



St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 29th January 2023

Fourth Ordinary Sunday (A)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 30th 10am Mass
Feria

Tuesday 31st 10am Mass
St John Bosco, Priest (Memorial) *

Wednesday 1st Feb 10am Mass
Feria

Thursday 2nd 10am Mass
The Presentation of the Lord -
Candlemas (Feast) *

Friday 3rd 10am Mass
St Laurence of Canterbury, Bishop
(Memorial) *
(St Blaise, Bishop & Martyr, Blessing
of throats)

Saturday 4th 10am Mass
Feria, or St Henry Morse, Priest &
Martyr, or The Blessed Virgin Mary

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 A; Weekdays cycle 1
This Sun: Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13;
1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 5:1-12
M. Hebrews 11:32-40; Mark 5:1-20
T. Philippians 4:4-9; Matthew 18:1-5 *
W. Hebrews 12:4-7,11-15; Mark 6:1-6
T. Malachi 3:1-4; Luke 2:22-40 *
F. Exodus 32:7-14; Matthew 9:35-37 *
S. Heb 13:15-17,20-21; Mark 6:30-34
Next Sun: Isaiah 58:7-10;
1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Matthew 5:13-16
Fifth Ordinary Sunday (A)

ROTAS Team 1 today 29th Jan (5th Sun)
Team 2 next Sun 5th February

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders	£ 1,108
+Gift Aid weekly envelopes	£ 236
+Cash £ 645	+ Card £ 306
Parish total	£ 2,295

Next Sunday is

RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY

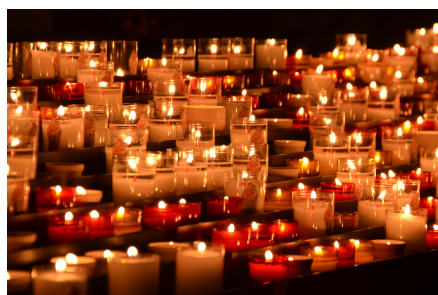


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THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - *Candlemas*

Every year, on the 2nd February we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, also known as Candlemas, as the blessing of candles normally takes place as part of the liturgy. This feast occurs 40 days after the birth of Jesus, and in some Catholic countries - including in our parish - the Crib and some Christmas decorations are kept on display until this day.

Mary and Joseph took the infant Jesus to the Temple to be presented to the Lord, according to the law: *Every first-born male must be consecrated to the Lord*, and also according to the law, offered in sacrifice two turtle doves or young pigeons.

In the Temple there were Simeon and Anna - two elderly, devout and upright people dedicated to prayer and fasting. Their strong committed spirit made it possible for them both to recognise the baby Jesus as the Messiah. On seeing Jesus, Simeon, to whom the Holy Spirit had revealed that he would not die before he had set eyes on the Christ, uttered a beautiful prayer which is now known as the *Nunc Dimittis*, and is still widely used liturgically in the Catholic and other Christian churches:

*'Now, Master, you can let your servant go in peace, just as you promised;
because my eyes have seen the salvation
which you have prepared for all the nations to see,
a light to enlighten the pagans and the glory of your people Israel.'*

What Simeon and Anna prophesied gave Mary and Joseph much to ponder on - their future as the parents of Jesus did not promise to be easy or straightforward, but they accepted it all with faith and put their trust in God as they had always done. With God's help, may we always aspire to entrust our lives in His hands, as we face life's challenges and tribulations.'

MASS INTENTIONS & DONORS This Week: Sun (Sat) Michael Daly RIP (M Gilder); 9.30 Thanksgiving for exam results - Jorja Marshall (F Marshall); 11.30 Kevin Sullivan RIP (M Sampson); 5.30 People of the Parish; Mon. 10. Thomas D'Silva RIP; Emily D'Silva; Fr Gerald Abuachi's Birthday (A D'Silva); Tue. 10. Liam Moroney RIP (S Morrissey); Wed. 10. Thanksgiving for David Roberts (Brenda & Rowena); Thurs. 10. Andre Manche RIP (C & A Young); Fri. 10. Mariamma Philip RIP - 25th Anniversary (Maria); Sat. 10. Kevin Greenway RIP (A D'Silva); Next Sun (Sat) 6pm People of the Parish; 9.30 Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP (D Fernnades); 11.30 Thanksgiving for Fr Uche (M Sampson); 5.30 Thanksgiving for Marshall Family (F Marshall).

SHRINE LAMPS: St Joseph: Nicholas Vella Wellbeing

St Therese / St John Fisher: For all our Catechists

Our Lady: Harold, Aldona & Wilfred Warrington; Billy Emirze

Sacred Heart: Dominic HY Wong; **St Pius X:** Thanksgiving for our Clergy

St Thomas More / St Anthony: Anthony Muscat RIP

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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Sacramental Programmes in our Parish

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2023 continues as follows:

Wednesday 1st February - 8pm	Parents' Information Meeting
Saturday 4 th February - 9.45am	Children's programme
Sunday 5 th February - 9.30am Mass	FHC children's participation in Mass

CONFIRMATION 2023 starts with the following sessions:

Sunday 29 th January - 6.45pm	Confirmation Parents' Introductory Meeting
Sunday 5 th February - 6.30pm	Candidates' session
Sunday 12 th February - 6.30pm	Candidates' session
Sunday 26 th February - 5.30pm	Confirmation Enrolment Mass
Sunday 26 th February - 6.30pm	Candidates' session
Tuesday 28 th February - 8pm	Zoom Parents Session

UCM FEBRUARY 2023 - The UCM February meeting will be on the first Tuesday of the month, 7th February, rather than on the second Tuesday, starting at the usual time of 7.30pm. Sr Margaret will be speaking about 'The Foundation and Charism of the Sisters of the Holy Cross'.

CATHOLICS GROUPS - St Joseph's is considering forming a parish group for young Catholics, aged 18-30, to pray, socialise, and grow in faith together. If you are interested in being involved, please contact the parish office. This is an exciting opportunity to meet other young Catholics and be a part of the parish community!

WARM WELCOMES

Our Hall is open every Friday from 11am until 3pm until the end of March, for refreshments, soup and company!

Please email: NewMaldenParishWarmWelcomes@rcaos.org.uk if you can volunteer for an hour or so, or come along for a chat and some warm refreshments!

APPEAL - NIGERIAN CHILDREN'S EDUCATION SPONSORSHIP

- Reminder for those who are sponsoring children on this programme and have not yet given in the sponsorship money for the next year, to please contact Agnes to check the correct amount due, and for any other information or updates. **NB.** Some people are not now in a position to continue with their sponsorship, so there are some students at risk having to leave their school. If anyone is able to take on one or 2 students please let Agnes know.

THE EPISCOPAL ORDINATION OF BISHOP-ELECT PHILIP MOGER

- 21st February 2023. The Episcopal Ordination of the Bishop-Elect will take place in St George's Cathedral on Tuesday 21st February at 12.30 pm. We ask that those attending are seated by midday. For those unable to attend in person, it will be possible to join the service via live-stream: <https://bit.ly/EpiscopalOrdination23>. *All are welcome. Refreshments will be available after the service.*

MUSICAL EVENING in support of Kingston

Friends of LIFE at St Raphael's Church Hall, Surbiton KT1 2NA, this Saturday 4th February at 7pm, with refreshments from 6.30pm. Featuring Michael Bevan on the piano, with music from Schumann, Beethoven, Rachmaninoff and more. Free Admission with Retiring Collection for LIFE charity.

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. For more information and to register, please contact Shirley on 07763 990489 or shirleykennett1@gmail.com. Entrance is free.

SMALL CATHOLIC

FAMILY needs urgent medium to long-term accommodation. Please call or email the parish office if you, or someone you know, can help.

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)

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

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RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY is next Sunday 5th February 2023

At the Inaugural RJS Mass in 2022, Archbishop John Wilson stated strongly that there was no place for Racism in the Catholic Church, and encouraged all to '...broaden our hearts to love and minds to understand and to recognise that in the cultures of others, in the languages and traditions of others, there is something enormously enriching for the whole of the world.'

This year on Racial Justice Sunday, Churches Together in Britain and Ireland encourage us to remember Stephen Lawrence. The 30th anniversary of the racist killing of the black teenager in Eltham will fall on 22nd April 2023, In life he aspired to be an architect, but his legacy has seen him become an architect for justice, equality, dignity and unity.

All are invited to the **Racial Justice Sunday Mass at St George's Cathedral**, which will take place at 10 am on Sunday 5th February 2023 and will be celebrated by Archbishop John Wilson. The Mass will also be live-streamed via the RC Southwark YouTube account: <https://bit.ly/RJS2023>.

Those attending Mass in person are encouraged to wear cultural dress and are asked to be seated by 9.45 am for a prompt start at 10 am in St George's Cathedral.

FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND present THE LONDON WELSH VOICE CHOIR - a Charity Concert in support of Christians in The Holy Land. Guest soloists - THE PRIESTS. 7.30pm, Thursday 16th February 2023 at Westminster Cathedral, Victoria Street, London SW1P 1LT. Tickets, costing £20, £30, £40 or £60, can be bought through Eventbrite, by searching: LWMVC Concert at Westminster Cathedral, or by calling the office. More info at www.friendsoftheholylnd.org.uk/westminster-concert2023.

RENEWED IN HOPE - a Retreat for Lent 2023, introduced by Archbishop John Wilson, led by members of the Spirituality Commission.

The Archdiocese of Southwark is offering a retreat experience for individuals and parishes during Lent 2023. Drawing on the Mass readings for the Sundays of Lent, Renewed in Hope will help us find fresh ways of living and working in hope, in the company of Jesus. We live in a divided world, where many are struggling to survive. Through his life, death and resurrection, the suffering and risen Christ continues to make all things new. The retreat is designed for individuals and for parish groups, and is based on a weekly video accompanied by suggested exercises for prayer and reflection. These resources will be available in advance, so that the videos can be viewed at any convenient time and the video summary and reflection questions downloaded and printed as needed. Parish groups may choose to watch the video together within a weekly group. For more details see <https://www.southwarkdsc.org.uk/renewedbyhope> and to register follow this link: <http://eepurl.com/hVT7Dv>.

MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE EVENTS AT SOUTHWARK DIOCESE

MARRIAGE WEEK - This annual event takes place from February 7-14. If you are fortunate enough to be in a marriage you should look after it – and there are several ways of doing just that: visit <https://marriage-week.org.uk/>

BUILDING A BETTER MARRIAGE - How to get the marriage you want out of the marriage you have. This Saturday morning online course on February 18 is aimed at couples with average-to-good marriages who would like to improve their relationship further and gain insights into their communication and the call of the Church to the married. There is no personal sharing between couples. For details email Carole on mflkent@rcaos.org.uk or phone 07983 524 727.

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 March 24-26; cost £230 single, £210 shared. For more details phone 01622 717272 or email reception@thefriars.org.uk

GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER - Sycamore is an online course exploring our Catholic faith and suitable for individuals and couples alike. It runs throughout Lent, with weekly one-hour sessions on Tuesday evenings from 8-9pm starting on February 28. For more details or to register, visit the website: Growing in Faith Together — Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis (rcaos.org.uk)

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE - Have you suffered a divorce or separation? If so, there is a residential weekend to help you heal being held from April 21-23 at the Sion Community, Brentwood, Essex. For more details, ring Freda on 01322 838415 or email besouthofengland@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS (and Donors) for February 2023

Sunday 5th February

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Vanessa Jade Fernandes
 RIP (D Fernandes)
11.30 Thanksgiving for
 Fr Uche (M Sampson)
5.30 Thanksgiving for
 Marshall Family (F Marshall)

Monday 6th

10. Reggie Coelho RIP
 (L Coelho)

Tuesday 7th

10. Hugh Hunt Snr RIP *

Wednesday 8th

10. Edward McCarthy RIP
 (M McCarthy)

Thursday 9th

10. Frederick Dance RIP *

Friday 10th

10. Jean Phillips RIP
 (H & F Phillips)

Saturday 11th

10. Luigi Cangi RIP *

* Foundation Masses

Sunday 12th February

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Joyce Wai RIP (G Tong)
11.30 Bridget Barnes RIP *
5.30 Anastasia Harrington
 wellbeing (F Marshall)

Monday 13th

10. Manoel Leite Da Silva RIP
 (E Bray)

Tuesday 14th

10. Patrick Dixon RIP
 Requiem Mass

Wednesday 15th

10. Sharon McCormack RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Thursday 16th

10. Bridgette Bastiampillai
 (M Bastian)

Friday 17th

10. John Richard Wright RIP
 (M Wright)

Saturday 18th

10. Philip McDermott RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Sunday 19th February

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Tony Sheehan RIP
 (M Cunningham)
11.30 Robert Sprigge RIP
 (D Sprigge)
5.30 The Burbridge Family RIP *

Monday 20th

10. Ken Dourado RIP
 Requiem Mass

Tuesday 21st

10. Canon Colm Acton RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Wed 22nd - ASH WEDNESDAY

10. Special Intention
 (M Wright)
7pm Kitty O'Mahoney RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Thursday 23rd

10. Lina Cangi RIP *

Friday 24th

10. Cyril D'Souza RIP *

Saturday 25th

10. Alan Hannigan RIP
 (A & O Patton)

Sunday 26th February

Sat. 6pm Marie Nyunt RIP
 (P Nyunt)
9.30. Angelo & Tina Piccirillo
 RIP (M Sharp)
11.30 Mary Redford RIP *
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 27th

10. Teresa Wright RIP
 (M Wright)

Tuesday 28th

10. In Thanksgiving (Anon)

Wednesday 1st March

10. James Barnes RIP *

Thursday 2nd

10. Giorgio Cangi RIP *

Friday 3rd

10. Michael Coleman RIP
 (R & J Bratt)

Saturday 4th

10. Catherine Josephine Ann
 Brown RIP *

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 Sarvesvaran, Winifred Sawyer, Hilda Scanlon, Philomena Sherliker, Diana & Gordon Simpson, Mike Stanley, Lilian Stephenson, Joan Stevens, Anne Sullivan, Nina Sutton, Robert Tolley, Geraldine Waterhouse, Siân Watkinson, Monica Whelton, Mary Wheeler, Josefina Wheeler, Margaret Wills, Colwyn Wittenbaker, Andrew Woods & Bernadette Yakubu.

February Anniversaries of Death

1st George Easton, Thomas D'Silva, Marette Marsden, John Vella, Elaine Eeuwens, Bernadette McGowan, **2nd** Mervyn Greenslade, Elizabeth McCrone, Joseph Drapper, Elpidio Aromin, Paul Dourado, **3rd** Kevin Collins, **4th** Thomas O'Sullivan, Ethel Worsfold, Pasquelina Diliato, William Cooper, Ernest Cornwell, **5th** Eileen O'Callaghan, Johanna Dixon, Thomas Ludlow, Frances Kumar, **6th** John Bone, Constance Lydia Norton, **7th** Nellie Day, **8th** Elizabeth Crewe, Frank Westby, Patricia Williams, Suzanne Beech, **9th** Carole Vaz, Richard Gerald Quinn, Alez Butros Jorjis, Maria Grimsey, **10th** James Allen, John Byrne, Anthony McInerney, **11th** Terence Craig, Peter Stevens, Dorothy Burns, Margaret Mackenzie, **12th** Julia Lea, Gertrude Deedsman, Michael Seddon, **13th** John Curley, Dorothy Dymore, Helen Gigg, Teresa Newman, Emily Jakob, Terry Phipps, **14th** Eileen Morris, Patrick Maguire, **15th** Kathleen Willson, Ellen Sheridan, Ivor Brooks, Antony Smith, **16th** Rev. Patrick McCarthy, Rose Stevens, Thomas Deane, Mary Berkley, **17th** Mildred Tucker, Antonietta Verazzo, Carmel Roche, **18th** Peter Yates, John Flainey, Paul Dourado, **19th** Robert Gavin Sprigge, Chiarina Champion, Raymond Brand, **20th** Anthony Ashenden, **21st** Emma Loades, Wilfred Roberts, **22nd** Diana Mary Rabstein, Anne Benkert, **23rd** Etienne Vandaele, Anastasia Aspell, Irene Murphy, Gerald Turner, Hilda Chandler, Nellie Egbudo, Diana Elizabeth Guillen, Fr Michael Clifton, **25th** Frederick Jenkins, Edith Peel, Thomas Barnes, Philomena Hutt, Pawlo Lypka, Greta Blackwell, Barbara Davies, Agnieszka Sieminska, Patricia Mason, **26th** Sarah Vinson, **27th** Mary Crewe, Edward Foley, Charles Hayes, Jericho Pelagio, **28th** James Cunningham, Olive McKay, James Durkin.

Please pray for **Patrick Dixon - Funeral on the 14th February, & Ken Dourado - Funeral on the 20th February, both here at 10am**, 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