

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

THE 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 9th/10th OF SEPTEMBER 2023

### St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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### Mass Times

Saturday (Vigil) 6.00 pm

Sunday 9.00 am

Sunday 11.00 am

Tuesday - Friday 11.00 am

Adoration and Confessions every Friday 10am-11am

Monday, NO MASS but Rosary at 11am

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment. Please contact the office for arrangements: [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

### Dates for Your Diary

**EVERY SUNDAY** after 9am and 11am Mass there is **coffee/tea**. Come and join us for catch up and some coffee/tea.

**Food HUB: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays 1030am-1230pm or by appointment.** Enquiries please do email us at for more information at: [stjosephscommunityfoodbank@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephscommunityfoodbank@gmail.com) Any and all Donations greatly appreciated!

**Pray the Rosary - Every Monday 11am.**

**Zero Waste Fridge at the Community Centre - Zero Waste Fridge** - Our Zero Waste Fridge is on Thursday and Fridays at the Community Centre. Thursdays 10-11am and Fridays 930am - 12noon. Please do come and see what we have. Stop Food Waste. We are also available on Monday and Wednesdays at our Food Hub.

**Thursday 14 September: WHOLE SCHOOL Mass at 9.30am. NO 11am Mass.**

**Friday - there is coffee/tea for all our parish community and parents in the Community Centre. Everyone is welcome.**

**Friday, 15 September 7pm - the 9am Choir is practicing in the church.**

From the Oblates: In just under two weeks our pilgrims head to Lourdes

We'd like to invite those who aren't able to join us in Lourdes to send us your prayer intentions. So we may present them to Our Lady at the Grotto where she appeared to Saint Bernadette so long ago. You can do so by: Emailing them to: [lourdes@oblates.ie](mailto:lourdes@oblates.ie)

### RELICS

The relics of St. Columba, St. Margaret and St. Andrew of Scotland are touring the whole of the British Isles and will be in St. Joseph's on Sunday, 17 September. There will be the chance to venerate in St Joseph's Church after our 11am mass, from noon until 130pm.

Collection for last week was: 1st collection: £492.30 Maintenance and Development: £241.87 **Standing Order and Gift Aid forms are at the back of the Church.** **Yellow Visitors Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of the church.** Any questions? Please email: [finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

Hospital Chaplains on Call: Colwyn Bay Hospital & Glan Clwyd: Fr. Vimal 01492 532670 | Glan Clwyd: Mrs Sheila Johnson 07717 182557 | Llandudno Hospital: Fr. Innocent - 860546 | Ysbyty Gwynedd: Fr. Adrian Morrin: 01248 3270421 | Parish Council - [ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Parish Safe-Guarding Representative: Frank Bond 01492 330017 | Church Website Administrators: Tom & Gemma Maclean | Website - [www.stjosephsrcc.org.uk](http://www.stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Facebook Page: [www.facebook.com/stjosephsrcc](http://www.facebook.com/stjosephsrcc) | Twitter: @stjosephsrcc | Community Centre Bookings and Enquiries: [cctrustees@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:cctrustees@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Bright Lights Youth Group: [brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Little Lights Toddler Group: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday 6pm	Kathleen Dickson, Int.
Sunday 9am	Annie Harvey, Int.
Sunday 11am	Kieran & Molly Bennett
Monday 11am	Private Prayer
Tuesday 11am	People of the Parish
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Thursday 9.30	Liam Neary, RIP
Friday 11am	People of the Parish



**Little Lights Parent and Toddler Group** New sessions are starting soon! Autumn Term starts on Tuesday, 12th September at 9.30am in the Parish Community Centre. Please see their Facebook page or email for any questions: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk).



**Bright Lights Youth Group** meet the 2nd and 4th Friday of the month. We next meet on Friday, 22nd September at 6.30pm in the Community Centre. Any questions please contact us at: [brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)



**Mazenod Youth Group (MYG)** - meet the third Thursday of every month. This is for youth aged 15-25. Our next get together is Thursday, 21st September at 6.30pm in the Community Centre. Any questions, email us or come and see what we are all about at: [mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

## Parish Groups/Contacts

**Safeguarding: Frank Bond: phone: 07772862680**

**Little Lights - Vicky Davila: email: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Bright Lights: Garth Butcher: email: [brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:brightlights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Mazenod Youth Group: - Julie Butcher: email: [mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Liturgy Committee: Chair: Shelagh Murray email: [liturgycommittee@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:liturgycommittee@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Parish Council: Chair - Phil Mulholland email: [ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Finance Committee: Chair - John Baxendale. Email: [finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Community Centre Trustees and Bookings for the Community Centre: Chair: Tom Maclean email: [communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Altar Servers: David Davila - email: [altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Children's Liturgy: Marie Breen - email: [childrensliturgy@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:childrensliturgy@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Food Hub: Coordinators: Tom Maclean and Leanne Bell, Phone: 07749273889 or email: [foodhub@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:foodhub@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Sacristans: 6pm Saturday Vigil - Jim McColl, 9am Sunday Mass - Hamilton Grantham, 11am Sunday Mass - June Craig and Julie Duggan.**



## The Season of Creation

Each year from September 1st to October 4th, the Christian family unites for this global celebration of prayer and action to protect earth, our common home. As followers of Christ from around the world, we all share a common responsibility to care for creation. We are co-creatures and part of all that God has made. Our own health and existence is interwoven with the wellbeing of the earth.

*All things are connected. Whatever befalls the earth befalls the children of the earth. We did not weave the web of life; we are merely a strand of it. Whatever we do to the web, we do to ourselves. The earth does not belong to us, we belong to the earth.*

## Adult Faith Formation

Are you interested in meeting other adults for prayer, reflection and faith sharing? Starting on Monday, 18 September in St. Augustine's House of Prayer, Cliff Road, Old Colwyn 7-8pm. We will be gathering to prayerfully read, reflect upon and share on the Sunday Gospel. All welcome. For more information please contact Br. Michael or the parish office.