

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

The ELEVENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME - 15th/16th OF JUNE 2024

## St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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### Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday Vigil	6pm	Nigel & Fiona Aspinall, Intentions
Sunday	9am	Angela Breen Worsley, RIP
Sunday	11am	People of the Parish
Monday	<b>Pray the Rosary</b>	11am
Tuesday	11am	People of the Parish
Wednesday	11am	People of the Parish
Thursday	11am	People of the Parish
Friday	<b>Adoration and Confession</b>	10am
Friday	11am	People of the Parish

### Faith In Action

We are excited to start the **Faith In Action Award** at St Joseph's. The award is open to children between the ages of 11 and 18. We welcome the youth of our parish to demonstrate their faith within both the church community and the wider community. We hope our young people will work together to deepen their faith in God. We ask you to keep them in your prayers. If anyone has any questions or if any young people would like to join, please contact David, Emily or Marie or at the following email: [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

### School Governors

There is a vacancy for a parent governor (the child needs to attend St. Joseph's Primary School). We also require foundation governors. Please contact Janet Pritchard, Clerk to the Governors for any further information. Thank you.

The Main Offertory for last week was: £522.47 Standing Order for the month of April: £2,456.00 **Standing Order and Gift Aid forms are available at the back of the Church. Yellow Gift Aid envelopes are also available at the back of the church. Any questions? Please email: [finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

Thank you to Kirk Jacobs for coming here and working to help set up Friends of St. Eugene.

Next Saturday, 22 June, we will be celebrating the children making their first Holy Communion. We send them all our blessings.

**Every blessing to all Father's on this special day.**

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: Mr. Wynne Roberts: [wynne.roberts@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:wynne.roberts@wales.nhs.uk) | 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: [communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:communitycentre@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 second collection this week for Day for Life.

**Saturday, 16 June at 7pm - Friends of St. Eugene meeting in the Community Centre.**

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

**Food Hub & Zero Waste Fridge** Please do come on: **Wednesdays, Thursdays or Fridays 1030am-1230pm**. Enquiries please do phone us: **07895 446870** or email us at [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk) for more information or seek some support. Any donations greatly appreciated. Any questions, please contact: Lyn Rowley or Ria Bell. **We are in need of a couple of volunteers once a week for 2 hours on Wednesdays, Thursdays or Fridays. Please phone us: 07895 446870**

**Monday, 7pm-8pm: Experience the prayerful reading of the next Sunday's gospel and hear the message that it has just for you. This week, on Monday, 17 June. we are at St. Joseph's.**

**Wednesday, 19 June - Parish Council Meeting at 6pm**

**Thursday, 20 June - 6pm Mazenod Youth Group is meeting at the Church for a nature walk. Youth aged 15-25 are all welcome.**

**Choir Practice - Fridays at 7pm in the Church. Any questions? See Quentin or Vicky. Thank you.**

**The Summer Fair is on Sunday, 30th June. There will be one Mass at 10am on that day.**

**Diocesan Youth Day is the 29th of June in Rhyl. See information below.**

**THE CHURCH WILL NOW BE OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY UNTIL 3pm**

The Youth of Wrexham diocese will gather in Rhyl at St. Mary's Church, on Saturday, 29th June at 1130am - 4pm for a diocesan Youth day and Mass. The youth here at St Joseph's are welcome to attend. This is for ages 13-21. Bishop Peter Brignall will celebrate the Holy Mass at 12.30. There is a meal provided. If you are able to come please see Fr. Vimal.

### **Summer Fair**

Tickets for our Grand Prize Draw Raffle are now available. Get a book of tickets after the mass for a chance to win. If you have any donations like books, gifts, plants, or a promise of plants, please drop them off in the box on the church porch. or hand in to the school or church office. Your contributions are greatly appreciated. This fair is a community effort to raise funds and have fun together, and we need your assistance to make it a success. We are seeking a team of volunteers to help with setting up tables, managing stalls, putting up gazebos, and more. If you can spare a couple of hours on Sunday, June 30th, to support the fair, please provide your details at the raffle table or contact us via email at [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk). We will reach out with a task for you. Thank you!

### **Meeting of the Parish**

#### **Meeting of the Parish - Sunday, 14th July 2024**

Today, we start our preparations for the Meeting of the Parish. Please take a copy of the Introductory Letter home with you: this explains a little more about the meeting. Importantly, please also take copies of the set of questions we'd like your comments upon. It would be really helpful if you could return your forms by next week if you possibly can, but at the very latest by 29th & 30th of July. This is our review of the Parish and our opportunity to shape the direction of the Parish over the next few years. Thank you.

#### **Would you be interested in joining a St Joseph's Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation (JPIC) Group?**

Awareness of the global environmental crisis is widespread, emphasising the interconnectedness and interdependency involved. This crisis encompasses natural resource exploitation, climate change, power dynamics, and corporate influence, resulting in poverty and injustice on a global scale. The Oblates and the Catholic Church have been actively addressing these issues for a long time, advocating for justice and peace through direct assistance and policy influence. The JPIC group is dedicated to promoting responsible resource utilisation and equitable wealth distribution both locally and globally within the Catholic community. We invite you to join us in establishing a group, devising an action plan, and initiating small but impactful steps that can authentically reflect the Catholic response to the earth's plea.

Meeting Dates: Wednesdays on July 31st, August 28th, September 25th, October 30th, and November 27th. The Group is open to all so do come and join us - please contact the office on 01492 532670 or e-mail to [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)

#### **Mazenod Youth - Thursday, 20 June 2024 at 5pm.**

We will be doing a nature walk to the summit of the near by Bryn Euryn. This is a fascinating place of local historic interest with stunning views along the North Wales coast. We will be looking at the history and natural environment as we walk and how we tie in with our Catholic faith. Please provide food and drink with you.