

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

The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord - 6th/7th 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	Intentions of the Parish
Sunday	11am	Jennifer Hamlett
Monday	Pray the Rosary	11am
Tuesday	11am	Charles William, RIP
Wednesday	11am	June Mary Corbett
Thursday	930am Whole School Mass	Intentions of the Parish
Friday	11am	Eileen Tanner, RIP

The Main Offertory for last week was: £839.33 Christmas Gift: £240, Crib Offering: £24.83 **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**

Welcome Father Michael Morrissey

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 | Parish Safe-Guarding Representative: Frank Bond 01492 330017 | Church Website Administrators: Tom & Gemma Maclean | Website - www.stjosephsrcc.org.uk | Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/stjosephsrcc | X (formerly known as Twitter): @stjosephsrcc | Community Centre Bookings and Enquiries: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk | Little Lights Toddler Group: littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

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Dates for Your Diary

This weekend there is a retiring collection for Maintenance and Development.

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 or for more information Any and all Donations greatly appreciated!

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

Thursday, 11 January - There is the Whole School Mass at 9.30am. There is NO 11am Mass. Thank 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.



Little Lights Parent and Toddler Group New session is back on Tuesday, 9 January in the St. Joseph's Community Centre. Please see their Facebook page or email them at: 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 December at 6.30pm in the Community Centre. Any questions, come email us at: mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

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: 3rd February 10.30am to 12noon -Welshpool; and 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Wrexham; 24th February 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Rhyl; 2nd March 10.30am to 12noon -Llandudno; and 2.30pm to 4.00pm -Porthmadog; 9th 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:

https://www.rcdwxm.org.uk/files/ugd/Od070d_ba440c4896e347feb6b5fc0127eb57a8.pdf or a print copy from your parish before attending a meeting or making a submission.

RIP

JUNE MARY CORBETT

June passed away on the 20 December at 59 years of age. Her funeral service is at Colwyn Bay Crematorium on Wednesday, 10th January at 2pm
Our prayers and sympathy go out to her family and friends. May she rest in Peace.

Parish Groups/Contacts

Safeguarding: Frank Bond: phone: 07772862680

Little Lights - Vicky Davila: email: littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Mazenod Youth Group: - Julie Butcher: email: mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Liturgy Committee: Chair: Shelagh Murray email: liturgycommittee@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Parish Council: Chair - Phil Mulholland email: ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Finance Committee: Chair - John Baxendale. Email: finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Community Centre Trustees and Bookings for the Community Centre: Chair: Tom Maclean. Bookings: Leanne Bell email: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Altar Servers: David Davila - email: altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Children's Liturgy: Marie Breen - email: childrensliturgy@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Food Hub: Coordinators: Tom Maclean and Leanne Bell, Phone: 07749273889 or email: foodhub@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

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

SAVE THE DATE! Annual Mass in Celebration of Marriage and Married Life

Saturday 17th February 2024, 12pm Wrexham Cathedral

All are welcome to celebrate

- Annual renewal of vows with Bishop Peter
- Special blessing for engaged couples due to be married in 2024
- Buffet lunch afterwards

Please let us know by Monday 15th January if you are celebrating a special anniversary this coming year (1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th).

Or, if you are getting married in 2024 and would like to receive a blessing from Bishop Peter; please contact Jeanie Larkin at mfl@rcdwxm.org.uk or 07542 268728.