

St Joseph's Catholic Church, New Malden

Sunday 30th July 2023

Website: catholicnewmalden.org

Sunday Readings Year A

AUGUST BUMPER BULLETIN 2023

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Weekday Readings Cycle 1

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

(Sat.) 6.00p Vigil Mass

9.30am Mass

11.30am Solemn Mass

5.30pm Mass

SUN 30th July - 17th Ord Sun

Rota - Team 3 (5th Sun)

Monday 31st 10am Mass

St Ignatius of Loyola, Pr (Memorial) *

Tuesday 1st Aug 10am Mass

St Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop &
Doctor of the Church (Memorial) *

Wednesday 2nd 10am Mass

Feria or St Eusebius of Vercelli, Bp,
or St Peter Julian Eynard, Priest

Thursday 3rd 10am Mass

Feria

Friday 4th 10am Mass

St John Vianney, Priest, Patron of
Parish Priests (Memorial) *

Saturday 5th 10am Mass

Feria, or The Dedication of the
Basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore, or
The BV Mary

SUN 6th August THE

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE

LORD (Feast) * Rota - Team 1

Monday 7th 10am Mass

Feria, or St Sixtus II, Pope, &
Companions, M, or St Cajetan, Priest

Tuesday 8th 10am Mass

St Dominic, Priest (Memorial) *

Wednesday 9th 10am Mass

St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross,
V & M, Patron of Europe (Feast) *

Thursday 10th 10am Mass

St Lawrence, Deacon & M (Feast) *

Friday 11th 10am Mass

St Clare, Virgin (Memorial) *

Saturday 12th 10am Mass

Feria, or St Jane Frances de Chantal,
Religious or The Blessed Virgin Mary

SUN 13th Aug - 19th Ord Sun

Rota - Team 2

Monday 14th 10am Mass

St Maximilian Mary Kolbe, Priest &
Martyr (Memorial) *

Tuesday 15th 10am & 7pm Mass

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

NB. Holy Day of Obligation

Wednesday 16th 10am Mass

Feria, or St Stephen of Hungary

Thursday 17th 10am Mass

Feria

Friday 18th 10am Mass

Feria

Saturday 19th 10am Mass

Feria, or St John Eudes, Priest, or
The Blessed Virgin Mary



FR UCHE would like to thank all parishioners for their

continued support. We in turn are very grateful

for Fr Uche's and Deacon John-Simon's dedicated

ministry. The Musicians, Flower Arrangers and other groups take a well-earned rest during August. The parish thanks them all for their faithful service. We also thank our Sacristy team, Welcomers and Church Cleaners for their ongoing hard work and perseverance, not forgetting our Catechists, Live-streamers, IT Support and all other volunteers. Have a wonderful Summer break. God Bless.

DURING AUGUST, when many parishioners are away and the Parish Office is closed, it would be a kindness and a thoughtful gesture towards your Parish Priest to keep enquiries limited to urgent matters. Please wait for when the office re-opens in September for anything else. Many thanks for your co-operation.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK BEGINNING 30th July: Sun. (Sat)

6pm Wellbeing of the Connolly, Kidd & Fahy Families, **9.30** Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP; **11.30** Braz Joseph Desa RIP; **5.30** People of the Parish; **Mon. 10.** Christine Grace RIP; **Tue. 10.** Martin Fitzpatrick RIP; **Wed. 10.** Joan Kennedy RIP; **Thurs. 10.** John Richard Wright RIP **Fri. 10.** Alexander Hume RIP; **Sat. 10.** Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP. (cont on page 4).

SHRINE LAMPS for the Month of August :

St Joseph: Tan Family Special Intention; **St Pius X:** Andy Jones' Wellbeing

St Therese/St John Fisher: Wellbeing of Joe, Nicholas & Anthony Vella

Our Lady: Thanksgiving for son's job offer; Wellbeing of Margaret Gilder

Sacred Heart: The Hill Family Intentions; Thanksgiving for son's job offer

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

During this holiday month we keep in our prayers all those in our parish who may be suffering from illness, be it physical or emotional, or who may be dealing with any other difficulties in life.

SUN 20th Aug - 20th Ord Sun

Rota - Team 3

Monday 21st 10am Mass

St Pius X, Pope (Memorial) *

Tuesday 22nd 10am Mass

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin
Mary (Memorial) *

Wednesday 23rd 10am Mass

Feria, or St Rose of Lima, Virgin,
or SS John Wall & John Kemble, Priests
& Martyrs

Thursday 24th 10am Mass

St Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast) *

Friday 25th 10am Mass

Feria, or St Louis, or St Joseph of
Calasanz, Priest

Saturday 26th 10am Mass

Feria, or Blessed Dominic of the
Mother of God, Priest, or The Blessed
Virgin Mary

SUN 27th Aug - 21st Ord Sun

Rota - Team 4

Monday 28th 10am Mass

St Augustine, Bishop & Doctor of the
Church (Memorial) *

Tuesday 29th 10am Mass

The Passion of St John the Baptist
(Memorial) *

Wednesday 30th 10am Mass

SS Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line &
Margaret Ward, Martyrs (Memorial) *

Thursday 31st 10am Mass

Feria, or St Aidan & the Saints of
Lindisfarne

Friday 1st Sept 10am Mass

Feria, or St Edmund Arrowsmith,
Priest & Martyr

(World Day of Prayer for the
Care of Creation)

Saturday 2nd 10am Mass

The Blessed Virgin Mary



Rosary

Mon- Saturday
after the
10am Mass
(except Thurs)

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays
after the 10am
Mass, all day,
until 8pm

Confessions

Thursdays
6.30 - 7.30pm;
Saturdays
10.30 - 11.30 &
5.15 - 5.45

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The PARISH OFFICE is now closed for the Summer holidays and will re-open the first week of September 2023

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SACRAMENTAL UPDATE



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Info and Application Forms for next year's course will be available after the Summer Holidays.

CONFIRMATION - This year's programme continues after the Summer Holidays as per the existing timetable, concluding with the Confirmation Mass on Saturday 7th October 2023.

RCIA - THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC? or just exploring what Catholics believe, and how we live? We run an *Evangelium* course in Autumn, which is for adults who have not been Baptised, for Christians of other denominations who want to be Received into the Roman Catholic Church, for Catholics who have not been Confirmed, or want to deepen their understanding of the Catholic Faith. Please email the parish office if you are interested to join the next course, due to start in October 2023.

LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES FROM ST JOSEPH'S

continues with the the Sunday 11.30am Mass.

Youtube Link here: <https://www.youtube.com/c/StJosephNewMalden>

PRAYING THE ROSARY We invite parishioners to pray the rosary to Our Lady of Fatima outside in our Marian Garden. This will take place after the 10am Mass on the first Saturday of the month. We next meet this Saturday 5th August, and next on Saturday 2nd September. Praying together strengthens our faith and it is a way of evangelising and being a witness to our faith.

FRIENDS OF ACUTIS YOUTH GROUP - Reminder: Saturday 2nd September - Friends of Acutis Youth Group trip to Westminster Youth retreat centre for 'WYD at home'. Details have been emailed, please complete and return permission slips to Anne D'Silva.

POST 9-30 MASS REFRESHMENTS will be back on Sunday 10th September. Pop in to the hall after Mass for a cuppa and a chat. Huge thanks to everyone who has helped over the year and to everyone showing their support. If you feel you can help please turn up on the 10th and make yourselves known to the current leaders.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP is open to children who would be in Nursery to Y2 in September. If you are interested in enrolling your child for Liturgy Group for September, please could you register using this link to a google form: <https://forms.gle/ZXfTWWKtzfZvfq8F9>. We are still looking for new parents to help run this group so please consider it, especially if your child / children is attending.

SILVER YOUTH CLUB is usually every Monday, **12noon - 2pm** in St Joseph's PC Hall. For more information and to register, please contact Shirley on 07763 990489 or shirleykennett1@gmail.com. Entrance is free. NB. This Monday 31st July is the last session for the Summer, returning on 11th September.

GENTLE REMINDER - When you drive to church, please remember to park responsibly and considerately, making sure you do not park across anybody's driveway - including the one leading to the Presbytery.

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.

THE ASSUMPTION - Tuesday 15th August 2023

The **Feast of the Assumption of Mary** is a very important day in our Catholic faith - it is even called the 'Easter of the summer' in some parts of Europe. Also known as the 'Dormition of the Virgin Mary', it is the principal feast of the Blessed Virgin, the mother of Jesus Christ.

This feast commemorates two events - the departure of Mary from this life and the assumption of her body into heaven. The Church's official doctrine of the Assumption says that at the end of her life on earth Mary was assumed, body and soul, into heaven.

Some mistakenly say Mary "ascended" into heaven, which is incorrect according to the Bible. It was Jesus Christ who ascended into heaven, by his own power. But Mary was assumed or taken up into heaven by God.

Observed as a holy day of obligation by Catholics and as a public holiday in some countries, the Feast of the Assumption is considered as Holy Mary's "heavenly birthday" and this is not a day of mourning for her loss, but a celebration of joy for the union of the mother with her beloved son.

As this is a religious holiday, the Assumption is most commonly celebrated by attending Mass, where the subject of the sermon is usually the Virgin Mary.

In many Catholic countries, there are also outdoor festivities including bands and fireworks.



*'The Assumption', Dingli, Malta
Photo by Agnes Vella*

World Youth Day - 1 - 6 August 2023

World Youth Day (WYD) is the gathering of young people from all over the world with the Pope. It is also a pilgrimage, a celebration of youth, an expression of the universal Church and an intense moment of evangelisation for the youth world. Although its Catholic identity is clearly evident, WYD opens its doors to everyone, no matter how close to or distant from the Church they are. This year, WYD will take place on 1-6 August in Lisbon, Portugal. We pray for those attending from our parish, that they may have a wonderful, joyful and holy experience, and we ask them to remember us in their prayers there.

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 October 6-8; cost £230 single, £210 shared. For more details or to book, email reception@thefriars.org.uk, or phone 01622 717272.

Run the Royal Parks Half Marathon in aid of The Passage - Sunday 8th October 2023

This stunning autumnal route showcases the iconic sites of London through four Royal Parks – Hyde Park, Kensington Gardens, St James's Park and Green Park.

Run past some of the capital's most historic landmarks, including Buckingham Palace, Horse Guards Parade and the Royal Albert Hall. Although undulating in parts, the course is not hilly and is great for both experienced and first-time half marathon runners. Registration fee: £20; Fundraising goal: £300

From our Diocesan Safeguarding Office

Reporting abuse

If you are concerned about the welfare of a child or adult at risk, do not delay in contacting the police, using 999 if a child or adult is believed to be in immediate danger.

It is the policy of the Catholic Church in England and Wales to report all allegations of abuse to statutory authorities, regardless of whether the abuse occurred recently or in the past, or whether the accused person is living or deceased.

If you are in any role within the Catholic Church in England and Wales, you must refer allegations directly to the safeguarding office for your diocese or religious congregation, or directly to the Police.

If you are a member of the public, please refer allegations directly to the police and also to the safeguarding office in your diocese. You can contact the Archdiocese of Southwark Safeguarding Office by phoning 020 7261 1606 or email: safeguardingoffice@rcaos.org.uk.

PRAYER & MASS INTENTIONS (and Donors) for August 2023

Sunday 6th August

Sat. 6pm Anton Jeyaseelan RIP
(M Bastian)
9.30 Reggie Coelho RIP
(T Coelho)
11.30 Dr Esha Sarvesvaran RIP
(C Sarvesvaran))
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 7th

10. Ruby Anniversary
Thanksgiving (A & F Vella)

Tuesday 8th

10. Angelo & Tina Piccirillo RIP
(M Sharp)

Wednesday 9th

10. James & Betty Booth RIP
(M Wright)

Thursday 10th

10. Cristina Sewell RIP
(M Peters)

Friday 11th

10. Colwyn Wittenbaker RIP
(C & A Manning)

Saturday 12th

10. Carmen & Allan Couto RIP
(M Mendes)

** Foundation Masses*

Sunday 13th August

Sat. 6pm Peggy Wright RIP
(M Wright)
9.30 Jose Joao RIP (S Pereira)
11.30 Colwyn Wittenbaker RIP
(J & E Lawson)
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 14th

10. Deceased Ancestors &
Relatives of the Alvares Family
(A D'Silva)

Tuesday 15th

10. Ezinne Catherine Okenyeka
RIP (A D'Silva)
7pm. In Thanksgiving for the
Maurin Family (A Vella)

Wednesday 16th

10. Wellbeing of Anthony Henry
(M Peters)

Thursday 17th

10. Colwyn Wittenbaker RIP
(A & O Patton)

Friday 18th

10. Carmel Vella RIP
(A & O Patton)

Saturday 19th

10. Rose Maher RIP
(A D'Silva)

Sunday 20th August

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Emily Grey
(F Marshall)
11.30 Jorge Murga Diaz RIP
(C Dalmeida)
5.30 Colwyn Wittenbaker RIP
(Holy Cross Sisters)

Monday 21st

10. John Clow RIP
(L Butler)

Tuesday 22nd

10. Vanessa Jade Fernandes
RIP (D Fernandes)

Wednesday 23rd

10. Geoff Brand RIP
(A Vella)

Thursday 24th

10. Special Intention
(M Wright)

Friday 25th

10. Colwyn Wittenbaker RIP
(Butler Family)

Saturday 26th **10.** Colwyn
Wittenbaker RIP (A Vella)

Sunday 27th August

Sat. 6pm Teresa Wright RIP
(M Wright)
9.30. Jose Joao RIP (S Pereira)
11.30 Josephine (Jo) Keenan RIP *
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 28th

10. Margaret Peter RIP
(Holy Cross Sisters)

Tuesday 29th

10. In Thanksgiving from the
Vella Families (A Vella)

Wednesday 30th **10.** Charity
McGrane RIP *

Thursday 31st **10.** Ann Lambe
RIP (A M Lambe)

Friday 1st September

10. Alfonso Zannino RIP *

Saturday 2nd

10. John Woods RIP *

Sunday 3rd September

Sat. 6pm John Richard Wright
RIP (M Wright)
9.30. Filomena Jesus Pinto RIP
11.30 John O'Hara RIP
(A & O Patton)
5.30 People of the Parish

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, Elizabeth Brennan, Andrew Brown, Ernest Budden, Elizabeth Buckland, Irene Butterworth, Edith Byrne, Ernie Chadwick, Chris Clark, Mary Colleoy, Michael & Nancy Connolly, Anne Convey, Brenda Corrie, 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, 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, Anne Manson, Peggy Marmion, Mary Metcalf, Dora Nash, Jacqueline 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, Mike Stanley, Lilian Stephenson, Joan Stevens, Anne Sullivan, Nina Sutton, Robert Tolley, Geraldine Waterhouse, Siân Watkinson, Monica Whelton, Mary Wheeler, Josefina Wheeler, Margaret Wills, Andrew Woods & Bernadette Yakubu.

August Anniversaries of Death

1st James Higgins, Mary Devlin, **2nd** Charles Hill, **3rd** Violet Kew, Raymond Thuilliez, Sarah Goldie, Eileen Holt, **4th** Isobel Elizabeth Stone, William Heffernan, Tony Jakob, Leopoldo Cura, **5th** Katherina Willis, **6th** Alan James Kirby, James Patrick Maher, **8th** Patrick Higgins, Ciara Lucy Mitchell, Pawla Vella, **9th** Douglas Johnson, Rose Brooks, **10th** Roy Ramsay, **11th** Alan Ford, Michael O'Sullivan, Mary Wijesinghe, **12th** Mary Lambe, **13th** William Thompson, Thomas O'Malley, **14th** George Charles Petit, Cornelius Anthony Crowley, John Tilley, Henry James Conroy, **15th** Lily Blackshaw, (Mary) Madeleine Fears, Ann Kendrick, Kathleen Orchard, **16th** Michael Murphy, Mary Mason, **17th** Hugh Cullen, Phyllis Mary Street, Marie Lilian Jordan, Julian Skinner, **18th** Lodewyk van der Burg, **19th** Edgar Jahn, Dorothy Dean Burnett, William Bertram Lane, Eileen Clark, Thomas Moore, **20th** Rose Dibbern, **21st** Carmen Smith, John Sidney Clow, **23rd** Williamina Lydia Debono, **24th** Martha Ayers, Dr James O'Riordan, Myrtle Scott, **25th** Vittorio Miszczanyn, **27th** William Patrick Barry, Mary Ellen Turner, Mary McFadden, **28th** Emma Theresa Gibson, **29th** Cornelius Francis Keane, Dennis Arnold, John Flaherty, **30th** Ellen Murray, Frank Lillie, Marie Gertrude Moore, Veronica Lapham, Patrick Scanlon, **31st** Christina Craig.

Please pray for **Baby Rory Corkery RIP**, who died on 30th June 2023 & **Colwyn Wittenbaker**, who also died recently, for their family and friends, 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