary occurs this month.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen