



St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 3rd March 2024

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT (B)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 4th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St Casimir)

Tuesday 5th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria

Wednesday 6th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria

Thursday 7th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (SS Perpetual & Felicity)

Friday 8th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St John of God, Rel)

Saturday 9th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St Frances of Rome, Rel)

OTHER SERVICES

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: Exodus 20:1-17;

1 Corinthians 1:22-25; John 2:13-25

M. 2 Kings 5:1-15; Luke 4:24-30

T. Daniel 3:25,34-43; Matt 18:21-35

W. Deut 4:1,5-9; Matthew 5:17-19

T. Jeremiah 7:23-28; Luke 11:14-23

F. Hosea 14:2-10; Mark 12:28-34

S. Hosea 5:15 - 6:6; Luke 18:9-14

Next Sun: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23;
Ephesians 2:4-10; John 3:14-21

Fourth Sunday of Lent (B)

ROTAS Team 1 today Sun 3rd March
Team 2 next Sun 10th March

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,100

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 279

+Cash £ 790 + Card £ 348

Parish total £ 2,517

Lenten Charities £324.98

(current total £633.65)

Clergy Support Fund - total £624.40

**All Second Collections during
Lent are for our two chosen
Lenten Charities.**

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

The readings at Mass today are rather powerful. The First Reading from Exodus quotes God himself giving the Ten Commandments to Moses on Mount Sinai - it's very clear what is expected - or not expected - of us if we are to follow God's Law.

In today's short Second Reading, Paul tells the Corinthians that although to a non-believer it sounds totally contradictory to preach a crucified Christ, those who have been called know that in His suffering lies true power and wisdom; in His weakness, true strength.

In the excerpt from John's Gospel today, we see Jesus' reaction in the well-known episode when, during one of His visits to Jerusalem, he knocks over the tables of those selling and money-changing in the Temple, accusing them of disrespecting His Father's House. In answer to a challenge from the Jews, He made a reference to his death and subsequent Resurrection, saying: 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up', a statement his disciples recalled after the Resurrection, making them believe the scripture.

In our Parish this Lent we are raising funds for our two chosen charities:

BAYTREE CENTRE & The BICHERATANGA COMMUNITY in Yendi Diocese (in the Northern region of Ghana) - details in previous bulletins and on our website. Our fund-raising includes:

- All second collections throughout Lent
- **Friday Lenten Soups - started last Friday 23rd February (see posters & flyers).** [MORE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE](#)
- A collection by the First Holy Communion children
- Any other potential fund-raising activities by other parish groups (please inform the parish office of your ideas)

Stations of the Cross: Every Friday of Lent at 10.30am & 7.30pm

LENTEN COURSES in our PARISH - see overleaf for details.

MASS INTENTIONS & DONORS This Week: **Sun (Sat) 6pm** John Richard Wright RIP (*M Wright*); **9.30** Paulos Patto RIP (*Anon*); **11.30** Stanislaw Angieiczuk RIP (*A Lobo*); **5.30** People of the Parish; **Mon. 10.** Catherine Josephine Ann Brown RIP (*FM*); **Tue. 10.** Vanessa Jade Fernandes RIP (*D Fernandes*); **Wed. 10.** Petrucio Vieira Dos Santos RIP (*M Dos Santos*); **Thurs. 10.** Mr Reggie Coelho RIP (*L Coelho*); **Fri. 10.** James & Betty Booth RIP (*M Wright*); **Sat. 10.** Jenny Brooks RIP (*A & O Patton*); **Next Sun** (please see back page).

SHRINE LAMPS this week: **St Joseph:** Improved good health for N O R
St Therese / St John Fisher: Intentions of Vella & Damato Families
Our Lady: Healing for Lisa; Wellbeing of a good friend
Sacred Heart: Sarah's Health; **St Pius X:** Tan Family Intentions
Thomas More / St Anthony: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell

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

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The PARISH OFFICE is closed and will re-open from 10am-1pm on Monday 19th February 2024.

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Details of LENTEN COURSES in our PARISH

"The Chosen" is an extremely popular TV drama series that brings Jesus and his time on earth to life in an authentic and factual way. Your prayer time will be changed by this experience.

This Lent the Parish will show series 1 of "The Chosen" - 8 sessions - each Wednesday in the Pastoral Centre, starting 21st February at 7pm. Please email NewMaldenParishTheChosen@rcaos.org.uk or contact Deacon John-Simon or Joel Punwani if you have any questions.

The 'Dare to Say Our Father' 5 week course uses a booklet produced by the Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis and will be run in our parish this Lent. There is a choice of days: every Thursday evening at 8pm from 22nd February - 21st March in the Hall; repeated every Friday morning after Stations of the Cross from 23rd February - 22nd March in St John Paul II room upstairs. See poster in the narthex.

CONFIRMATION 2024 continues with these sessions for this term:
Sat 16th March - Confessions at 2pm; Stations of the Cross at 3pm - Church

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024 - next sessions:

Parents' Information Evening	Wednesday 13th March	8-8.45pm - Church
Children's session	Saturday 16th March	9.45-11.30am



MORE in our PARISH this LENT

Faith Formation at St Joseph's - Lent 2024

1. Would you like to **grow** in your **Catholic faith** and understanding?
2. Would you like to **know God better**?
3. Would you like to know what St Josephs has to offer and how to be more involved?
4. Would you like to understand more about:

The Eucharist
The Mass
The Bible
The Lord's Prayer
Catechism of the Catholic Church
Or any other related issues.

We are planning to hold an open day - date tbc - where you can find more information about the above topics and what's happening in St Joseph's parish.

Come and See. For more information or if you'd like to discuss further please contact the parish office. We are happy to hear from you and welcome all.

FRIENDS OF ACUTIS next meet this Friday 8th March at 7pm.

They will then be going on a Trip to Wintershall to walk the Stations of the Cross on Saturday 23rd March. Please complete emailed Google form for parental permission as soon as possible. Thank you.

DEVELOP THE ROSARY prayer this Lent with the St Joseph's Parish zoom rosary every Sunday at 9pm:

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84423497207pwd=M2Ivc2FkaklTbGM5OVVqaStTeDJRdz09>
Meeting ID: 844 2349 7207. Passcode: 888834

ARE YOU CREATIVE? Anne D'Silva is seeking to form a team of creative crafters to help with the Crowning of our Lady event here at St Joseph's on Saturday 18th May from 2-3.30pm for the children and youth of our Parish. Items such as stole making, head garlands and other crafty ideas will be explored. All resources will be provided and a planning meeting will be set up before the event.

Please contact Anne D'Silva at annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk or 07952494120 or see Anne after 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.

CATHEDRAL MASS CELEBRATING MARRIAGE

If you are celebrating your 1st/10th/25th/40th/50th/60th or any later wedding anniversary this year, you are invited to renew your marriage vows at a Mass to be celebrated at St George's Cathedral, Southwark, at 3pm on July 13. Close family members can attend with you. In order to receive a personal invitation from Archbishop John, email to mflsw@rcaos.org.uk the following details: your full names, address, phone number, anniversary being celebrated and parish. The deadline for applying is May 31.

MAKING A NEW START - Beginning Experience is a residential weekend programme for widowed, separated and divorced people which helps participants with natural feelings of grief and loss. The weekend is led by trained volunteers who have experienced having to adjust to life as single people again. The next programme will be on April 12-14. For details phone 020 8647 4760 or email besouthofengland@gmail.com.



Young Adult Events

St George's Cathedral hosts a monthly Young Adult Mass at 6:00 pm on the first Sunday of every month, followed by a social gathering (for those aged 18+).

There are also weekly events and socials on Thursday evenings. Details can be found on the [RCAOS website](#), Facebook, and Instagram @stgeorgesya.

RICHARD CHALLONER SCHOOL

The **Southwark Catholic Youth Service** is holding a Youth Day at Richard Challoner School on **Saturday 9th March from 11am - 5pm** - guest speaker Fr Samuel Burke OP.

This is for young people aged 10-14 and costs £5 per person/£8 per family (if you have any issues with cost please email youth@rcaos.org.uk directly). Lunch and dinner is included and the day will provide Catechesis, Eucharistic Adoration, Confessions, as well as Football and Crafts. For more info please visit southwark-catholic-youth-service or scan the QR code on the poster in the narthex.

Community Events at Richard Challoner

Local pensioners are invited to a **Community Afternoon Tea and Entertainment** from 2 to 4pm on **Thursday 14th March** at the School.

The school Hospitality and Catering students will be preparing the food, and there will be entertainment provided by their Music and Drama students.

If you would like to attend please complete this Google Form by Wednesday 6th March. forms.gle/F9twf5XaYAJNo17U7 - the number of guests will be limited to 50 people in total and the school are unfortunately unable to offer transport to the event.

Richard Challoner School is also delighted to invite all Families associated with the Parish to their **St Patrick's Day party on Friday the 15th of March** at the school. It is a fantastic family event suitable for all ages. The posters on the church's screens and notice-boards have a QR code that takes you directly to the ticket portal. You can also obtain tickets by clicking this link: richard-challoner-school-pta.sumupstore.com/

THE NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST

JOSEPH will take place from 10th – 18th March 2024 at St Joseph's Church in Maidenhead. Every year, the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the Feast of St Joseph, their Society Patron, with a special Novena of Masses and prayers to ask for God's blessing on their Society's missionary outreach, and for the intentions of all those who support their work. If you are able and wish to attend, Masses are at 10am every day of the Novena except Sunday, when Mass is at 11am. These Masses will be available to follow on Zoom, via the Mill Hill website: www.millhillmissionaries.com/novena. Also available on You are welcome to send your petitions and/or to request a Novena prayer booklet. Please email novenamhm@gmail.com or write to the Novena Director at 6 Colby Gardens, Maidenhead, SL6 7GZ.

CARITAS SOUTHWARK - This March, we celebrate the first anniversary of Caritas Southwark. To mark the occasion, Archbishop John will celebrate Mass at St George's Cathedral on **Saturday 16 March at 12.30pm**. There will also be an event in Amigo Hall afterwards, where you can hear about some of the wonderful projects happening in our parishes.

PRAYER & MASS INTENTIONS (and Donors) for March 2024

Sunday 10th March

Sat. 6pm Teresa Riordan
RIP (UCM)
9.30 Marianna Ignatius
RIP (I Ignatius)
11.30 Mrs M Maharaj RIP
(S Maharaj)
5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 11th

10. Colin Docketty RIP
(M Augustin)

Tuesday 12th

10. Frederick Dance RIP *

Wednesday 13th

10. Peggy Wright RIP
(M Wright)

Thursday 14th

10. Wellbeing of Roberts
Family (D Rosemeyer)

Friday 15th 10. Fr

Hadfield RIP (A D'Silva)

Saturday 16th 10. Peter &
Bridget McElhinney RIP
(A & O Patton)

Sunday 17th March

Sat. 6pm People of the Parish
9.30 Agatha Mansoor RIP
(Anon)
11.30 Mrs M Maharaj RIP
(S Maharaj)
5.30 Mary Ann Bastiampillai
RIP (J Bastian)

Monday 18th

10. Giuseppe Zannino RIP *

Tuesday 19th

10. R & G Simmonds RIP *

Wednesday 20th

10. Mary Fitzpatrick RIP
(M Harrison)

Thursday 21st 10. Alfonso &
Diana Guillen RIP *

Friday 22nd

10. Manuel & Josephine
Bastiampillai RIP (J Bastian)

Saturday 23rd

10. Rose Johnson RIP &
Felicia Ayogu RIP (A D'Silva)

* Foundation Masses

Sunday 24th March

PALM SUNDAY

Sat. 6pm Special Intention
(M Wright)

9.30 David Gibbons RIP
(J Barton)

11.30 In Thanksgiving (Anon)

5.30 People of the Parish

Monday 25th 10. Wellbeing of
UCM Members (UCM)

Tuesday 26th 10. Simon Travers
RIP (S Morrissey)

Wed 27th SPY WEDNESDAY

NB. 9.30. Teresa Wright RIP
(M Wright)

Thur 28th MAUNDY THURSDAY

8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
Robert Sprigge RIP (D Sprigge)

Friday 29th GOOD FRIDAY

**3pm Liturgy of the Lord's
Passion**

Sat 30th HOLY SATURDAY

**NB. No 10am Mass on
Holy Saturday**

Sunday 31st March

EASTER SUNDAY

Saturday 8pm

Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

Carmel & Nicholas Vella RIP &
Intentions of the Vella Family

9.30. Michael John Taylor RIP
(L Taylor)

11.30 People of the Parish

NB. No 5.30 Mass on

Easter Sunday

Monday 1st April

10. Margaret Clow RIP
(L Butler)

Tuesday 2nd

10. Michael & Nancy Connolly
(D Rosemeyer)

Wednesday 3rd

10. John Richard Wright RIP
(M Wright)

Thursday 4th 10. Caetaninho
Reggie Coelho RIP *

Friday 5th 10. Vanessa Jade
Fernandes RIP (D Fernandes)

Sat 6th 10. Thanksgiving for
Anne's Birthday (A & M D'Silva)

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.

March

1st Andrew Bellino, Ernest Franklin Davies, Fr David Hutton, **2nd** Manuel Joseph Vaz, **3rd** Baby Matus Jackulic, Tom Mason, **4th** Rita Harty, Thomas Flood, **5th** Patrick Sheehan, Lady Sylvia Curran, **6th** Catherine Borg, Lena Connolly, Thomas Jeffery, Anne Elizabeth Fearon, **7th** Anne Hannon, John Mellon, Pamela Baker, Vincent Benjamin, **8th** Giuseppe Cirillo, **9th** Catherine Moore, Ursula McElhone, Mary Honora Connolly, Ellen McNally, **10th** Martha Doley, Doreen Unsworth, Helena Randall, Maxwell Corby, James Carew, Doris Burns, Angela Humphrey, **11th** Rebecca Breach, Henry James, **12th** Richard McKenner, Mary Vandaele, Marie Clarke, Leslie Beard, Mariamma Ignatius, **13th** Mary Elizabeth Meacher, Kathleen (Katie) Jaffa, Inga Mehrkens (Bender), **14th** Wilfred John Norton, **15th** Regina Venturino, **16th** Narciso Broccardo, Peter Francis Folan, Sheila (Peggy) Burnett, Mary Waggot, **17th** Elizabeth Morris, Ellen Hayes, **18th** Jaqueline Eugenie Rolo, Yvonne Anne McGuire, **19th** Mary Fox, Sylvia Winter, Rosetta Dupree, Brian Rispoli, **20th** Eugene Christopher Sullivan, John Friel Quin, Marjorie Griffiths, Eric Oldknow, Maria Tomacka, **21st** Patricia Denne, Frances De Constanzo, Alfonso Guillen, **22nd** Dirce Ribolla, Christine Browne, **23rd** Gladys Theresa Vivian, Cecilia Perkins, Patrick Stokes, **24th** Catherine O'Callaghan, Kate Eleanor Burton, Betty Evelyn Smith, David Gibbons, **25th** Edward Clifford, Lilian Bursens, Sylvester Thompson, Mary (Pat) Maxwell, **26th** Diana Baty, **27th** Daniel Sullivan, Angel Ojanguren, Ralph Dixon, Betty Booth, Veronika Ormsby, **28th** Mary Waterston, Evelyn Hurley, Sylvester Njoku, Carmel Vella, **29th** Irene Weilman, Patrick Harrigan, Martha Gallagher, Margaret Mapleton, **30th** Timothy Moynihan, Mary Alexandra Hunt.

Please pray for those whose anniversary occurs this month, and for their families and friends.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen