



St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 28th April 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (B)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 29th 10am Mass
St Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of the Church, Patron of Europe (*Feast*) *

Tuesday 30th 10am Mass
Easter Feria, or St Pius V, Pope
Day of Prayer for Survivors of Sexual Abuse

Wednesday 1st May 10am Mass
Easter Feria, or St Joseph the Worker *
Day of Prayer for God's Blessing on Human Work

Thursday 2nd 10am Mass
St Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (*Memorial*) *

Friday 3rd 10am Mass
SS Philip & James, Apostles (*Feast*) *

Saturday 4th 10am Mass
The English Martyrs (*Feast*) *

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 B; Weekdays cycle 2

This Sun: Acts 9:26-31;

1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8

M. 1 John 1-5 - 2:2; Matthew 11:25-30 *

T. Acts 14:19-28; John 14:27-31

W. Genesis 1:26 - 2:3; Colossians 3:14-15,17,23-24; Matt 13:54-58 *

T. 1 John 5:1-5; Matthew 10:22-25 *

F. 1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6-14 *

S. Acts 7:55-60; Matthew 10:17-20 *

Next Sun: Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48;

1 John 4:7-10; John 15:9-17

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (B)

ROTAS Team 4 this Sun 28th April;
Team 1 next Sun 5th May

COLLECTIONS

 last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,140

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 365

+Cash £ 614 + Card £ 418

Parish total £ 2,537

Priests' Training Fund 1,024.27

St George's Cathedral Second Collection 28th April

For over half a century, St George's Cathedral has been the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Southwark, home to 175 parishes and over 50,000 Roman Catholics. For many Catholics living and working across London and the South East of England, St George's has been a beacon of light.

Today, St George's Cathedral continues to attract thousands of worshippers and visitors each year, as well as serving a lively local parish community which proudly reflects the rich cultural and ethnic diversity of South London. The Cathedral frequently hosts important Diocesan and national celebrations, as well as concerts and events for various Catholic charities. There is a rich musical tradition, maintaining a choir of boys and men, as well as a girls' choir, both of which sing at Sunday Masses and on major feasts. In many respects, St George's Cathedral serves as a spiritual home and 'beehive' for Catholic evangelisation and mission across the Archdiocese of Southwark. St George's Cathedral is entirely reliant upon the generosity of its parishioners, volunteers and the Archdiocese of Southwark to keep its doors open. It does not receive Vatican or government funding, nor has an endowment to rely on. Your support can enable the Cathedral to remain open daily to those seeking a place of peace, prayer and worship. Thank you!

- Donate Online: www.rcaos.org.uk/Cathedral
- Or Scan QR Code using telephone camera (right)
- Telephone weekdays 9 am – 5 pm: 020 7960 2504
- Cash / Cheque – please use the St George's Cathedral envelopes at the back of church.



MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm Teresa Wright RIP; 9.30 Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP - Tina's Anniversary; 11.30 People of the Parish; Seiko Coccia Suzuki RIP; 5.30 Sarah Gourlay RIP; Mon. 10. Alexander & Muriel Hume RIP; Tue. 10. Mary Hunt RIP; Wed. 10. Edith Edwards RIP; Thurs. 10. Jennifer Brooks RIP; Fri. 10. John Richard Wright RIP; Sat. 10. Wellbeing of Margaret Punwani; Sun (Sat) *Please see back page.*

SHRINE LAMPS: St Joseph: Vella Family Intentions

St Therese / St John Fisher: Intentions of the Kidd Family

Our Lady: Wellbeing of Amanda C Dickie; Tan Family Intentions

Sacred Heart: Good Health for N O R ops; **St Pius X:** Intentions

Thomas More / St Anthony: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell

During this **YEAR OF PRAYER**, as designated by Pope Francis, the Bishops of England & Wales have made available on their website, the **OUR FATHER** in various languages - a great resource for our multicultural society. Visit this link and see if you can find yours:

www.cbcew.org.uk/our-father-multilingual.

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

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

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COMING UP IN OUR PARISH

PRAYING THE ROSARY - We invite parishioners to pray the rosary to Our Lady of Fatima outside in our Marian Garden. This takes place after the 10am Mass on the first Saturday of every month. We next meet on Saturday 4th May. Praying together strengthens our faith and it is a way of evangelising and being a witness to our faith.

THE UCM - Union of Catholic Mothers meet every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in St Joseph's Parish Hall. Their next meeting is Tuesday 14th May, when there will be a talk and demonstration about Flower Arranging. The talk is at 7.30pm followed by tea and cake and a raffle. Everybody welcome! If you are interested in joining, please speak to an existing member on the day. *Thank you!*

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME

This year's programme comes to a close as follows:

Wednesday 8th May	7-8pm	Rehearsal in Church for:
Saturday 11th May	12noon	FHC Mass III
Saturday 18th May	10-11am	Final Children's Session
Sunday 19th May	9.30am	FHC Going Forth Mass, followed by Breakfast in the Hall



CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME continues with:

Sunday 12th May	6.30pm	Programme session.
Sunday 19th May	5.30pm	Celebration Mass

Saturday 18th May 2-3.30pm - All children and young people welcome for games, activities and **Crowning of Our Lady**. (Anne D'Silva is seeking volunteers to help with creative activities for this event, like cutting etc - Mobile 07952 494120).

Southwark Archdiocese 2024 Life in the Spirit Seminars

Pope Francis has asked for the Life in the Spirit Seminars, which explore what it means to live your life in the power of the Holy Spirit, to be made widely available throughout the Church.



Why not come and find out for yourself why the Pope is so keen on them, by joining this year's diocesan Seminars - started on **St George's Feast Day, 23 April**.

Meetings in the New Malden Hub will be on Tuesday evening from 7.30pm for tea and coffee, joining the Live session from St George's Cathedral from 8pm.

- *Five Tuesday evening sessions: either in person (at St George's Cathedral or New Malden Hub) or online via Zoom. Remaining dates are: 30th April; 7th, 21st & 28th May.*
- *In-person Retreat Day at St George's Cathedral on Pentecost Saturday, 18 May, joining with participants from around the diocese*
- *Scripture-based reflections each day throughout the course*

For more information contact newmaldenple@rcaos.org.uk. Full details and to register for the seminar please go to bit.ly/LISS2024. Alternatively, simply come along to the first seminar on **Tuesday 23rd April from 7.30pm** at St Joseph's Parish Centre, 1 Montem Road New Malden KT3 3QW. All are welcome.

THE CHOSEN is an extremely popular TV series that brings Jesus and his time on earth to life in an authentic way.



Your prayer time will be changed by this experience.

Series one of **The Chosen** was shown in the Parish Hall over Lent, and following on from that, this Eastertide the Parish will show series 2 every Wednesday in the Large Conference Room in the Pastoral Centre starting the 24th April at 7pm. **If you have any questions please email NewMaldenParishTheChosen@rcaos.org.uk or contact Dcn John-Simon.**

OUR MARY GARDEN

is being restocked with plants for Spring.


If you would like to sponsor a plant for a loved one there is a form in the narthex for you to do so.

Only one plant per family. Please let us know the text you would like on the dedication label.

This will be on a first come first served basis but there will be other opportunities to sponsor a plant later in the year.



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.

DOMINIC WITHAM RIP

We are very sad to announce the passing of Dominic Witham on 30th March, after a long battle with cancer. Many of you will have known Dominic from when he was part of the 18+ group that Fr Frank O'Sullivan started up almost 40 years ago! In more recent years he was known by many of us for his diligence and efficiency in counting the takings from all our Advent and Lenten fayres. Latterly he lived in Ewell and the Easter Vigil Mass at St Joseph's in Epsom had been offered for his intention - he died that evening with the full blessings of the Resurrection. His funeral was last Friday 26th April in Hastings, where his family live. May his Soul rest in Eternal Peace.

NHS COVID SPRING CAMPAIGN VACCINATION CLINIC

St Joseph's is again hosting a Covid Spring Booster Clinic in our PC Hall during **for those over 75**. The clinic will be open every **Thursday from 9am - 12.30pm**, and will run as a drop-in clinic as well as by the usual appointment. We feel this will be of great benefit to our parishioners as well as to the wider community, so all those eligible are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity right on our doorstep.

THE ANNUAL MASS FOR LONDON MIGRANT WORKERS in honour of St Joseph the Worker is on Monday 6th May 2024 at St George's Cathedral, London SE1 6HR at 12.30pm. All are invited. Please come early. You are welcome to come in national dress if you would like to take part in the banner procession at 12.15pm. The Mass is hosted by the three London Catholic Diocese, supported by the Justice and Peace Commissions and Ethnic Chaplaincies, Caritas Brentwood and London Citizens UK, in celebration of all the people who live, work and contribute to life across our city.

HOW BEAUTY DRAWS US CLOSER TO GOD | Fr Patrick van der Vorst | 7 PM, Friday, 17th May 2024 | St Patrick's Church, Soho Square, London Fr. Patrick van der Vorst is a priest of the Archdiocese of Westminster, a former Director of Sotheby's Europe, and the founder of the evangelistic initiative www.Christian.Art. Fr. Patrick will explore how beauty elevates us to encounter the Divine, how the Church has historically sought to create art that facilitates this meeting, and how this can happen in our visually overstimulated world. The lecture will be followed by a Q&A followed by refreshments.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE - 23rd to 30th AUGUST 2024

Archbishop John warmly invites you to join him as he leads the Southwark Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage, from 23rd to 30th August 2024. Details can be found on the Archdiocesan website: rcaos.org.uk/search/pilgrimage. Experience the unique spirituality of Lourdes, along with others from parishes around our Archdiocese.

DIGNITAS INFINITA

THE VATICAN DECLARATION ON HUMAN DIGNITY

Dignitas Infinita explores the concept of human dignity from many angles, and comes firmly to the conclusion that it is neither a legal fiction nor a human intervention, but an intrinsic property of all human life from conception to death.

The Bishops' Conference of England and Wales welcomes this declaration on human dignity, and writes:

'In our troubled times, it is important for Christians to proclaim the inherent and unconditional dignity of all human beings, without exception, as being the basis of authentic human rights. Although human rights have increasingly been codified in secular documents, such as in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, our dignity and rights originate in the Gospel preached by Christ'.

It adds: 'It is our hope that recognition of this shared responsibility will strengthen the social action of the Catholic Church in England and Wales, and transform our civil and political life'.

You can read the full text of Dignitas Infinita at: www.vatican.va/roman_curia/dignitas-infinita_en.

At the back of church, there are also copies of Archbishop John's 'Pastoral Message on the Question of Assisted Suicide' - please take a copy home.

PRAYER & MASS INTENTIONS (and Donors) for May 2024

Sunday 5th May

Sat. 6pm Nancy Hannigan RIP (A Kelly)
9.30 Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP (D Fernandes)
11.30 Bellino Family RIP *
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 6th 10. Mr Reggie Coelho RIP (L Coelho)

Tuesday 7th

10. Tony Sheehan RIP (M Cunningham)

Wednesday 8th

10. James & Betty Booth RIP (M Wright)

Thursday 9th ASCENSION

10. Augustine Gnomeswaram RIP (J Bastian)
7pm. Available

Friday 10th 10. Mary & Laurence Burbridge RIP *

Saturday 11th

10. Savarimuthu Rayappu RIP (J Kanagasivam)

Sunday 12th May

Sat. 6pm Nancy Hannigan RIP (M Gourlay)
9.30 Anne Sandford RIP (P Edmunds)
11.30 Ryan Wrathall RIP & Shane Wrathall RIP (C Bullen)
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 13th 10. Peggy Wright RIP (M Wright)

Tuesday 14th

10. Ann Holland RIP (A Morrissey & Family)

Wednesday 15th

10. Pam Grace RIP (F Pochee)

Thursday 16th

10. Gerard Petit RIP *

Friday 17th 10. Laurence Patrick Burbridge RIP *

Saturday 18th

10. Chandra Webb RIP (SVP)

* Foundation Masses

Sunday 19th May

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Mr Leslie & Mrs Peggy Beard RIP (G Van de Wiel)
11.30 Nicholas Vella RIP (O & A Patton)
5.30 Noel Larkin RIP (C Lewis-Head)

Monday 20th

10. Clive Ward RIP (Sr Margaret)

Tuesday 21st

10. Gaetano Cangì RIP *

Wednesday 22nd

10. Mary Gibbons RIP (J Barton)

Thursday 23rd

10. Available

Friday 24th 10. Special Intention (M Wright)

Saturday 25th

10. Anne D'Silva (D & S Rosemeyer)

Sunday 26th May

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30. Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP (M Sharp)
11.30 Paul Bullen RIP & Carmelo Ortega RIP (C Bullen)
5.30 Madeleine Carey RIP (C Lewis-Head)

Monday 27th 10. Teresa Wright RIP (M Wright)

Tuesday 28th 10. Braz Joseph Desa RIP (Helen Watts)

Wednesday 29th 10. Margaret & Vic Brookes RIP *

Thursday 30th

10. Forthcoming Marriage of Janice & Anton (D Rosemeyer)

Friday 31st

10. Available

Saturday 1st June

10. All those who pray the Fatima Rosary on the 1st Saturday of the month (Anon)

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, Shirlene Amarasinghe, Norah Anglim, Angela Balogun, John Bedford, Colin Benyon, Delma Bouvier, Elizabeth Brennan, Andrew Brown, Ernest Budden, Elizabeth Buckland, Irene Butterworth, Edith Byrne, Ernie Chadwick, Chris Clark, Mary Colleoy, Michael & Nancy Connolly, Anne Convey, Helena Czerniewicz, Mariam Dankha, Tommy Dempsey, Rita Desa, Amanda C Dickie, Marie Fahy, Marie Ferguson, Gabriel Finnigan, Eileen Firth, Tony Fisher, Mary Fitzgerald, Kathleen Foale, Gregory Ford, Monica Ford, Antoinette Fowler, Angela Fursman, Margaret Gilder, Grace Gnanasakthy, Norrie Golden, Joan Hale, Terry Harman, Ann Harvey, 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, Peggy Marmion, Mary Metcalf, Dora Nash, Josephine O'Dea, Joseph Pataky, Tim Quane, Dolores Ramos, Atputhaseeli Rayappu, Ida Rebello, Marie Rebello, Catherine Reynolds, David Roberts, Andrew Rosemeyer, Liam Sammon, Carmala Sarvesvaran, Winifred Sawyer, Hilda Scanlon, Philomena Sherliker, Mike Stanley, Lilian Stephenson, Joan Stevens, Anne Sullivan, Nina Sutton, Robert Tolley, Anthony Vella, Geraldine Waterhouse, Siân Watkinson, Mary Wheeler, Josefina Wheeler, Monica Whelton, Margaret Wills, Andrew Woods and Bernadette Yakubu..

May Anniversaries of Death

1st Sheila Edgington, Violet Johnson, Edith Edwards, Teresa Nelson, **2nd** William Dorey, Kathleen Marshall, Anna Pederzoli, Daniel Hogan, Birgitta Nias, Alice Marie Quaye, **3rd** Michael Merron, Iain MacEwan, Eileen Edwards, Stephan Tamila, **4th** William O'Connell, Maureen McGloin, Michael Taylor, **5th** Rosina Bellino, Paul Taylor, **6th** Edward Solan, Gonzaga Joseph Vaz, Mary Hill, William Twigg, Maureen McVann, Susan Conroy, Geoffrey Brand, **8th** Aubrey Anderson, George Hayes, Gladys Maguire, Richard Stileman, **9th** Mary Staniland, Atilde Gardner, Rose Wainwright, **10th** Patrick O'Connell, Anne Sandford, **11th** Bridget Sheehan, Margaret Crawford, Rayappu Saverimuthu, **12th** Henry King, Ann Mullarkey, **13th** Kathleen Howard, Patrick Shiel, Anna-Maria D'Abrera, Kathleen Searle, Ellen Norman, Florrie Mannion, Maria Amparo Smith, **14th** Florence O'Sullivan, Ginette Emery, **15th** Alice Griffin, John Higgins, **16th** Myrtle Joy Rosemeyer, Carmel Doublet, Grace Roath, Elizabeth Mary Hackett, **17th** Maria Weyers, Marguerite Gray, William Jamie, Carmel Walsh, **18th** Matthew Delaney, Derek Joyce, Bob Bowpitt, Daphne Mary Wilkinson, **19th** Richard Jenkinson, George Harber, Vida Cichy, Michael Patton, **20th** Betty Ludlow, **21st** Patrick Gallagher, Jack Drumm, Robert Darling, Betty Stevens, Mary Gibbons, Barbara Ruiz-Fernandez, **23rd** David Fitzgibbon, Nora Long, Hugh Boyle, **24th** Mary Sharpe, Susan Hager, Robert McSweeney, **25th** Marie Akerman, John Day, **26th** James Lally, **27th** Maria Bordigoni, **28th** Margaret Joyce, Mary (May) Kirby, **29th** Henry Brooks, Daniel O'Brien, Chris Waters, **30th** John Kernaghan, Vincent Costanzo, Sheila Curtis, Eileen O'Rourke, **31st** Josephine Causer, Paul Henderson, William Jackson, Eric Weidmann

Please pray for **Dominic Witham RIP, who died on the 30th March**, Funeral 26th April in Hastings, for all those who passed away 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