

We Welcome Old and New Parishioners and Visitors to our Masses and Community as we celebrate

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Year C. 3rd/4th August 2019

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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Saturday (Vigil)	6.00pm	St. Joseph's
Sunday	9.00am	St. Augustine's Priory
Sunday	11.00 am	St. Joseph's
Monday - Friday	12pm	St. Joseph's
Saturday	11-11.30am	Confessions @St. Joseph's
Saturday	11-12noon	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday	5.30-6pm	Confessions @ St. Joseph's

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment.

Dates for Your Diary

Monday - 5th August - 10am - Prayer and Rosary - in the church with Angela and Jim. All welcome.

Monday - 5th August 12noon - Liturgy of the Word and Communion.

Tuesday - 6th August - 12noon Funeral Mass for Jim Griffiths.

Wednesday - 7th August - 12noon - Liturgy of the Word and Communion.

Thursday - 8th August - 12noon - Liturgy of the Word and Communion.

Friday - 9th August - 12noon - Liturgy of the Word and Communion.

Saturday & Sunday - 10th & 11th August - Bring your Blue Mission boxes in for Father Paschal Dillon to collect this weekend. New ones will be available to collect.

Thursday - 15th August - Mass at 6pm for the Holy Day of Obligation Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

October 2019 is the Extraordinary Month of Mission (EMM2019). There is information at the back of the church on what you can do for this special month of prayer and action to strengthen and grow God's mission and the Church. **#MyMission (for social media profiles) begins on 1st August...** You could, for example say: #MyMission is to donate to the SVP. Or #MyMission could be a simple act of kindness, like visiting an elderly neighbour, or a bigger gesture, like volunteering with or supporting a charity.

There are no 10am weekday Masses this week at St. Augustine's.

If you are interested in becoming an **Altar Server** please let us know by speaking to Chris Iwobi or email: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk Training will be provided.

➤ **Calendars!** We are asking that if you are wanting to book the Centre for your group, or use the church, please phone or email : office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk. We want to ensure that there is no conflict with any events that may be booked already.

➤ If you have **any** notices to go in the **newsletter, or the noticeboards in the church or the community centre**, email: notices@stjosephsrcc.org.uk.

➤ **Collection for the 27th/28th July:** £639.44 Next 2nd Collection is this weekend for Maintenance & Development.

➤ **Standing Order and Gift Aid forms** are at the back of the Church.

➤ **Confessions:** 11-11.30am and 5.30pm on Saturdays or by prior appointment as needed.

Please join us for coffee and tea after Sunday, 11am Mass in the Parish Community Centre. Bring a light bite and something to share!

Hospital Chaplains on Call: **Colwyn Bay Hospital & Glan Clwyd:** Fr. Frank Ryan 01492 532670 | **Glan Clwyd:** Mrs Sheila Johnson 07717 182557 | **Llandudno Hospital:** Fr. Moses- 860546 | **Ysbyty Gwynedd:** Fr. Adrian Morrin: 01248 3270421 | Parish Council - ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk | Parish Safe-Guarding Representative: Frank Bond 01492 330017 | Website Administrator: Vicky Davila | Website - www.stjosephsrcc.org.uk | **Facebook Page:** www.facebook.com/stjosephsrcc | **Twitter:** @stjosephsrcc | **Bright Lights Youth Group:** Nelly Iwobi & Dominique Gray-Williams at: brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk | **Little Lights Toddler Group:** littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of

James "Jim" Griffiths

Jim passed away on the 25th of July. His funeral is on Tuesday, 6 August 2019 at 12noon here at St. Joseph's. Our prayers and sympathy to his family and friends.

May he rest in eternal peace.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Mrs. Sutcliffe

Mrs. Sutcliffe passed away on the 25th of July. Her funeral will be announced when arrangements have been made. Our prayers and sympathy to her family and friends.

May she rest in eternal peace.

Prayer for Creation



Creator God, thank You for all the blessings of creation. Help us show our gratitude by showing reverence to every creature.

Make us aware of our

connectedness and of our responsibility to consider the effects of our choices. Move our hearts to beat with compassion for the most vulnerable populations on our Common Home, and for the earth itself. With St. Francis, may we see Your face in all of creation.

Lead us to make unselfish decisions with resources. Make recycling, re-using, re-purposing and reducing consumption a part of our daily living. Help us shrink our wastefulness of Your gifts. We know you love us. Light our way. Amen. ~ S. Nancy Miller, OSF

St. Augustine's Walking Retreat Monday 5th - Saturday 10th August 2019



Would you like to join us for a few days 'Walking in Faith and Beauty' retreat or

perhaps you could simply join us for one of the days? This is an opportunity for spiritual reflection, a quiet time out of a busy life, and a chance to walk in our lovely countryside on a series of easy or moderate walks. Each day starts with a period of reflection and prayer based on Creation and the environment (9.00am) following which we head out for one of our walks, returning in the late afternoon for some free-time, supper, reflection and Mass (times vary but Mass will typically be at 7.30pm). To make the most of your day please be prepared to stay for Mass. It's £15 for the day's retreat. Our walks take us to Pantasaph/Holywell; Aber Falls, Newborough Forest and Llanddwyn Island (Anglesey); Caerhun, Conway Valley. For further details and booking (limited numbers can only be accommodated) please contact St. Augustine's House of Prayer on 01492 514223 - Monday to Friday 9am-4.30pm or send an email to: enquiries@houseofprayer.org.uk

DBS Clearance and Safeguarding.

Many thanks to all those of you who have obtained Safeguarding Clearance and a DBS Certificate over the last eighteen months for your cheerful co-operation throughout the process. With new and renewed applications the number of parishioners cleared in St Joseph's has risen from 15 to 48, and there are just three more people who need a renewal, which will be done in the next couple of weeks.

The rules keep changing. If I told you previously that the certificate lasts five years, it was true. However, this has now changed to three years. It will soon be time to start all over again!

Also, clearance is now needed for anyone who distributes Holy Communion at Mass and not just those who visit the sick or housebound. This will involve a further seven parishioners. I will be in touch with you in the next couple of weeks.

Frank Bond.



Do you want to find out more about the Catholic Faith? Do you want to deepen your Catholic Faith? Anyone that is interested... Please phone: 01492 532670 or email: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk All welcome!

The next gathering is: **Thursday, 29th August at 6pm** in the Presbytery.

There will be a new **Confirmation** programme beginning in October this year. This is for children in Year 7 and above. More information and sign ups available now. Please email: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk for further information and to sign your child up.

Oblate Lourdes Pilgrimage

14-19 September 2019. Leaving from Manchester. £619 per person. More information on the church notice board.



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Working to become
Dementia
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Little Lights Parent and Toddler Group is on Summer Holidays!



Bright Lights Youth Group and Faith In Action is on Summer Holidays. We are back on the Friday, 13th September.