

St Joseph's Catholic Church



1 Montem Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3QW Sunday 20th July 2025 catholicnewmalden.org 020 8942 2602 Sixteenth Ordinary Sunday (C)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES (Sat.) 6.00pm Vigil Mass 9.30am Mass

11.30am

5.30pm Mass WEEKDAY MASSES Monday 21st 10am Mass Feria, or St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church

Solemn Mass

Tuesday 22nd10am MassSt Mary Magdalene(Feast) *

Wednesday 23rd 10am Mass St Bridget, Religious, Patron of Europe (*Feast*) *

Thursday 24th10am MassFeria, or St Sharbel Maklūf, Priest, orSt John Boste, Priest & Martyr

Friday 25th10am MassSt James, Apostle(Feast) *

Saturday 26th10am MassSt Joachim & Anne, Parents of the
Blessed Virgin Mary (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 Saturdays 10.30 - 11.30 & 5.15 - 5.45.

READINGS AT MASS Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 1 This Sun: Genesis 18:1-10; Colossians 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42 M. Exodus 14:5-18; Matthew 12:38-42 T. Cor 5:14-17; John 20:1-2,11-18 * W. Galatians 2:19-20; John 15:1-8 * T. Ex 19:1-2,9-11,16-20; Matt 13:10-17 F. 2 Cor 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28 * S. Exodus 24:3-8; Matthew 13:24-30 Next Sun: Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13 Seventeenth Ordinary Sunday (C)

ROTAS Team 3 today Sun 20th July Team 4 next Sunday 27th July

COLLECTIONS last weekend:Gift Aid Standing Orders£ 1,010+Gift Aid weekly envelopes£ 315+Cash £ 708+ Card£ 394Parish total£ 2,427STELLA MARIS£ 216.80

Today's Gospel, from Luke 10:38-42, recounts the very familiar story of Jesus visiting the home of Martha and Mary. In this passage, Martha is busy preparing and serving, while Mary is sitting at Jesus' feet, listening to his words. Jesus tells Martha that Mary has chosen the better part, highlighting the importance of prioritising



spiritual nourishment over worldly tasks. Martha has become a symbol of the active life, and Mary that of the contemplative life. For us Christians, the key lies in being able to combine these two - close union between action and contemplation can be achieved in very different ways, depending on the specific vocation each person is given by God. We must all thrive as much as possible to find a healthy and harmonious balance between the two in our daily lives.

MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm Christina Dourado RIP - 25th Anniversary; 9.30 Carmela Cangi RIP; 11.30 Fr Uche's Ordination Anniversary (23rd July); People of the Parish; 5.30 Manoel Leite da Silva RIP - Anniversary 15th July; Mon. 10. Pederzolli Family RIP; Tue. 10. Joemarie & Marlene Lamparero RIP; Wed. 10. Tom O'Donnell RIP; Thurs. 10. Special Intention; Fri. 10. Sylvia McGoldrick RIP; Sat. 10. Braz Joseph Desa RIP; Next Sun (Sat) 6pm Teresa Wright RIP; 9.30 Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP; 11.30 Socrates Anna Lobo RIP; 5.30 People of the Parish.

SHRINE LAMPS this **week. St Joseph:** For Max's Wellbeing **Our Lady**: Peggy Dickie RIP

St Therese / St John Fisher: Tan Family Intentions **Sacred Heart:** Amanda's 55th Faith Anniversary **St Pius X:** Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell



Thomas More / St Anthony: Protection for N O L & Peace for N K J

ARCHBISHOP JOHN WILSON

Our Archbishop was unable to celebrate his Silver Jubilee of Ordination publicly due to the Covid restrictions in place at the time. This year marks the 30th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood, and he is celebrating it with a Mass of Thanksgiving at St George's Cathedral on **Friday 25 July at 7pm**, followed by a Reception in Amigo Hall. Everyone is invited to attend!

We are having a retiring collection this weekend, as a token of our gratitude for Archbishop John's Ministry in our Archdiocese.

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

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A Life-Changing Opportunity

Do you desire to know Jesus more intimately? The Archbishop's Certificate (ArchCert) is a two-year online course for all in Southwark and beyond who wish to understand their faith in a more profound way and be able to share it with both confidence and joy. The course will commence on 18 October 2025 and the cost will be £400 per year. The full cost of the course, payable over 2 years is £800. In addition, registration must be completed in advance and there is a non-refundable registration fee of £50. Further details can be found here: <u>https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/</u> archcert - please contact the parish office if you are interested.

OUR FLOWER ARRANGERS'

TEAM is appealing for new members.

In general the flowers are done every Friday, or alternatively on a Saturday morning, except for the month of August, when most parish groups have a break. Please contact Agnes in the Parish Office, or Jo Mackintosh on 020 8942 5860 if you can help with this enjoyable ministry. We are



very grateful to our Flower Arrangers Team who always make our church look beautiful, and excel at times like Christmas and Easter. Thank you to them all - past & present!

SOW & GROW GROUP

Some SVP members have started

the SOW & GROW - a social gardening group meeting on a weekly basis. It aims to sow the seeds of friendship (& flowers) and watch them grow. Come along and enjoy caring for the St Joseph's presbytery garden whilst enjoying a cup of tea and a biscuit. All welcome, even if just for a cup of tea. For more details contact Maxine Whitmore on maxinewhitmore@aol.com.

Stories from Israel-Palestine

(at All Saints Church, Kingston)

Between January and April 2024 the Very Reverend Nicholas Papadopulos, Dean of Salisbury, spent three months' sabbatical leave volunteering in occupied East Jerusalem with the World Council of Churches' Ecumenical Accompaniment Programme in Palestine and Israel, which he describes as 'an overwhelming experience'. The sensitively handled talk will include these topics and more:

• What is daily life under occupation really like?

 $\cdot\,$ What are the implications for human rights and international law?

• What can be done to promote a just peace in Israel-Palestine? The talks are ticketed so a tally of numbers can be kept, but <u>totally free of charge</u>. A lot of bookings have already been received, so if you would like to attend please do ensure the booking is made early. The link for reserving free tickets is: <u>Stories from Israel-Palestine Talk at All Saints</u> <u>Kingston event tickets from TicketSource</u>

Catholic History Walks - London

(We'll be walking in cool places - under shady trees in London parks or by the river.)

Wednesday August 6th, meet 4.30pm, steps of Westminster Cathedral London SW1 (nearest tube: VICTORIA)

Thursday August 14th, meet 2.30pm Church of the Most Precious Blood, O'Meara Street London SE1 (nearest tube: LONDON BRIDGE).

Come and discover the rich history of our country, and celebrate the Faith that has shaped it . . .

No need to book, just turn up! Suggested donation £5. All welcome ...

SOUTHWARK DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

There are still a few places available on the pilgrimage, which Southwark makes to Lourdes from 22 to 29 August this year. For information and booking, please see <u>www.tangney-tours.com/diocese-pilgrimages/</u><u>diocese-ca/</u>. Further info is available from Bishop Paul paulhendricks@rcaos.org.uk or Canon Perera edwardperera@rcaos.org.uk.

FR UCHE would like to thank everyone for their cards, gifts and prayers on the occasion of his birthday last Sunday 13th July. You are all remembered in his prayers and at Mass.

MAKING A DONATION ONLINE

The best way to donate to St Joseph's online is by Bank Transfer (*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.