



St Joseph's Catholic Church



1 Montem Road, New Malden, Surrey KT3 3QW

catholicnewmalden.org

020 8942 2602

Sunday 9th March 2025

FIRST 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 10th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
Tuesday 11th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
Wednesday 12th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
Thursday 13th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
Friday 14th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	
Saturday 15th	10am Mass
Lenten Feria	

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 C; Weekdays cycle 1

This Sun: Deuteronomy 26:4-10;

Romans 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13

M. Lev 19:1-2,11-18; Matthew 25:31-46

T. Isaiah 55:10-11; Matthew 6:7-15

W. Jonah 3:1-10; Luke 11:29-32

T. Esther 4:17; Matthew 7:7-12

F. Ezekiel 18:21-28; Matthew 5:20-26

S. Deuteronomy 26:16-19;

Matthew 5:43-48

Next Sun: Genesis 15:5-12,17-18;

Philippians 3:17 - 4:1; Luke 9:28-36

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (C)

ROTAS Team 2 today Sun 9th March

Team 3 next Sunday 16th March

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,080

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 360

+Cash £ 698 + Card £ 240

Parish total £ 2,378

Due to a necessary visit to my family in Malta, the office is closed this week. Please keep any non-urgent queries till next week. Thank you and apologies for the inconvenience this may cause. Agnes.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

The Lenten season is often compared to a journey. Just as, in the Old Testament, the People of Israel travelled for 40 years to reach the Promised Land, so during Lent the Church collectively journeys towards the feast of Easter - which holds out to us a promise greater than that given to the Israelites - the promise of Eternal Life, won for us by Jesus. Just as the Israelites had their problems on the journey - weakness, disobedience, discouragement - so too our own Lenten journey is rarely straightforward! But it is important we never lose sight of the destination, and persevere. As part of this journey, this year, as in the past, we have chosen 2 charities to support, as agreed by the Parish Pastoral Council: **St Raphael's Hospice** (*Home charity*) and **The Catholic Parish of St Hilaire, Franceville, Gabon** (*Overseas Charity*). More details to come. Our Second Collections during Lent will be for these charities, as will all proceeds from fundraising events, which parish groups are encouraged to hold. See next page for services and courses taking place this year in our parish and beyond.



Click [Jubilee Year 2025](#) to access The Pilgrim's Guidelines Booklet for The Jubilee



MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm James & Betty Booth RIP; 9.30 People of the Parish; 11.30 Victoria Tanovsis RIP; 5.30 Fr Wenna Henry Tiku RIP; **Mon. 10.** Angela & Jeyamola Bastiampillai RIP; **Tue. 10.** Margaret Wills RIP; **Wed. 10.** Tilly O'Malley RIP - Anniversary; **Thurs. 10.** Peggy Wright RIP; **Fri. 10.** Josephene & Brigette Bastiampillai RIP; **Sat. 10.** Neomi Ferdinand RIP; **Next Sun (Sat) 6pm** Mrs M Maharaj RIP - Anniversary; **9.30** People of the Parish; **11.30** Joseph Michael Pekris RIP; **5.30** Manoel Leite da Silva RIP.

SHRINE LAMPS this fortnight: **St Joseph:** Vella & Damato Family Intentions
Our Lady: Tan Family Intentions; Katie Jaffa RIP - Anniversary
Thomas More / St Anthony: Doris Burns RIP - Anniversary
St Therese / St John Fisher: Wellbeing of Amanda Dickie
Sacred Heart: In Thanksgiving (Edirisinghe)
St Pius X: Wellbeing of Joan Hale & Rita O'Connell



Prayers for POPE FRANCIS - As His Holiness Pope Francis continues to fight for life, we pray for the courage and fortitude he needs to get through this very difficult time for him and those helping him. Visit the Vatican site and the Westminster Cathedral site via the links below, for a daily Rosary prayed for his intentions: www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Z-n7WrdDc - westminstercathedral.org.uk/prayers-for-pope-francis/
Almighty and Eternal God, you are the everlasting health of those who believe in you. Hear our prayers for your sick servant Francis for whom we implore the aid of your tender mercy, through Christ our Lord. Amen. Our Lady of Lourdes, Health of the Sick, pray for him.

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

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The PARISH OFFICE is closed this week and will re-open Monday 17th March. Tel: 020 8942 2602 / 07488 241753

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Monday 17th 10am Mass
Str Patrick, Bishop, Patron of Ireland
(Feast) *
12noon - Requiem for Michael Connolly

Tuesday 18th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria (St Cyril of Jerusalem)

Wednesday 19th 10am Mass
ST JOSEPH, Spouse of the Blessed
Virgin Mary, Patron of the Universal
Church and of Our Parish (Feast) *

Thursday 20th 10am Mass
Lenten Feria

Friday 21st 10am Mass
Lenten Feria
12noon - Requiem for Margaret Wills

Saturday 22nd 10am Mass
Lenten Feria

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M. Jeremiah 1:4-9; Luke 10:1-12,17-20 *
T. Isaiah 1:10,16-20; Matthew 23:1-12
W. 2 Samuel 7:4-5,12-16; Romans 4:13,
16-18,22; Matthew 1:16,18-21,24 *
T. Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31
F. Gen 37:3-4,12-13,17-28; Matt 21:33-46
S. Micah 7:14-15,18-20; Lk 15:1-3,11-32
Next Sun: Exodus 3:1-8,13-15;
1 Corinthians 10:1-6,10-12; Luke 13:1-9

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT (C)

ROTAS Team 3 today Sun 16th March
Team 4 next Sunday 23rd March

TALKS AND COURSES THIS LENT

The Chosen

Join us as we get together to watch & discuss with other parishioners, weekly episodes of this extremely popular TV drama that brings Jesus and his time on earth to life in an authentic way. Your prayer time will be changed by this experience. Series 3 of "The Chosen" continues to run each Thursday at 7:30pm until the 10th April. If you have any questions, email NewMaldenParishTheChosen@rcaos.org.uk or contact



CHURCHES TOGETHER IN MALDEN LENTEN TALKS,

starting Wednesday 12th March. 7.30pm - 8.30pm at the URC Church. A time to explore our shared faith through talk and discussion themed around the Nicene Creed.

**STATIONS OF
THE CROSS** every
Friday in Lent, either
at 10.30am or at 7pm,
most of which are led
by parish groups.

CALLED TO BEAR FRUIT is running in our parish on Tuesdays 18th & 25th March and Tuesday 1st April, at 8pm in the Hall. There are still blue booklets at the back of church, produced by our Archdiocese, which ask us to 'help shape the future of the Archdiocese'. Please take one to see various ways in which you can do this.

MASS INTENTIONS This Week: Sun (Sat) 6pm Mrs M Maharaj RIP - Anniversary; 9.30 People of the Parish; 11.30 Joseph Michael Pekris RIP; 5.30 Manoel Leite da Silva RIP; Mon. 10. Pat Ryder RIP; Tue. 10. Mary Anne Bastiampillai RIP; Wed. 10. R & G Simmonds RIP; Thurs. 10. Guiseppe Zannino RIP; Fri. 10. Alfonso & Diana Guillen RIP; Sat. 10. Kathleen Whelan RIP; Next Sun (Sat) 6pm Mrs J Nagle RIP; 9.30 People of the Parish; 11.30 Wellbeing of Lorraine Butler; 5.30 Parish Mass Readers.

MICHAEL CONNOLLY RIP & MARGARET WILLS RIP

This week we bid farewell to two stalwarts of our parish - Michael's funeral is on Monday 17th and Margaret's on Friday 21st, both at 12noon. We are eternally grateful for all their hard work amongst us - they will be greatly missed. Please pray for the Repose of their Soul and for their families.

SHARING YOUR FAITH WORKSHOP

Date & Time:

Saturday 15 March 2025 - 11am - 3.30pm

Location:

St Mathias Parish Hall, Worcester Park

The workshop is intended to encourage and help people find ways of sharing their faith with others. There will be practical tips & plenty of discussion opportunities. You can register here for the day (there's a £5 cost to cover refreshments & printouts) - <https://aecsouthwark.churchsuite.com/events/gurm70k1>

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.

National Novena to St Joseph: 10th to 18th March 2025

The National Novena to St Joseph will take place from 10th-18th March 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 wish to attend, Mass is at 10.00am every day of the Novena except Sunday, when it is at 11.00am. These Masses will be available to follow on Zoom, via the Mill Hill website: www.millhillmissionaries.com/novena. The Novena Prayer Booklet is available on request for a suggested donation of £1 per booklet to cover costs. You are welcome to send your petitions and/or to request a Novena prayer booklet. Please write to the Novena Director at 6 Colby Gardens, Maidenhead, SL6 7GZ, or email novenamhm@gmail.com.

BUILDING A BETTER MARRIAGE - This one-day marriage-enrichment course is aimed at couples with average-to-good marriages who would like to try and make them better. There is no charge and no group sharing. Couples have the opportunity individually to explore their relationship and levels of communication, which is the key to relationship. **Dates and venues for are:** March 15, East Sheen; April 12, West Croydon; June 28, Kingston-upon-Thames; and September 13, Amigo Hall, Southwark, all from 9.30am to 4.30pm. Call 07983 524 727 or Email: mflkent@rcaos.org.uk for more.

NEW GIFT-AID ENVELOPES -

will be available to collect after every Mass, from the Hall, the weekend **22nd & 23rd March**, and **29th & 30th March**. Please ensure you pick up yours. This is also an opportunity for those wishing to start making their weekly donation to the church using this system.

Talks on THE MASS at Sacred Heart Church Wimbledon,

Lower Hall. Refreshments served beforehand.

All talks are on Mondays 8-9pm with Canon David as follows:

10 th March	Foundations and key elements
17 th March	Rite of Introduction
24 th March	Liturgy of the Word
31 st March	Liturgy of the Eucharist
7 th April	Concluding Rites



GRIEF IN LOSS WEEKEND - HOPE IN CHRIST (THE FRIARS, AYLESFORD)

Two date options in 2025: **Friday 21st - Sunday 23rd March** or **Friday 10th - Sunday 12th October**. Guided by Liz Taylor, Barbara Salamonczyk & Ged Walsh O.Carm. For anyone who has experienced bereavement, whether recently or some time ago. We grieve, remember, hope and give thanks for our loved ones in the light of the Resurrection of Jesus. Cost £260 - single; £230 shared room. For more info phone: 01622 717272 or email: reception@thefriars.org.uk

THE BEREAVEMENT JOURNEY - a place to talk

The **Bereavement Journey** is an award-winning series of films and discussion groups that gently guide people bereaved at any time through the most common aspects of grief and bereavement, enabling them to process the implications for themselves and discern next steps.

Running soon - Tuesdays from 2 - 3.30pm at St Matthew's Church, Surbiton KT6 6JQ, starting on the 22nd April 2025 for 7 weeks. More info on posters or please visit: thebereavementjourney.org.

Pilgrimage to Pentecost Activities for Pilgrimage to Pentecost

The archdioceses of Southwark have launched a series of events to support the Year of Jubilee. There are four main events to be held during Eastertide in celebration of the Year of Jubilee.

1. Pilgrimage to Pentecost Course (starting Tuesday 27th April for 6 sessions)
2. The centrepiece of the Archdiocese's Jubilee celebrations will be a festival of prayer and activities at The Friars, Aylesford on Saturday 7 June 2025.
3. Archdiocese of Southwark Jubilee Pilgrimage from St George's Cathedral to The Friars, Aylesford on Monday 2 June to Saturday 7 June 2025
4. Daily Scripture-based reflections: grounded in scripture and tradition (with a Pentecost Novena for the 9 days leading up to Pentecost Sunday).

More information can be found at <https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/p2p>

Sundays

- 1800 Saturday: Anticipated Vigil Mass of Sunday**
0930 Sunday Mass with Children's Liturgy groups - PC
 (term time only, as per timetable)
 1030 Refreshments after 9.30 Mass - Pastoral Centre Hall
1130 Solemn Mass (Latin, Gregorian chant & polyphony)
 1630 Music practice for 5.30pm Mass
1730 Sunday Mass with occasional Youth participation
1900 Confirmation programme (as per timetable) - Hall
2100 Rosary Group on Zoom

Mondays

- 1000 Mass**
 1030 Rosary - Lady Chapel
 1200 Silver Youth Club
 1900 18-35 Youth Group meet for Rosary (and other events *)
 1900 Scouts - Hall
 2000 Alive in the Spirit Charismatic Prayer Group -
 Lady Chapel

Tuesdays

- 1000 Mass**
 1000 Toddlers & Parents - Hall
 1030 Rosary - Lady Chapel
 1930 Union of Catholic Mothers (2nd Tuesdays) - Hall
 1945 RCIA / Evangelium (Adult Faith Formation) - PC3
 2000 Confirmation Parents Evenings (as per timetable)
 2000 Catenians (1st Tuesdays) - Coombe Golf Club

Wednesdays

- 1000 Mass**
 1000 Toddlers & Parents - Hall
 1030 Rosary - Lady Chapel
 1845 Cubs - Hall
 1330 LIFE Group (2nd Wednesdays) - PC4 (except August)
 2000 FHC Parents Evenings (as per timetable)

Catholic Institutions in the Parish

Marist Convent & Provincial House, 55 Thetford Road, KT3 5DP
 Phone 8949 1355 Email: maristsisters@saqnet.co.uk

Holy Cross Convent & Provincialate, 41 Westbury Road, KT3 5AX
 Phone 020 8942 2703 Email: srmargaret@holycross.uk

Our Catholic Bookshop is open after all weekend Masses
 & after 10am weekday Mass (on request only)

Thursdays

- 1000 Mass followed by:**
Eucharistic Adoration (All day until 8pm) - Church
 1745 Beavers - Hall
1830 - 1930 Confessions *The Light is On for You!*
 1950 Benediction (concluding all-day Adoration) - Church

Fridays

- 1000 Mass**
 1030 Rosary - Lady Chapel / or Stations of the Cross during Lent
 1030 Warm Space (Winter Months)
 1130 - 1330 Charity Lunches (during Lent and *)
 1600 Altar Servers * - Church
 1900 Friends of Acutis Group (every 2 weeks)
 1900 St Vincent de Paul Society (4th Friday) - PC3

Saturdays

- 0800 / 1030 Church cleaning
1000 Mass
 1030 First Communion programme (as per timetable) - Hall etc
 1030 Rosary - Lady Chapel
1030 - 1130 Confessions (Sacrament of Reconciliation)
 1230 Baptisms (1st Saturday of the month & as agreed)
 1330 Legion of Mary - PC4
 1530 Baptism Preparation (1st Saturdays) Church & PC
1715 - 1745 Confessions (Sacrament of Reconciliation)
1800 Sunday Mass Anticipated Vigil Mass of Sunday

Key: * = As Announced

PC = Pastoral Centre, with upstairs numbered rooms:

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|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 Lounge: seating 10 | 2 Interview Room: seating 3-4 |
| 3 Conference room: 20 + | 4 Small meeting room: 6-8 |

Director of Music, Nilton Aranda Neto:

newmaldenmusic@rcaos.org.uk

Catholic Schools in the Parish (& Locality**)

Corpus Christi Primary School, Chestnut Grove, KT3 3JU

Head Teacher: Mrs M Baxter Phone 020 8942 2645

Website: www.corpuschristikingston.co.uk

Holy Cross Girls' School, Sandal Road, KT3 5AR

Head Teacher: Mrs D McConn-Finch Phone 020 8395 4225

Website: www.holycross.kingston.sch.uk

** Richard Challoner Boys' School, Manor Drive North, KT3 5PE

Headmaster: Mr S Maher Phone: 020 8330 5947

Website: www.richardchalloner.com

** In the neighbouring Parish of Worcester Park