

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

**The Third Sunday of Lent - 2nd/3rd OF MARCH 2024**

**St. Joseph's Catholic Church**

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**Mass Times and Intentions**

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday Vigil	6pm	Charles, Sarah, Sven & Lloyd, Healing from Cancer
Sunday	9am	Michael Gray, RIP
Sunday	11am	People of the Parish
Monday	Pray the Rosary	11am
Tuesday	11am	People of the Parish
Wednesday	11am	Margaret Brownlie, Anniversary
Thursday	11am	People of the Parish
<b>Friday</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Adoration and Confession</b>
Friday	11am	Daphne and John Williams, RIP

The Main Offertory for last week was: £756.24 **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)**

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](https://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

**There is a retiring collection this weekend for Maintenance and Development.**

**This Sunday there is a Kerala Mass at 5pm.**

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

**Monday, 7pm-8pm: Experience the prayerful reading of the next Sunday's gospel at St. Augustine's Priory, Cliff Road, Old Colwyn on Monday, 4 March. LECTIO DIVINA.**

**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 donations greatly appreciated!

**Wednesday, 6 March at 645pm there is a Liturgy Committee Meeting.**

**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!**

**Adoration and Confessions on Fridays at 10am.**

**Sunday Choirs** - For Practice Information please contact Vicky or Quentin.

**To check Community Centre availability please email us on [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) or phone: 01492 532670**

## **Conflict Resolution**

This conference led by Father Lorcan, OMI discusses conflicts, disputes, be they in relationships or between countries. During this conference you will see how you can develop your own skills by looking at the themes of communication, active listening and negotiation and you will look at what Christian tradition teaches us about conflict. All are welcome! **The date is 15-17 March** at the Oblate Retreat Centre in Crewe. Email [rachel.challoner@oblateretreatcentre.org.uk](mailto:rachel.challoner@oblateretreatcentre.org.uk) or phone 01270 568653 to book your space.

## **Feast of St. Joseph**

Join on us on **Tuesday, 19 March at 930am** for the Feast of St. Joseph, our Patron Saint, and the Patron Saint of Families. Our Mass is a family and Parish Mass and we hope that as many of you as possible will join us for this wonderful Solemnity.

## **Lenten Workshop for our Youth**

A lenten workshop has been organised for the Mazenod Youth Group (Anyone above 15 can participate) on **Thursday, 21st of March** at St. Joseph's Community Centre Colwyn Bay. at 6:30pm - 8:00pm

The facilitator is Ged Johnson (Spiritual Director - St. Beuno's).

You are all Welcome!

## **Parish Census**

Our Parish Census has begun. Please take a copy of the Census form, fill it in, fold it and return it to one of the collectors as you leave the church or place in the box in the porch. Please return your census at the very latest on the 16/17 March. All information that you provide will be kept in the strictest of confidence. Thank you for all of your support in helping us to bring our records up to date.



**Little Lights Parent and Toddler Group** New session is back on Tuesday, 5 March at 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, 21st of March at 6.30pm in the Community Centre. Any questions, come email us at: [mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:mazenodyouth@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

Friends, we hope you can join Fr Ray on Thursdays for our Lenten Reflection Evenings. We begin at 7.30pm. All are welcome, and don't worry if you have missed a week.

If you would like the Zoom link, please email us at: [communications@oblates.ie](mailto:communications@oblates.ie)



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