The FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 13th/14th OF JULY 2024

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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Mass Times and Intentions		
Day	Time	Intention
Saturday Vigil	6pm	Florrie Berry, ill
Sunday	10am	Marcelo Diaz, Anniversary
Monday	Pray the Rosary	11am
Tuesday	11am	Special Intention
Wednesday	11.30am	lan Patterson
Thursday	930am School Mass	Private Intentions
Friday	Adoration and Confession	10am
Friday	11am	Holy Souls

The Main Offertory for last week was: £463.98 Maintenance & Development: £433.39 Monthly Standing Orders Total for April: £2456.00. Yellow Gift Aid envelopes are also available at the back of the church. Any questions? Please email: finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

There is a second collection this week for Sea Sunday

Reception into the Church

Next Sunday (21 July) at the 1:00am, Mass we warmly welcome into the Catholic Church, and into our community here at St Joseph's: Precious Ezeani, Jonathan Crowther and William Parkinson. Help us to celebrate this special occasion in their pilgrimage of faith and make them welcome into our extended family. Come and say 'hello' to Precious, Jonathan and William in the Community Centre after Mass for a cup of tea or coffee, a chat and to get to know our new community members.

Meeting of the Parish

We hope to see as many of you as can make it to the **Meeting of the Parish** taking place in the School after **Sunday's** 10am Mass. It starts at 11:15 and will finish no later than 1:00pm. We'll be looking at group discussions about the questions posed in the recent questionnaire and teasing out some further thoughts with three broad-based questions. Please come if you can.

Reminder: 18 July at 9.30am there is the **School Leavers Mass**. Please join us in celebrating our school leavers. There will be no 11am Mass this day.

Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation (JPIC)

It's a new group being formed as a Parish response to what's happening to our world. At its heart is Pope Francis' encyclical Laudato Si - On Care For Our Common Home that summarises, from a Christian perspective, how we've got to where we are. It highlights the root causes of climate change and points out clearly the interconnectivity of social justice, poverty, human rights, world peace and environmental stewardship. We're not sure what direction our response here at St Joseph's ought to take. So, please come along on Wednesday, 31st July 2024 to the Presbytery at **6:30pm** and help shape this Parish's response in developing some positive, practical and meaningful actions.

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 Robets: wynne.roberts@wales.nhs.uk | 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: communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk | Little Lights Toddler Group: littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Dates for Your Diary

There is a Second Collection this weekend for Sea Sunday.

THIS SUNDAY there is **one Mass at 10am**. Please join us in the School Hall after the Mass for the **Meeting of the Parish** at 11.15am.

Food HUB: Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 1030am-1230pm or by appointment. Enquiries please do email us at office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk or phone us on: 0789544889 for more information. Any donations greatly appreciated!

July and August the Lectio Divina, Faith Sharing, will be on Summer Break. They will resume in September! Have a blessed summer and see you in September.

Wednesday, there is a funeral SERVICE, not Mass at 11.30am for lan Patterson.

School Leavers Mass - Thursday, 18 July at 9.30am. **no 11am Mass**

Mazenod Youth Meeting at 6pm on Thursday, 18 July at 6pm in the Community Centre. The Mazenod Youth is for all youth 15-25 years of age. Join us!

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

Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation (JPIC) Group is meeting on Wednesday, 31 July at 7pm

Summer Fair News

Thank you to all who helped and supported our Parish Community. The summer fair did fantastic and raised: £4037.32 This is split between both the PTA and the Church so each receive: £2018.66 Fantastic work to everyone and thank you for your amazing support, the Summer Fair Committee. Also, if you have Ticket 2915, you are a WINNER! £20 Llandudno Pier Arcade Card - do contact the office so that we can get your prize to you. Thank you again for your support.

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 (Foundation governors will be appointed by the Bishop and need to be practicing Catholics - speak to Fr. Vimal if you need to) Please contact Janet Pritchard, Clerk to the Governors, at: PritchardJ39@Hwbcymru.net for any further information. Thank you.

RIP

Ian Stuart Patterson

lan passed away on the 29th June at 71 years of age. His funeral Service is at St. Joseph's on Wednesday, 17 July at 11.30am.

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

RIP Millie Evans

Millie passed away on Thursday, 20 June at 96 years old. Her funeral Mass is on Monday, 22 July at 11am.

Our prayers and deepest sympathy go out to her family 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: - Fr. Vimal: email: priestcolwynbay@rcdwxm.org.uk

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

Parish Council: Chair - 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: <u>altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.u</u>k

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

Food Hub Coordinators: Julie and Ria phone: 0789544889 or email at: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

Sacristans: 6pm Saturday Vigil - Jim McColl, 9am Sunday Mass - Hamilton Grantham, 11am Sunday Mass -Julie Duggan, Paddy Farrell, Bridget Jeffery