



St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 7th April 2019

Fifth Sunday of Lent (C)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 8th 7 & 10am Mass
Lenten Feria
Tuesday 9th 7 & 10am Mass
Lenten Feria
Wednesday 10th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria
Thursday 11th 7 & 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr)
Friday 12th 7 & 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (Day of Prayer for Survivors of Sexual Abuse)
Saturday 13th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St Martin I, Pope & M)

OTHER SERVICES

Rosary: Monday- Saturday after the 10am Mass (except Thurs)
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 1

This Sun: Isaiah 43:16-21;

Philippians 3:8-14; John 8:1-11

M. Dan 13:1-9,15-62; John 8:12-20

T. Numbers 21:4-9; John 8:21-30

W. Dan 3:14-20,24-25,28; Jn 8:31-42

Th. Genesis 17:3-9; John 8:51-59

F. Jeremiah 20:10-13; John 10:31-42

S. Ezekiel 37:21-28; John 11:45-56

Next Sun: Proc: Luke 19:28-40

Mass: Isaiah 50:4-7;

Philippians 2:6-11; Luke 22:14 - 23:56

PALM SUNDAY (Year C)

ROTAS Team 1 today 7th April;

Team 2 next Sun 14th April

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,211

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 429

+Cash £599 = **Parish total** £ 2,239

Lenten Charities £236.15

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays 10.30am & 8pm

Lenten Lunch in the Hall

Fridays 12noon - 1.30pm

Fifth Sunday of Lent - the start of PASSIONTIDE

From this weekend, all crucifixes, shrines & pictures are veiled. These last two weeks of Lent are a time of immediate preparation for the Sacred Triduum and these veils are a forceful visual aid to help us get ready. The unveiling before the Easter Vigil is a great reminder of our own life on earth. We live in a "veiled" world, in exile from our true home. It is only through our own death that the veil is lifted and we are finally able to see the real beauty of everything in our lives.



PALM SUNDAY & HOLY WEEK ROTA - Extra-ordinary Ministers and Lectors are needed for these extra services. Please sign up on the rota if you can help.

YOUTH CLUB - Extra (last) session for this term - this Sunday 7th April.

UCM - Meeting this Tuesday April 9th, starts at 7.30 pm with our UCM Prayers & business, after which Maureen Sampson has kindly agreed to tell us about her life as a District Court Judge. We will also have a Bring and Buy Sale. All welcome.

HELP URGENTLY NEEDED FOR WELCOMING at 9.30am MASS ON EASTER SUNDAY - Very many thanks to all those who have already offered their help to welcome/collect/steward at the Easter services. We are still short of people to do this at the 9.30 Mass on Easter Sunday, which is always extremely popular. If you could help in some way please email Katharine Cook at philipcook1@waitrose.com (or give your name plus phone or email to a welcomer). Thank you!

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK: Sun (Sat) 6pm Honorine Adele Newman RIP - 50th Anniv of her death, 9.30 People of the Parish, 11.30 Prof Philip McNair RIP, 5.30 Naomi Duggan RIP; Mon. 7. Maria Savidies RIP, 10. Betty Booth RIP; Tue. 7. Tom Paterson's Wellbeing, 10. Joseph Braiden RIP; Wed. 10. Helen Kehoe; Thurs. 7. Thomas Dey RIP & the Dey Family, 10. R Coelho RIP; Fri. 7. Prof Martin Gore RIP, 10. Thanksgiving; Sat. 10. Martin Long; Next Sun (Sat) 6pm Peggy Wright RIP, 9.30 Narciso de Paula Sr RIP, 11.30 Mrs M Maharaj RIP, 5.30 People of the Parish.

SHRINE LAMPS are suspended during these 2 weeks of Passiontide because of the veiling. They will resume on Holy Saturday.

MOTHERING SUNDAY flowers sale made a grand total of £300! Thanks to our Flower Arrangers' Team and all who supported this fund-raiser. Well done!



POST EASTER EVENT

In the busyness of life, with all the calls on our time and energy, find the peace and help that arises from a deeper relationship with Jesus and the Father, through getting to know the Holy Spirit. Come along and find out for yourself what a difference this can make to your life.

Please see put the dates in your diary - **Tuesday evenings:** 30th April, 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th May, 4th & 11th June 2019.

Members of the Team are speaking at all Masses this weekend.

St Joseph's Presbytery & Parish Office

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*****PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday, 9.30am - 12.30pm - so weekday mornings are the best time to call.*****

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LENT 2019 FUNDRAISING at ST JOSEPH'S

The Caritas Bakhita House in London, our chosen home charity, provides help for women escaping human trafficking. They offer a range of services including emergency support, legal and financial assistance, mentoring, and help with accessing accommodation.

Our overseas charity is **St Peter & Paul Parish, Oyede, Niger Delta**. This is made up of a set of Mass Stations in a rural, riverine area which is in desperate need of a boat to enable the Parish Priest to access all these Mass Stations. The money raised will go towards the purchase of this much needed form of transport.

Our **2nd Collections during Lent** and our **Friday Lenten Lunches** are all fund-raisers for these projects, as was the **Parish Lunch (on 17th March)**, and our **Lenten Charity Fayre (on 23/24 March)**.

Parish Groups are asked to think of their own fund-raising ideas.

WEEKEND RETREAT TO WALSINGHAM - Saturday 29th June departing from New Malden 8am, returning on Sunday 30th to New Malden at 9pm. Bed and breakfast accommodation £49.50 per person (with en-suite) or £35 per person (wash basin in room, shared bathroom) plus additional cost of coach. Please email Anne D'Silva at annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk to reserve a place, or call 07952 494120. Closing date: Wednesday 10th April.

THANK YOU so much to all who attended the Afternoon Tea, to the Confrmandi for setting up the hall and serving our senior members of the parish, for all the helpers in the kitchen and the delicious food prepared for the event. A special thank you to all the young people who shared their gifts and talents providing amazing entertainment.

WEDDINGS: Please make sure you give us at least 6 months' notice when applying to get married in a Catholic Church.

BAPTISMS: Usually these take place on the 1st Saturday of the month, but other dates can be agreed should there be the need. Please ring the Parish Office for enquiries.

REQUESTING A MASS INTENTION: If you know the date you would like a Mass Intention for, please request it as far ahead as possible, and we will endeavour to accommodate the date asked for. If an urgent need for prayer arises, we will do our best to shift an existing Intention, with the agreement of the donor of course.

MASS INTENTIONS & SHRINE LAMP INTENTIONS: envelopes are available at the back of church. Please return via the Presbytery letter box or hand to one of the clergy.

WEBSITE: If your parish group's details need mentioning / updating on our website please email the webmaster at: patheery@hotmail.com

BILLINGS NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: for confidential time with our Parish's Natural Family Planning advisers, who are also involved in our Marriage Preparation Programmes, please ring Dymphna on 07775 163693 for an appointment.

SVP (ST VINCENT DE PAUL): Our Parish SVP can now be additionally contacted at: SVPNewMalden@gmail.com. Please get in touch if you or anyone you know needs practical or spiritual help, giving both your details and those of the person/s concerned.

CANDLES IN CHURCH: Please NEVER leave lighted candles in church - **these are a fire hazard!** You can light only Votive Candles provided at the Shrines & for Adoration.

PLEASE MAKE SURE CHILDREN ARE SUPERVISED when in church. Please do not let them wander about unattended as it is disrespectful and possibly dangerous as there are always lighted candles in church.

OUR MARY GARDEN



at the front of the church, will be undergoing a complete revamp over the next few weeks to get it ready to appear in a special programme being produced by global Catholic TV channel, EWTN. The

filming is in response to a book produced by parishioners Felicity and Malcolm SurrIDGE about the history of Mary Gardens and our own St Joseph's Garden in particular. **This book is being published by Gracewing at Easter and a formal book launch will be held at St Joseph's on the evening of Saturday, May 11th after the 6pm Mass.** All parishioners are most welcome to attend.

We have had an incredible response to last week's appeal for plant sponsors for the Mary Garden. **All those who signed up to sponsor specific plants are requested to pay the amount indicated to the Parish Office as soon as possible, giving their name, contact number and email address, and the short dedication wording which they would like written on the plaque next to their plant.**

All those on the waiting list, have now also been assigned plants. Please check list on the noticeboard in the narthex and follow the instructions above (in purple).

UPCOMING APRIL DATES

Sat 13th April, 1pm & 3pm, NEW MALDEN PASSION PLAY, in Blagdon Park Recreation Park

Sat 13th / Sun 14th, PALM SUNDAY

All Masses with Palm Procession

Wednesday 17th April, 7am Mass (no 10am), Fr Uche at Chrism Mass at Cathedral

Thursday 18th, MAUNDY THURSDAY

8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday 19th, GOOD FRIDAY

3pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

7pm Prayer Round the Cross

Saturday 20th, HOLY SATURDAY

8.30pm Easter Vigil Mass

Sunday 21st April, EASTER SUNDAY

Masses at 9.30 & 11.30am only

PILATES at St Joseph's Hall -

Wed 3.30pm - 4.30pm - Ongoing 6 week courses - Beginners Welcome

A gentle-paced class using a blend of Pilates mat exercises and Somatic movement to help strengthen and lengthen the muscles of the body. The sessions will focus on alignment and ease of movement, developing awareness of how the body moves. Please wear comfortable clothing, and bring your own mat.

Cost: 6 week course - £48, or £10 drop-in.

Fur further details contact Anne Gilpin gilpinpilates@gmail.com; 07796 044882