

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

The SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 27TH/28th OF JULY 2024

## St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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### Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday Vigil	6pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9am	Mr. Kerry Jackson for the successful completion of his MBA programme
Sunday	11am	George Lofthouse, RIP
Monday	11am	<b>PRAY the ROSARY</b>
Tuesday	11am	Service of Word and Communion
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Thursday	11am	Service of Word and Communion
Friday	10am	<b>Adoration and Confession</b>
Friday	11am	<b>MASS</b> People of the Parish

### 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** at the Presbytery at **6:30pm** and help shape this Parish's response in developing some positive, practical and meaningful actions.*

### 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 regarding this) or contact Janet Pritchard, Clerk to the Governors, at: [PritchardJ39@Hwbccymru.net](mailto:PritchardJ39@Hwbccymru.net) for any further information.

The Main Offertory for last week was: £833.05 Standing orders total for May: £1446.00. **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)**

Father Vimal will be away for the Oblate Council meeting in Crewe on the 30th July - 1st August therefore there is Word and Communion on the 30, 31 of July and 1 August.

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 NEXT weekend for Maintenance and Development (3rd/4th August).**

**There is tea and coffee after the 9am and 11am Masses. Please do come and join us.**

**Food HUB and Zero Waste Fridge: 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 phone us on: 07895446870 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.**

**Tuesday, 30th, Wednesday 31st and Thursday, 1st August** this week there is **Service of Word and Communion at 11am.**

**Wednesday, 31 July is Laudato Si (JPIC) meeting in the Presbytery, at 630pm. Please see the newsletter for further information.**

**Sunday, 4 August, after the Masses there is a SVP BBQ Fundraiser at the community centre. You are all invited. 10am - 130pm. Come and join us!**

## Summer Holidays

*Friends of St. Eugene  
Lectio Divina, Faith Sharing  
Mazenod Youth Group  
Little Lights  
Faith in Action  
Children's 9am Liturgy  
9am Choir*

Are all on summer holidays. They will all be back in September. Thank you to everyone for a great year and have a wonderful summer!

## A New Parish Council

Please remember to return your nomination forms for Parish Councillors by this weekend to Father Vimal. ~Thank you

## The Oblate Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Oblates are going on their annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes on the 15-20 September 2024. The **deadline** for all forms to be sent in is the 15 August. The forms are to be sent to Joe Walsh Tours directly please. Any questions please contact: [lourdes@oblates.ie](mailto:lourdes@oblates.ie) Forms are available in the office. Please ask the office for the form. Thank you.

## RIP

### **John Mervin Williams**

John passed away on, 24 July at 84 years old. His funeral Service is on Thursday, 8 August at 2.30pm.

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

## Parish Groups/Contacts

**Safeguarding: Frank Bond: phone: 07772862680**

**Little Lights - Vicky Davila: email: [littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:littlelights@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Mazenod Youth Group: - Fr. Vimal: email: [priestcolwynbay@rcdwxm.org.uk](mailto:priestcolwynbay@rcdwxm.org.uk)**

**Liturgy Committee: Chair: Shelagh Murray email: [liturgycommittee@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:liturgycommittee@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Parish Council: Chair - email: [ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Finance Committee: Chair - John Baxendale. Email: [finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:finance@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Community Centre Bookings & Enquiries - Please email: [communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Altar Servers: David Davila - email: [altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Children's Liturgy: Marie Breen - email: [childrensliturgy@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:childrensliturgy@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

**Food Hub Coordinators: Julie and Ria. Phone: 07895446870 or email at: [office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk](mailto:office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk)**

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

## Adoremus, 14<sup>th</sup> September

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On Saturday, 14 September is the Adoremus National Eucharistic Pilgrimage & Congress at St. Mary's College, Oscott. 9 of the parishioners from St. Joseph's are attending. This is a day of renewing and deepening devotion to the Eucharist. Please let the office know by Tuesday, 30 July if you would like to go. Transportation is provided by the diocese.