



# St Joseph's Catholic Church



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Sunday 8th November 2020

Thirty-second Ordinary Sunday (A)

(Normal Time) \*\*

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

## WEEKDAY MASSES

**Monday 9th** 10am Mass  
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica  
(Feast) \*

**Tuesday 10th** 10am Mass  
St Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church (Memorial) \*

**Wednesday 11th** 10am Mass  
St Martin of Tours, Bishop (Memorial) \*

**Thursday 12th** 10am Mass  
St Josephat, Bishop & Martyr  
(Memorial) \*

**Friday 13th** 10am Mass  
Feria, or St Frances Xavier Cabrini,  
Religious

**Saturday 14th** 10am Mass  
Feria, or Our Lady

## READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year A; Weekdays cycle 2

**This Sun:** Wisdom 6:12-16;  
1 Thess 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13  
**M.** Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12; John 2:13-22 \*  
**T.** Eccles 39:6-10; Matthew 16:13-19 \*  
**W.** Isaiah 61:1-3; Matthew 25:31-40 \*  
**Th.** Eph 4:1-7,11-13; John 17:20-26 \*  
**F.** 2 John 4-9; Luke 17:26-37  
**S.** 3 John 5-8; Luke 18:1-8

**Next Sun:** Proverbs 31:10-13,19-20,  
30-31; 1 Thess 5:1-6; Matt 25:14-30

Thirty-third Ordinary Sunday (A)

## SHRINE LAMPS

Shrine Lamps are again temporarily  
suspended until the Church re-opens.  
We continue to pray for each other & for  
those most in need.

## TODAY IS REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Remembrance Sunday falls on the  
Sunday nearest Armistice Day,  
11 November, which marks the end  
of the First World War.

On this day we remember all those  
who gave their lives for their country,  
suffered and died through acts of  
war, and for those who were left  
behind to grieve and mourn.



**NB.** Reminder that the **Blessings of the Graves** scheduled to happen today  
Sunday 8th November has been cancelled.

## POPE'S NOVEMBER PRAYER INTENTION - Universal:

Artificial Intelligence - We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial  
intelligence may always serve humankind.

**HOLY SOULS ENVELOPES** - If you wish your loved ones to be prayed  
for at the altar throughout the month, please put their names in an envelope,  
along with a donation if you can, and put it through the presbytery letterbox.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** **Sun (Sat) 10am** James & Betty Booth RIP, Mrs M  
Maharaj RIP, John O'Hara RIP, Keith Scicluna RIP; People of the Parish;  
**Mon. 10.** Mary Burbridge RIP; Ralph Hendricks RIP; **Tue. 10.** Raffaello  
Bellino RIP; November Requiem; **Wed. 10.** Michael Long RIP; **Thurs. 10.**  
Michael John Taylor RIP; **Fri. 10.** November Requiem; **Sat. 10.** Edward &  
Jennie McCarthy RIP; **Next Sun (Sat) 10am** Peggy Wright RIP; Holy Souls;  
Fr Eamon Carson & Carson Family; Louisa Njoku RIP; People of the Parish.

Request a Mass Intention at [newmaldenparishmassintentions@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:newmaldenparishmassintentions@rcaos.org.uk).

**NB.** Now that we are back to just one 10am Sunday Mass every weekend, all  
intentions for that day will be offered at the one Mass.

Reminder that the church is now closed until further notice.

Please check weekly bulletin for any updates.

You can follow the Order of the Mass from home by clicking [here](#).

## LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES FROM ST JOSEPH'S \*\*

We are back to live-streaming daily Masses - Sunday to Saturday - at 10am ONLY, so  
you can join in at Mass virtually from our Parish, now that the churches have had to  
close again. Click the link below, which is also on our website and facebook page.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCETxMGsRdJ1GdpsZmaxlFGQ>

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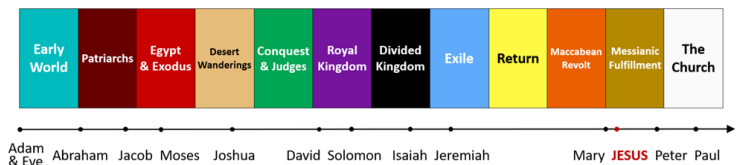
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The PARISH OFFICE is officially closed but you can still contact us via the email address above

or by calling 07488 241753 between 10am ~ 1pm

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# THE BIBLE TIMELINE COURSE



In this Year of the Word: The God Who Speaks, Jeff Cavins' worldwide-famous Catholic Bible Study is being Live-Streamed, free of charge as a 7-session course on Wednesdays, starting on Wed 4th November 2020 @ 7pm. For all that you need to know about this course, visit [www.comeandsee.org](http://www.comeandsee.org), where you will also be able to register. The course will be taught by Mauro Iannicelli. For more info and a flyer on our website click [here](#).

**HOLY HOUR** - Calling all St Joseph's young people, we will be live-streaming another Holy Hour on **Thursday 26th November at 8pm**. The theme will be based on the story of the **Prodigal Son** and returning to God.

Here are some suggestions of what you can contribute :

- A poster - you can either draw something by hand and send me a photo or screenshot or you can do the poster on the computer.
- Artwork depicting forgiveness and/or Reconciliation or the story of the Prodigal son and the characters in the story.
- An audio recording of a Bible text about the theme.
- An audio recording of a worship song or hymn - sung or instrumental.
- An audio recording of a reflection of one or all of the characters of the story.
- An audio recording of a prayer.
- An audio recording of your reflection on the story and you can relate it to an experience or current times.

Your contributions could also include something about returning to Jesus after some time away from the faith. You are also welcome to invite your friends to contribute. Please email your contributions to [annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk) by **Monday 23rd November**. You can see this on our website [here](#).

**ELECTRONIC NOTICE-BOARDS** - Of course the electronic notice boards in church have now been switched off until the church re-opens, hopefully in December. After a glitch with the screen in the bookshop window, we very much hope to have this up and running as soon as possible, enabling parishioners and passers-by to see some of our notices, and especially give access to our weekly bulletin and any relevant updates. If any parish groups want a particular advertised / displayed, please send the information to Agnes on the parish email address: [newmalden@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:newmalden@rcaos.org.uk) or [agnesvella@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:agnesvella@rcaos.org.uk).

## SACRAMENTAL UPDATE

**CONFIRMATION** *perfects Baptismal grace; it is the sacrament which gives the Holy Spirit in order to root us more deeply in the divine filiation, incorporate us more firmly into Christ, strengthen our bond with the Church, associate us more closely with her mission, and help us bear witness to the Christian faith in words accompanied by deeds.* (CCC 1316)

St Joseph's Confirmation preparation programme begins in January 2021. We welcome all young people in Year 9 and upwards to register and prepare to receive this auspicious Sacrament. The Programme consists of an Enrolment Mass, twice monthly sessions starting on Zoom with additional activities and a retreat. The Sacrament will be conferred in July 2021.

Application forms can be downloaded from the website until Sunday 8th November. Please complete the form & email it to [newmalden@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:newmalden@rcaos.org.uk) by 29th November. Click [here](#) to access the application form. Contact Anne D'Silva at [annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:annedsilva@rcaos.org.uk) if you require further information.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** - an update to follow after half-term. Watch this space!.

**RCIA** - Please email the parish office at [newmalden@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:newmalden@rcaos.org.uk) asap, if you are an adult interested in exploring the Catholic Faith, becoming a Catholic, or are a Catholic who would like to be Confirmed.



## UPDATE FROM KINGSTON FOOD BANK

Each Christmas we run a Christmas Hamper project and plan this year to fund, pack and deliver up to 1000 full Christmas hampers to families across SW London. We are already starting to receive referrals for that. Details about that project are at [www.christmaslunchonjesus.org.uk](http://www.christmaslunchonjesus.org.uk). That gives opportunities for people to help pack the hampers and distribute them or to donate a gift to buy a hamper for another family. The cost per hamper works out at £30 but includes everything for a full Christmas Day Family Celebration. Donations to this can be made at that website. We purchase all the goods for the hampers at cost from a wholesaler so that they are all freshly delivered on the packing day.

Each Christmas we also publish a Reverse Advent Calendar encouraging families to collect toiletries and household products during December that we can then distribute in the New Year. That might be something you can encourage your families to be part of.

Finally if anyone is using online purchases you can also generate income for Kingston Foodbank by registering at [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) and selecting Kingston Foodbank as your chosen cause. A percentage of your spend will be donated to Kingston Foodbank.

Please visit: <http://www.kingston.foodbank.org.uk/> for more information and any news & updates.

## PROCEDURES during NORMAL TIMES

**FOR APPOINTMENTS** & enquiries, please contact the Parish Office **only during office hours** - see bottom of front page - unless it's an urgent matter. Any items for the **BULLETIN** need to be received by Tuesday at the very latest. Thank you.

**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: [newmalDENparishwebeditor@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:newmalDENparishwebeditor@rcaos.org.uk).

**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](mailto: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.

## URGENTLY NEEDED IN THE PARISH

*(for normal time, with God's help)*

**Caretakers:** We are in need of one or two volunteers to act as caretakers for our parish. If there are any able-bodied people out there who feel they can offer some time to help with the general running of the Church Premises, however little or much it is, would you please contact Agnes in the Parish Office by email or on 07488 241753.

**Cleaners:** As many of you may know, our church is cleaned by a very small dedicated group of parishioners, who give up one hour a month of their time to keep it looking clean and beautiful. They are in urgent need of a boost, so please please do consider this seriously. The cleaning is normally done every Saturday from 8-9am, and will re-start once the church is open.

## 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](mailto:safeguardingoffice@rcaos.org.uk).*