



# SAINT JOSEPH'S

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Diocesan Trust Reg. Charity No: 700426 | Times of Masses: Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm at St. Joseph's, Sunday 9.00am at St.  
Augustine's Priory, Sunday 11.00 am at St. Joseph's, Weekdays: 12pm at St. Joseph's | Confessions: Saturday 11-11.30am and  
5.30 - 6pm. | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Saturday 11-12pm | Baptisms and Marriages: by appointment. | Parish  
Council: Chairperson Leanne Bell: [ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Parish Safe-Guarding Representative: Frank Bond 01492 330017 |  
Hospital Chaplains on Call: *Glan Clwyd*: Mrs Sheila Johnson 07717182557 - *Llandudno Hospital*: Fr. Moses- 860546 - *Ysbyty  
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***We welcome parishioners old and new and visitors to our parish Masses this weekend,  
(18th March 2018)  
as we celebrate the Fifth SUNDAY OF LENT***

***Collection for the 11th of March St. Joseph's, Colwyn Bay: £ 698.20 (G.A. £308.00 + Loose £390.20)  
Collections from Old Colwyn, St. Augustine's Priory: £409.15 (04 March £192.70 + 11 March £216.45)***

***Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of Rosemary Butcher recently deceased. Rosemary passed away on Friday,  
9th March 2018. Her funeral is at 12 noon on 28th of March at St. Joseph's, followed by a burial. Prayers and  
sympathy to her family and friends. May she rest in eternal peace.***

***Please remember our sick and housebound in your prayers: Fr. Colm O'Riain OMI, Fr Terry Williams-Keogh,  
Sr. Ann Waugh, Margaret Wittstein, Molly Parkinson, Elizabeth Kelly, Gerald Amos, Katelyn Hubbard, Audrey  
Jowett, Bill Parry, Michael Vincent, Margaret Brown, Martin, Soper, Eve Jones, Jim Griffiths, Marlene McCann,  
Peggy Oliver, Norah Hankin, Mrs. Shaw, Mavis Thomas, Margaret Quillam, Heather Maxwell, Eddie Hosker, Jenny  
Hamlet, Theresa Prichard, Josie Flinn, Kitty Lee, Kathleen Hilliard, Basil Sanders, Christine Sanders, Guy Carlson,  
Aidan Carlson, Claire Carlson, Teresa Morgan, Gilbert Sammut, Muriel Bargutt, David Sullivan, Phyllis Braid, Nan  
Harrison, Rohan Inghey & Family, Shelagh Williams, Tony Crompton, Mhaire Preston, Joanna Firth, James Craig.***

***Anniversaries during March: Bridie O'Donnell (1962); John Murtagh (1991); Robert John Williams (1992);  
Douglas Redmond (1998); Michael Murphy, Peggy Phillips (1999); Kathleen Farenden, Brenda Bludell, Angela  
Shannon, Jim Green (2000); Bridget Golightly (2001); Helen McGee, Reginald Doubleday, Bernard Hazlehurst (2002);  
Greta Porter (2003); Joseph Stephens (2004); Raymond Roberts, Josephine Peterson, Ken Hall, Arnold Hughes, Lily  
Jones (2006); Kathleen Wolfe, Anne Owen, Mary Saunders, Thomas Williams (2007); Mike Noonan, Eileen Linfoot,  
Mary Gore, (2008); Charles Arthur, Michelle Fulton, Ken Lloyd (2010), Grace Smedley, Nora Morrison (2011); Peter  
O'Brian, Margaret Duffield, (2012), Bridget Quigley, Cecilia Edwards, (2013); Barbara Russell, Ron Embleton,  
(2014); Sheila Hooley, Patrick Noonan, Johanna Lofthouse, James Riley (2015), Robert Tickner, Joseph Chilton-  
Jones (2016), Elsie Allsup, Thomas Duffy (2017)***

***St. Joseph's School would like to say a huge thank you to the parish for their support of the St. David's  
Day Fair. The school PTA made £1600 on the day! THANK YOU and let's continue to 'Grow In Love'.***

***Thank you to all who helped with Robert Ross's funeral tea. The outpouring of donations was much appreciated.***

***Red Missio Boxes: Parishioners from Old Colwyn with the red Missio boxes, please bring them into St. Augustine  
Priory, ready for emptying by Monica Parry.***

***Updating the Parish Records, March 2018 - Planned Giving: If you would like envelopes provided for your  
donations, please complete a planned giving slip. If you can give by Standing Order, please complete a Standing  
Order Instruction. If you pay UK income tax, please consider also completing a Gift Aid form to allow the Parish to  
claim back 25p from HMRC for every £1 you give. Please complete the new Gift Aid and Planned Giving forms even  
if you think we already have these for you. All the forms are available at the back of the church as you leave.***

**DBS Checks:** Any Eucharist Minister who **DOES NOT**, and will not be, taking Holy Communion to the housebound, does not need the DBS check. If anyone does need a check, or is unsure, Frank Bond will be in the presbytery on Monday, 19th March 10am-11am. Thank you.

**Little Lights - St. Joseph's Parent and Toddler Group** - Tuesday 20th of March, 9.30am - 11am in the Parish Community Centre. For more information please visit the website or Facebook page or email us at: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk).

**Do you have any Easter Eggs?** St. Joseph's school needs them for their Easter Egg Bingo on Tuesday, 20th March. Please bring them to the school or the presbytery. Many thanks for your support and donations.

**Reconciliation Service this Tuesday, 20th March** here at St. Joseph's at 7pm.

**Stations Mass and Confession Opportunity "Leave the Light On":** 21st March at 7pm - At Our Lady Star of the Sea, Llandudno.

**School Mass** here on 22nd March at 9.30am. Please note that there will be no midday Mass.

**Prego:** No Prego until **the 11th of April.**

**Stations of the Cross - Week 6:** 11.00am on the 24th March is being presented by the Filipino Community. The theme is: **The International Stations of the Cross.** **Celebration and Thanksgiving:** After the Stations of the Cross on the **24th of March** there is a shared lunch in the community centre to celebrate the Filipino choir's 1st year anniversary. There is also a Thanksgiving mass on the 24th March at the 6pm Vigil for the choir celebrate the anniversary, where they will be singing.

**Bright Lights Youth Group Meeting & Faith In Action:** 23<sup>rd</sup> March – **Easter Family Quiz Night** at the Parish centre 6.30-8pm £1.50 per person including refreshments. Also during March - Any youth in year 5 or older wishing to participate in the Faith in Action Programme, please sign up at the back of the church or discuss with Nelly, Dominique or one of the young people who have participated this year. For more information contact: Nelly Iwobi or Dominique Gray-Williams at: [brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

Are you interested in the **World Meeting of Families** in Dublin 21st - 26th of August this year? We are hoping Pope Francis will be there. If you are interested please put your name and number of people in your family on the Interest Sheet on the Bulletin Board at the back of church. This is not a commitment on your part, it's just to gather interest & numbers.

**Oblate Youth Summer Camp** - for our youth aged 12-14. This is the 29th of July - 3rd of August 2018 in Lillput OEC, near Mullingar, Ireland. Information is available at the back of church and on the notice board. Questions? Please contact the Presbytery or Wendy Spillane at 01492 543159.

### **Holy Week Mass Times**

- + 27th March 6:30pm - Induction Mass for Father Frank Ryan & Commissioning of Eucharist Ministers and renewal of Commitment to the Eucharist Ministry at this Mass being said by Bishop Peter Brignall. **This is for both St. Augustine's Priory and St. Joseph's.**
- + 28th March 7pm - Spy Wednesday - Mass
- + 29th March 7pm - Maundy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper
- + 30th March 3pm, Good Friday - Celebration of the Lord's Passion, Confessions 11-12
- + 31st March, 11am - **In the Eye of the Storm. Christ Dead and Buried.** What is going on in the mind of the disciples at this time? Discerning the mind of the Apostles while Jesus was in the Tomb. Presentation and discussion. Participants will receive an envelope with study materials. These we be available from Tuesday 20th March from the Presbytery. Sign up sheet on the notice board.
- + 31st March, 8pm, Easter Vigil \*no Holy Hour, No 5:30 Mass.
- + The Easter Vigil takes place at 8pm and thus also fulfils Sunday Mass Obligation.
- + 1st April - Easter Sunday Mass: 9am at St. Augustine's Priory & 11am - at St. Joseph's.