

St Joseph's Catholic Church, New Malden

Sunday 7th January 2018

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Sunday Readings Year B

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Telephone: 020 8942 2602

Divine Office Week 1

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

(Sat.) 6.00pm Vigil Mass
9.30am Mass
11.30am Solemn Mass
5.30pm Mass



POPE'S JANUARY PRAYER INTENTION

Evangelization: Religious Minorities in Asia

That Christians, and other religious minorities in Asian countries, may be able to practise their faith in full freedom.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 8th 7 & 10am Mass
THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD *

Tuesday 9th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria

Wednesday 10th 10am Mass
Feria

Thursday 11th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria

Friday 12th 7 & 10am Mass
Feria, or St Aelred of Rievaulx, Abbot

Saturday 13th 10am Mass
Feria, or St Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church, or Our Lady

OTHER SERVICES

Rosary: Monday- Saturday after the 10am Mass (except Thurs)

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays from 10am Mass, all day, until 9pm.

CONFESSIONS

Thursday 6.30 - 7.30pm;
Saturdays 10.30 - 11.30 & 5.15 - 5.45.

READINGS AT MASS

Sundays Year B; Weekdays cycle 1

This Sun: Isaiah 60:1-6;

Ephesians 3:2-3,5-6; Matthew 2:1-12

M. Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7; Mark 1:7-11 *

T. 1 Samuel 1:9-20; Mark 1:21-28

W. 1 Sam 3:1-10,19-20; Mark 1:29-39

Th. 1 Samuel 4:1-11; Mark 1:40-45

F. 1 Sam 8:4-7,10-22; Mark 2:1-12

S. 1 Samuel 9:1-4,17-19; 10:1;

Mark 2:13-17

Next Sun: 1 Samuel 3:3-10,19;

1 Cor 6:13-15,17-20; John 1:35-42

2nd Ordinary Sunday (Year B)

* Proper Readings on Feast Days

ROTAS Team 1 today;

Team 2 next Sun 14th January

COLLECTIONS last weekend:

Gift Aid Standing Orders £ 1,089

+Gift Aid weekly envelopes £ 379

+Cash £677 = Parish total £ 2,145

FOOD BANK COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

St Joseph's Presbytery / Parish Office 1 Montem Road New Malden Surrey KT3 3QW

Fr Uche Njoku (Parish Priest): uchenna_njoku@yahoo.com Deacon John-Simon Lawson: revjohnsimonnm@gmail.com

Parish Secretary: Mrs Agnes Vella Parish Treasurer: Mrs Wendy Wentworth Director of Music: Miss Helen Morrell

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Safeguarding Rep: Mr Andrew Stables: 020 8942 7942 Pastoral Centre Caretaker: Mr Oliver Patton: 020 8942 3356

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday, 9.30am - 12.30pm - so weekday mornings are the best time to call.

A parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark CIO Registered Incorporated Charity Number 1173050

WHITE FLOWER APPEAL - The Society for the Protection of Unborn children (SPUC) will be holding its annual appeal next weekend (13/14 January).

SPUC is currently campaigning to stop the decriminalisation of abortion, which means taking abortion outside the law. This is the most dangerous threat to unborn children and their mothers in decades.

Please be as generous as you can to help us defeat this latest attack on unborn babies and their mothers, and to stop abortion getting even worse in his country by decriminalisation.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY re-starts next Sunday 14th January, as usual during the 9.30am Mass, after the Christmas break.

ALL PARISHIONERS especially those with any Goan connections welcome to a special Mass @ 2.00pm Sunday 21st January 2018 at St John Fisher Church, 207, Cannon Hill Lane SW20 9NQ to pray for the beatification of Ven. Agnelo followed by refreshments in the hall. Do invite friends and come along with a plate of food/drink for general sharing. Contact Rita Aguiar 0208 542 0885 for further details.

WEEK OF PRAYER OF CHRISTIAN UNITY (WPOCU) 18-25 JAN 2018

Summary of events being held during this week:

1030 Thurs 18th St James' service
0830 Sat 20th St John's Breakfast
2000 Mon 22nd St Joseph's unity service in the Parish Hall
(organised by the Methodist Church - all invited)
1230 Wed 24th NMMC noon communion service

PARISH MISSION LAUNCH at all Masses during the weekend of 27 / 28 January, with the introduction of our Mission Prayer.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK: Sun. (Sat) Douglas James Wheeler RIP, 9.30 Family Joao, 11.30 Hawah Duncan - In Thanksgiving 5.30 People of the Parish; Mon. 7. Vittoria Raimondo RIP, 10. Wellbeing of Simone Karque; Tue. 7. Elizabeth Clark RIP, 10. Denise Kidd - Wellbeing; Wed. 10. Special Intention; Thurs. 7. Fullness of Health of Mind & Body, 10. Anthony Vella's 70th Birthday; Fri. 7. Mrs Duff RIP, 10. Brian Rogers RIP; Sat. 10. Claude Aubrey Radcliffe RIP; Next Sun. (Sat) 6pm Michael Carroll RIP, 9.30 Da Silva Family, 11.30 People of the Parish, 5.30 Peggy Dickie RIP.

SHRINE LAMPS: Our Lady: Mrs Christina Mulligan RIP (both lamps)

Sacred Heart: Peace for N & J; **St Joseph:** Liberata Vella's Intentions

St Therese / St John Fisher: Therese Hoey; **St Pius X:** Fr Jude Ogbuanu - Thanksgiving

St Thomas More / St Anthony: Brenda Corrie's Wellbeing

CELEBRATING FAMILY The feast of the Holy Family last weekend was an chance for us all to think about our own families and to celebrate with them.

This year offers an unusual opportunity to do that in a very special way. On August 21-26, the World Meeting of Families (WMOF) will take place in Dublin: its highlight - a visit from Pope Francis.

During the WMOF, there will be a wide-ranging programme of talks and workshops for adults, events for young people and various activities for children.

That's in addition to exhibitions, cultural events and musical performances plus daily Mass.

All are welcome at this important and joyful international gathering. So why not start planning a visit now, perhaps as your annual holiday? More details to follow. For further info contact Carole Batty of the Southwark Diocesan Marriage & Family Life team on 07913 904997, or email carolemflkent@gmail.com.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS - Do you support Catholic Schools and the right of Catholics to send their children to them? Then we need you to make your voice heard.

The Government is making a critical decision on whether to overturn the admission cap which prevents Catholic schools from allowing all Catholic pupils to attend. They have acknowledged that this policy discriminates against Catholics and promised to abandon it. We now need you to tell them not to u-turn on their promise to Catholics.

Visit catholicnews.org.uk or type 'Catholic Education' in your search engine to write to the Government and urge them to drop their policy which bans new Catholic Schools.

WEDDINGS: Please make sure you give us at least 6 months' notice when applying to get married in a Catholic Church.

BAPTISMS: Usually these take place on the 1st Saturday of the month, but other dates can be agreed should there be the need. Please ring the Parish Office for enquiries.

REQUESTING A MASS INTENTION: If you know the date you would like a Mass Intention for, please request it as far ahead as possible, and we will endeavour to accommodate the date asked for. If an urgent need for prayer arises, we will do our best to shift an existing Intention, with the agreement of the donor of course.

MASS INTENTIONS & SHRINE LAMP INTENTIONS: envelopes are available at the back of church. Please return via the Presbytery letter box or hand to one of the clergy.

WEBSITE: If your parish group's details need mentioning / updating on our website please email the webmaster at: patheery@hotmail.com

BILLINGS NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: for confidential time with our Parish's Natural Family Planning advisers, who are also involved in our Marriage Preparation Programmes, please ring Dymphna on 07775 163693 for an appointment.

SVP (ST VINCENT DE PAUL): Our Parish SVP can now be additionally contacted at: SVPNewMalden@gmail.com. Please get in touch if you or anyone you know needs practical or spiritual help, giving both your details and those of the person/s concerned.

APPOINTMENTS: For appointments with Fr Uche, or for any other queries, please ring the Parish Office during office hours (see front page of the bulletin for times).

CANDLES IN CHURCH: Please NEVER leave lighted candles in church - **these are a fire hazard!** You can light only Votive Candles provided at the Shrines & for Adoration.

PLEASE MAKE SURE CHILDREN ARE SUPERVISED when in church. Please do not let them wander about unattended as it is disrespectful and possibly dangerous as there are always lighted candles in church.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA led by Father Uche - Monday 28th May - Thursday 31st May. Package price: £490 per person based on a minimum of 30 passengers. Price includes Air Portugal flights from London Heathrow, Full board accommodation and transfers in Portugal. Supplementary charges are single rooms at £68.00 per person and travel insurance at £27.00. Booking forms are available from the Parish Office and Anne D'Silva. For more information, please contact Anne on 07952 494120. (see poster in Narthex).

NB. Please return forms and deposit to Anne or the Parish Office by Sunday 28th January.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 7th, THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
Food Bank Collection

Sunday 14th

White Flower Annual Appeal at all Masses 9.30 Mass Children's Liturgy re-starts after the Christmas break

Monday 22nd, 10am

Funeral of Teresa Scanlon RIP

Tuesday 23rd & Tuesday 30th

NB. No 7am Mass on these 2 dates

Thursday 25th, 8-8.30pm

Praise, Worship, Prayer and Silence in front of the Blessed Sacrament, led by the Prayer Mission Teams

Saturday 27 / Sunday 28

Parish Mission Launch at all Masses

Friday 2nd February

The Presentation of the Lord (Candelmas)

THE JOEL COMMUNITY night shelter is looking for an organised and enthusiastic Grant and Community Fundraiser to join its staff team. The role is part-time at a salary of £22-24k p.a. pro rata. This is a role for raising funds through grant applications and local campaigns. The jobholder will also work closely with the Supporter Relations Coordinator to generate funds from local businesses and other organisations. Visit the Joel website at www.joelcommunityservices.org.uk or email info@joelcommunityservices.org.uk for a job application pack. The Application Deadline is 16th January 2018, 12 noon. Interviews will be held on 23rd January 2018 at St Peter's Church Hall, London Road, Kingston KT2 6QL.

Catholic man - mid 30s - currently seeking room to rent. Any information please call 07922 114647. Thank you.