



St Joseph's Catholic Church, Colwyn Bay

A Roman Catholic Parish of the **Diocese of Wrexham**, Reg. charity number 700426
Served by the **Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate**, Reg. charity number 223318

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Parish Vision Statement: *“Our Spiritual Home: A Community of Faith in Action”*
Parish Mission Statement: *“As a vibrant community, guided by the Holy Spirit, we seek to bring the liturgy to life, nurture creation, and share the diverse gifts and talents entrusted to us in the service of God.”*

Core Value for this week is: Self-awareness is one of the most beautiful values a person can possess. It not only fosters personal growth but also plays a vital role in building stronger, more compassionate communities.

Summer Fair - Thank You!

With heartfelt gratitude, we extend our sincere thanks to all who worked tirelessly to make the Summer Fair a big success.

Special thanks and appreciation go to the School PTA, our dedicated parishioners, and everyone who contributed their time, effort, and generosity toward the fundraising efforts. Your support truly made a difference.

Peter's Pence

This weekend's retiring collection is for Peter's Pence. Peter's Pence is a worldwide collection that supports the Pope's charitable works, helping those suffering from poverty, war, and natural disasters. It's a way for Catholics to assist the Holy Father in reaching out to those in need.

Canon Law - How it Serves the People of God

Presented by Fr. Terence Carr

Diocesan Canonist & Parish Priest of Prestatyn Catholic Parish

📅 **Date: Tuesday, 1st July**

🕒 **Time: 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

📍 **Location: St. Joseph's Centre Colwyn Bay**
Please contact Fr. Vimal to sign up.

Coffee with Welsh / Panad a Sgwrs

Our Welsh group will be meeting this **Thursday 3rd July** in the Parish Centre from **11.30 AM to 12.30 PM**. Everyone with an interest in Welsh is welcome from complete beginners to fluent speakers. Croeso i bawb!

Funeral Mass – Dennis Noel Doherty

We are saddened to announce the passing of Dennis Noel Doherty, who died on 28th May 2025. His Funeral Mass will take place in our church on **Friday, 4th July at 12 noon**. Please keep Dennis and his family in your prayers at this time.

BBQ Fundraiser – Support Our Mazenod Youth!

In preparation for their upcoming Youth Pilgrimage to Rome, our Mazenod Youth Group will be hosting a BBQ fundraising event on the **Sunday 6th July**.

We warmly invite you to join us, enjoy some delicious food, and support our young pilgrims as they embark on this meaningful spiritual journey.



“Seeds of Hope - Exploring the Earth”

Celebrating the 10th anniversary of Laudato Si
Seminar presented by Jane Mallett

📅 **Date: Saturday, 19th July**

🕒 **Time: To be confirmed**

📍 **Location: St. Joseph's Centre Colwyn Bay**
Please contact Fr. Vimal to sign up.

RCIA Has Begun!

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program has begun with four candidates, and we look forward to welcoming three more in the coming sessions. Please keep them in your prayers as they journey in faith.

If you or someone you know is interested in exploring the Catholic faith or preparing to receive the Sacraments, we warmly invite you to join us. All are welcome!

Youth Pilgrim Walk

The Wrexham Diocesan Youth Commission is organising a Youth Pilgrim Walk from Flint Castle to St. Winifred's Well on **Saturday, 12th July**. All young people aged 14 and above are warmly invited to take part in this inspiring journey of faith and fellowship.

If you are interested in joining the walk, please contact Fr. Vimal OMI for more details or to register your interest.

Let us walk together in faith!



Oblates' Annual Lourdes Pilgrimage 14th to 19th September

Many of our parishioners take part in this special journey each year, and we warmly invite you to join us. If you are interested in participating in the pilgrimage, please contact the Parish Office to collect and complete your travel form.

St Joseph's Social Circle

St Joseph's Social Circle takes place between **1pm - 3pm every Thursday during term time** at the Parish Centre. All are welcome!



Parish Office

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday – 9:00 AM to 12:00 NOON
(Secretary and Assistant Secretaries)

Staff Schedule:

- Monday: Mary Doyle (Assistant)
- Tuesday: Dawn Sammut (Assistant)
- Wednesday: Gemma Maclean (Secretary)
- Thursday: Dawn Sammut (Assistant)
- Friday: Gemma Maclean (Secretary)

Finance Assistant:

Vicky Davila – **Monday, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

Newsletter Contacts:

Gemma Maclean & John Johnson

Mass & Service Times, Intentions & Feasts

Day	Time	Service	Intention	Feast
Saturday 28th	6pm	VIGIL MASS	Partick & Alice Harvey (RIP)	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary & St. Irenaeus & Blessed Virgin Mary
Sunday 29th	9am	MASS	David Knight (ill)	Saints Peter and Paul
	11am	MASS	The People of the Parish	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
Monday 30th	11am	ROSARY		St. Oliver Plunket (In England)
Tuesday 1st	11am	MASS	Marlies Parker (B.Day)	
Wednesday 2nd	11am	WORD AND COMMUNION		Saint Thomas
Thursday 3rd	11am	MASS	Holy Souls	St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Friday 4th	12am	FUNERAL MASS	Dennis Doherty	Saint Anthony Zaccaria; Blessed Virgin Mary;
Saturday 5th	6pm	VIGIL MASS	Cath & Family	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 6th	9am	MASS	Tuante & Gray Family	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11am	MASS	The People of the Parish	

Dates for your Diary

This week...

Monday 30th June - 11am - Rosary at the church.

Monday 30th June - 7pm - Lectio Divina at the Presbytery

Tuesday 1st July - 9am - Little Lights Toddler Group at the community centre.

Tuesday 1st July - 6pm - 8pm - Seminar on Church Laws by Fr. Terence Carr

Thursday 3rd July - 11:30am Coffee with Welsh at the community centre.

Thursday 3rd July - 1pm St. Joseph's Social Circle at the community centre

Friday 4th July - **NO ADORATION, CONFESSION OR 11AM MASS.**

Friday 4th July - 12noon - Funeral Mass for Dennis Doherty.

Friday 4th July - 6pm - Altar Servers at the presbytery

Friday 4th July - 7pm - Choir Rehearsal (9am Mass) at the church.

Morning Prayer this week 10.30am on: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Looking ahead..

Sunday 6th July - BBQ fundraising for the Mazenod Group

Wednesday 16th July - 9:30am - Whole School Mass

Thursday 10th July - 6:45pm - Friends of St. Eugene

Saturday 12th July - 10am Youth Pilgrim Walk - Flint Castle to St Winifred's Well

Saturday 19th July - “Seeds of Hope - Exploring the Earth” Seminar with Jane Mallett

Sunday 27th July - Youth Jubilee in Rome

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Fridays at 10am or on request

Baptisms and Weddings - please contact the office to arrange an appointment.

Sunday Coffee: Please join us in the Centre after both Sunday Masses for tea and coffee.

St Joseph's Centre Bookings: For all bookings and enquiries relating to the Centre please contact communitycentre@stjosephsrcc.org.uk or call 07349330273.

Finance

Collection totals for last weekend:

Offertory: **£575.78**

First Holy Communion: **£154.70**

Standing Orders in May: **£1,134**

Contactless Donations May: **£185**

Thank you!

This week's retiring collection is for:
Peter's Pence

Next Week's retiring collection is for:
Maintenance & Development

Standing order and **Gift Aid forms** are available at the back of church for new, regular donors. **Yellow Gift Aid** envelopes are also available for visitors.

Contactless donations can be made at our new donations terminal in the porch!

You can also donate online by scanning our QR code with your smart phone.



Do you have something for the newsletter?

Email: office@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

by Wednesday to have it included in Saturday's edition.

Thank you!

Hospital Chaplains on Call: Colwyn Bay Hospital & Glan Clwyd: Fr. Vimal 01492 532670 | Glan Clwyd: Mrs Sheila Johnson 07717 182557

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