



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."*

Parish Contacts

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Mary Doyle - Monday 9am - 12pm

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Gemma Maclean - Wednesday & Friday 9am - 12pm

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Safeguarding Nominated name for 2026:

Steven Noone, Leah-Anne Hughes, Chris Iwobi

Sacristans: 6pm Saturday Vigil: Annette Butterworth

10am Sunday Mass: Bridget Jeffrey

Altar Servers: David Davila, (Lyndsey & Aiden)

Email: altarservers@stjosephsrcc.org.uk

6pm Choir - Quentin Bellamy **Sunday Choir -** Jenny Clark

Church Flowers - Jane Vo-Hughes, Cyntina Grantham

RCIA - Marie Breen

Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Commission

Heather Chesworth and Michelle O'shea

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St. Joseph's Social Circle - Helen Mulley

Welsh Learning Group - Ewan Smith

JPIC - Paul Evans

Diocesan Environmental Lead - Wendy Taylor

Saturday Coffee Evening - June Craig

Sunday Coffee Morning - Bill Fortin

Gobaith Magazine - Paul Evans & Sarah Braid

Food Hub: Team Leaders: Fiona Harvey, Jane Vo-Hughes, Ria Bell

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Happy New Year 2026

Wishing all our parishioners a happy and blessed New Year. May the year ahead be filled with peace, hope, and God's grace.

Lectio Devina

Please note that there will be no Lectio Divina on **Monday 29th December** as we take a break for the Christmas holidays. We look forward to welcoming you back in January.



Thanksgiving Mass

There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving on **Wednesday 31st December at 11am**, and all are welcome to come and give thanks together.

JPIC

As JPIC takes a break for the Christmas season, there will be no meeting on **Wednesday 31st December**. We look forward to welcoming you back in January.

Feast of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

On **Thursday 1st January at 11am**, we will celebrate Mass for the **Feast of Mary, the Holy Mother of God**. All are warmly welcome to join us.



No Adoration and Confession

Please note that there will be no Adoration or Confession on **Friday 2nd January**. Mass will take place at 11am.

Helen Townley - RIP

Helen Townley has recently passed away. We hold Helen's family and friends in our prayers, asking for comfort and peace during this difficult time.



Dates for your Diary



This week...

Sunday 28th Decemeber - Kerala Mass - 4pm - in the Church

Monday 29th December - Praying the Rosary - 11am - in the church

Wednesday 31st December - Thanksgiving Mass -11am in the church

Thursday 1st January - New Year's Day

Friday 2nd January - NO ADORATION OR CONFESSION

Morning Prayer this week will be at 10.30am on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Looking ahead...

Thursday 8th January - St. Joseph's Social Circle - 1pm - at St. Joseph's Centre

Thursday 8th January - Friends of St. Eugene - 6:45pm - at St. Joseph's Centre

Friday 9th January - Sunday Choir Rehearsal - 7:30pm - 8:30pm in the church

Tuesday 13th January - Little Lights - 9am - in St. Joseph's Centre

Thursday 15th January - Mazenod Youth Group - 6:30pm - in St. Joseph's Centre



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: £688.49

Christmas Gift: £1461.04

Standing Orders in October: £1,706

Contactless Donations October: £117

Thank you!

This week there is no retiring collection.

Next week there is a retiring collection for: *Maintenance and 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 smartphone.



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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