

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

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year B - 13th/14th OF JANUARY 2024

### St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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### Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday Vigil	6pm	Intentions of the Parish
Sunday	9am	Martin & Ann Cafferkey
Sunday	11am	Martin Jennings, RIP
Monday	Pray the Rosary	11am
Tuesday	11am	Intentions of the Parish
Wednesday	11am	Intentions of the Parish
Thursday	11am	Intentions of the Parish
Friday	11am	Intentions of the Parish

The Main Offertory for last week was: £515.59 Maintenance and Development: £108.65 **Standing Order and Gift Aid forms are at the back of the Church. Yellow Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of the church. Any questions? Please email: [finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

### Lectio Divina

Join us for the prayerful reading of next Sunday's Gospel and hear the message it has for you. We meet on Monday evenings for an hour 7pm at St. Augustine's Priory, Cliff Road, Old Colwyn. All are Welcome!

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) | X (formerly known as Twitter): @stjosephsrcc | Community Centre Bookings and Enquiries: [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) | Little Lights Toddler Group: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

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## Dates for Your Diary

**This weekend there is a retiring collection for Pax Christi.**

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

**Food HUB: Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 1030am-1230pm or by appointment.** Enquiries please do email us at [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) or for more information. Any and all donations greatly appreciated!

**Monday, 7pm-8pm: Lectio Divina. Experience the prayerful reading of next Sunday's gospel and hear the message that it has just for you at St. Augustine's Priory, Cliff Road, Old Colwyn on Mondays. Give yourself some ME time, just for you!**

**Zero Waste Fridge at the Community Centre - Zero Waste Fridge** - on Thursdays 1030am - 1230pm and Fridays 9am - 1130am. **Come and do help us all be Zero Waste!**

**9am Sunday Choir** - Practice, Fridays at 7pm in the Church.

**The Service for Christian Unity Week, is being held in St Paul's Anglican Church, Colwyn Bay on the Sunday 21st January at 3 pm.**

## RIP

### Finton Doyle

Finton passed away on the 1 January at 90 years of age. His funeral serviced is at Bron-y-Nant Colwyn Bay Crematorium on Monday, 22nd January at 1015am.

Our prayers and sympathy go out to his family and friends. May she rest in Peace.

## RIP

### Maureen Williams

Maureen passed away on the 26 December at 87 years of age. Her funeral Mass is here at St. Joseph's on Tuesday, 23rd January at 12noon.

Our prayers and sympathy go out to her family and friends. May she rest in Peace.



**Little Lights Parent and Toddler Group** New session is back on Tuesday, 16 January in the St. Joseph's Community Centre. Please see their Facebook page or email them at: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@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, 18th of January at 6.30pm in the Community Centre. Any questions, come email us at: [mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

## First Holy Communion

**If your child is baptised Catholic and you would like your child to make the Sacrament of First Holy Communion this year then please return the consent slip below to the class teacher. If your child doesn't attend St. Joseph's primary, please return to the Church by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January.**

**On Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January, we will have a parents meeting to discuss the First Holy Communion. This will be in our school hall at 6pm. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask them then.**

**If you have any questions, please do let us know.**

**The lessons will be held from 3.30 - 4.15 pm in Y6 classroom. The children will get a biscuit and drink before the session starts.**

## Into the Future - 3 Listening Exercise

In Bishop Peter's Pastoral Letter on Advent Sunday he spoke of meetings in the New Year to consider the updated pastoral plan. Dates and venues for those six open meetings are now established, they are Saturdays: 3<sup>rd</sup> February 10.30am to 12noon -Welshpool; and 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Wrexham; 24<sup>th</sup> February 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Rhyl; 2<sup>nd</sup> March 10.30am to 12noon -Llandudno; and 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Porthmadog; 9<sup>th</sup> March 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Buckley. Each meeting will have the same format: Formal and silent prayer; Presentation from Bp. Peter; opportunity for opinions, comments and suggestions from those present (maximum 3 minutes, please); Closing Prayer. Written (maximum 250words please) submissions can also be made - anonymous comments will not be considered. Please be sure to read 'Into the Future - 3' before attending a meeting or making a submission and note that purely negative responses are not helpful or constructive for the future:

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