

St Joseph's Catholic Church



1 Montem Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3QW Sunday 30th January 2022 catholicnewmalden.org 020 8942 2602 Fourth Ordinary Sunday (C)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

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

Tuesday 1st Feb 10am Mass Feria

Wednesday 2nd 10am Mass THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - Candlemas (Feast) *

Thursday 3rd 10am Mass St Laurence of Canterbury, Bishop (*Mem*), or St Blaise, Bishop & Martyr

Friday 4th 10am Mass Feria, or St Henry Morse, Pr & Martyr Saturday 5th 10am Mass

St Agatha, Virgin & Martyr (Memorial) '

OTHER SERVICES

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays from 10am Mass, all day, until 9pm.

CONFESSIONS

Thursday 6.30 - 7.30pm; Saturdays 10.30 - 11.30 & 5.15 - 5.45.

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year C; Weekdays cycle 2
This Sun: Jeremiah 1:4-5,17-19;
1 Corinthians 12:31 - 13:13; Lk 4:21-30
M. Philippians 4:4-9; Matthew 18:1-5 *
T. 2 Samuel 18:9-10,14,24-25,30, 19:3; Mark 5:21-43

W. Malachi 3:1-4; Luke 2:22-40 *

T. Exodus 32:7-14; Matthew 9:35-37

F. Ecclesiasticus 47:2-13; Mk 6:14-29

S. 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Luke 9:23-26 *

Next Sun: Isaiah 6:1-8;

1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

Fifth Ordinary Sunday (C)

ROTAS Team 1 today Sun 30th Jan (5th Sun); Team 1 next Sun 6th Feb

COLLECTIONSlast weekend:Gift Aid Standing Orders£ 1,226+Gift Aid weekly envelopes£ 218+Cash £ 248+ Card£ 253

Parish total £ 1,945 Deacon Allan Macdonald £ 263.05

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - Candlemas

This Wednesday 2nd February 2022 is 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,



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the Crib and other 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) 6pm John Richard Wright RIP (M Wright); 9.30 Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP (M Sharp); 11.30 People of the Parish; 5.30 Fr Michael Ashworth RIP (M O'Riordan); Mon. 10. Ann Goddard nee Butters RIP (G Brand); Tue. 10. Denis Jelezko RIP (F Marshall); Wed. 10. Jarlath Mellett RIP (Holy Cross Sisters); Thurs. 10. John Richard Wright RIP (M Wright); Fri. 10. Attracta Filmer (K Williams); Sat. 10. Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP (D Fernandes); Next Sun (on page 3).

SHRINE LAMPS this week: St Joseph: Safe return of Fr Uche
St Therese / St John Fisher: In Thanksgiving for Fr Jude Ogbuanu
Sacred Heart: Christmas Crib; Our Lady: Ng Family Thanksgiving

St Pius X: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell

Thomas More / St Anthony: Wellbeing of Angela Fursman

Sung Vespers for Candlemas - 8.30pm Thursday 3rd February, leading into Benediction

LIVE STREAMED MASSES FROM ST JOSEPH'S are the 10am Mass from Monday - Saturday, and the Sunday 11.30am Mass. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCETxMGsRd]1GdpsZmaxlFGQ

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

PARISH NEWS

GOODBYE FR JUDE AND WELCOME BACK FR UCHE!

Fr Jude's stay with us comes to an end when he returns to Nigeria next week - that means his last Masses with us will be next Monday 7th February. I'm sure everyone agrees with me that it's been a real pleasure and blessing to have him with us these past few weeks. We thank him for his ministry among us and pray for his safe return home. Fr Jude, on his part, would like to pass on his sincere appreciation to all for the support and prayers shown to him during his stay.

We thank God that Fr Uche has had his well-earned break and we pray for his safe return. May God bless them both.

Collection for Deacon Allan Macdonald's Ordination Gift

Many of you will know or will have met Deacon Allan by now - last summer he had the opportunity to deacon and preach for us at several Masses. He is currently on a year placement, but throughout his previous years of study at the Seminary, the Presbytery has been his home during holidays etc. Deacon Allan will be ordained to the Sacred Priesthood this Summer, God willing, and we, as his home parish, are starting a collection between now and Lent, in order to buy him a fitting gift for this very special occasion. Please help yourself to an envelope from the back of church for this purpose.

MARY ANNE SHEEHAN RIP - Mary's funeral is this Wednesday 2nd February 2022 at 1pm at Our Lady Immaculate Catholic Church, 401 Ewell Rd, Tolworth, KT6 7DG. Click on this link for more info: https://lodge.afuneralnotice.com/n/9f0047aa. Mary served as housekeeper at St Joseph's for many years in Fr Frank's time as Parish Priest. We offer up prayers for the repose of her soul and our condolences go to her family and friends.

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

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Those who applied will be contacted in the near future with a timetable and information letter. Please look out for an email.

CONFIRMATION 2022 - The first session for the Confirmandi will be next Sunday 6th February at 7-8.45pm, in the Hall.

ST JOSEPH'S BOOKSHOP - Our Bookshop has now re-opened after every weekend Mass. Occasionally it can also be opened by appointment after a weekday 10am Mass.

MUSIC LESSONS AT ST JOSEPH'S! Learn piano, singing or violin with our Parish Director of Music, Mr Peter Morrell. Lesson slots available from January 2022 - all ages and abilities welcome. peter@soundfoundationsmusic.co.uk - 07895161518 - www.soundfoundationsmusic.co.uk

Guitarists Trummer keyboard Singers • You are welcome to join the Praise and Worship Group at the 5.30pm Sunday Mass. Email Anne D'Silva at annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk for more.

MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE - Growing in Faith Together 'GIFT' is a course for engaged and married couples. Explore faith, enrich your friendship & love. Four weekly online sessions at: 8pm on Tuesday evenings, starting January 18th 2022; or 10.30am Saturday mornings, starting February 19th 2022. To register go to ace.rcaos.org.uk/together.

DIOCESAN VACANCIES - There are vacancies for a Parish Secretary at Mortlake, a Youth Minister for the Bromley Deanery, an Office Administrator for Safeguarding and a Caretaker for the Cathedral site. More details can be found on the Diocesan Website: Work with Southwark: Archdiocese of Southwark (rcsouthwark.co.uk)

RETIREMENT FLATS - There are two one-bedroom retirement flats for sale, in very close proximity to St Joseph's Church - a first floor flat and a third floor flat with a lift for use by residents. The Development Manager is on duty during office hours - outside of those hours a Careline is available. If you are interested, please call the Parish Office on 020 8942 2602 / 07488 241753 for more information.

MAKING A DONATION ONLINE

Please access our new donation page here, from our website or this QR Code

When you donate you will be given an option to add a note, so please state there what the donation

is for, eg. church donation, Mass Intention, Christmas Offering etc.

You can also donate by Bank Transfer if you prefer - Bank Details here (NB. The details may come up as RCAOS or Southwark - these options are also correct)

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

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St Joseph's Catholic Church, New Malden Account Number: 79143857

Bank Sort Code: 60 - 50 - 01

Sunday 6th February

Sat. 6pm Helen Lane RIP (M O'Riordan)
9.30 Peggy Beard RIP (A Brown)
11.30 Hugh Hunt Sr RIP *
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 7th

10. James & Betty Booth RIP (M Wright)

Tuesday 8th

10. Edward & Jennie McCarthy RIP (M McCarthy)

Wednesday 9th

10. Frederick Dance RIP *

Thursday 10th

10. Connolly Family (A & O Patton)

Friday 11th

10. Luigi Cangi RIP *

Saturday 12th

10. Bridget Barnes RIP *

* Foundation Masses

Sunday 13th February

Sat. 6pm Peggy Wright RIP (M Wright) 9.30 Joyce Wai RIP (G Tong) 11.30 People of the Parish 5.30 Helen Lane RIP (C Lewis-Head)

Monday 14th

10. Rowena & Brenda (A & O Patton)

Tuesday 15th

10. Bridgette Bastiampillai RIP (M Bastian)

Wednesday 16th

10. Maria Francisca Fernandes RIP (F Sheppard)

Thursday 17th

10. Bill & Margaret Wills (A & O Patton)

Friday 18th

10. Michael Keigher (A & O Patton)

Saturday 19th 10.

The Burbridge Family RIP *

Sunday 20th February

Sat. 6pm Jenifer Preston (K Williams)

9.30 People of the Parish11.30 Robert Sprigge RIP

(D Sprigge)

5.30 In Thanksgiving for Prayers & Pray-ers (M Cruickshank)

Monday 21st

10. Frank Dobson RIP (A D'Silva)

Tuesday 22nd

10. In Thanksgiving (B Vethanayagam)

Wednesday 23rd

10. Lina Cangi RIP *

Thursday 24th

10. Cyril D'Souza RIP *

Friday 25th

10. Special Intention (M Wright)

Saturday 26th

10. Mary Redford RIP *

Sunday 27th February

Sat. 6pm Teresa Wright RIP (M Wright)

9.30. Angelo & Tina Piccirillo

RIP (M Sharp)
11.30 Matthew Cruickshank

RIP (T Elliott)
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 28th 10. Ned Cullen RIP (M O'Riordan)

Tuesday 1st March

10. James Barnes RIP *

Wednesday 2nd ASH WEDNESDAY

10. Frank Dobson RIP (A Vella)8pm. Giorgio Cangi RIP *

Thursday 3rd 10. John Richard Wright RIP (M Wright)

Friday 4th 10. Catherine Josephine Ann Brown RIP

Saturday 5th

10. Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP (D Fernandes)

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, Cyril Bastiampillai, Colin Benyon, Gillian Berry, Martin Bonner, Delma Bouvier, Geoff Brand, Elizabeth Brennan, Andrew Brown, Ernest Budden, Irene Butterworth, Edith Byrne, Chris Clark, Mary Colleoy, Michael & Nancy Connolly, Anne Convey, Eileen Cornwell, Brenda Corrie, Helen Croston, Helena Czerniewicz, Rita Desa, Amanda C Dickie, Mariam Dinka, Francis Doyle, Marie Fahy, Marie Ferguson, Gabriel Finnigan, Eileen Firth, Tony Fisher, Mary Fitzgerald, Kathleen Foale, Monica Ford, Wendy Ford, Antoinette Fowler, Angela Fursman, Grace Gananasakthy, Norrie Golden, Teresa Gordon, Joan Hale, Terry Harman, Ann Harvey, David & Maureen Jacobs, Kathleen Jones, Eileen Kaye, Barbara Keane, Katherine Kozielski, Ethel Larkin, Margaret Leatherbarrow, Diane Levak, Cindy-Ann Lim, Ann Linnane, Alastair Lynn, Sylvia Lypka, Frank MacGuiness, Natalie McCloud, Joyce McGinn, Mary Malloy, Anne Manson, Margaret Moore, Joe Murphy, 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, Tim Quane, 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, Maria Tomacka, Geraldine Waterhouse, Siân Watkinson, Monica Whelton, Mary Wheeler, Josefina Wheeler, Bill & Margaret Wills, Colwyn Wittinbaker, 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 Dilieto, 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 **Frank Dobson**, who died on the 19th December 2021, for **Mary Sheehan**, who also died recently, for their families, and for those whose anniversary occurs this month.