

PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH

O Blessed St Joseph,
Patron of the Universal Church,
extend to all God's children the care you showed
to the Holy Family in Nazareth
and pray for us as we gather to celebrate the Eucharist.
Guide & protect all the people of our parish
and make the light of Christ shine among us
so that His Kingdom may be established in our midst.
Amen.



ST JOSEPH'S PARISH NEWS

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Parish Priest: Fr Patrick Mileham
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PARISH GROUPS

Rosary Group: Mondays after Mass
SVP: meets alternate Wednesdays at 2.30pm.
CAFOD group: meets monthly contact Mary Kane
Music Group: contact Julie Train
Bereavement Group: contact Maureen Barnes
Guild of St Stephen (altar servers): last Sat of the month at 9am
Play Group & Nursery: contact Ann King on 671356
Diners' Club: meets monthly
Men's Breakfast: 1st Saturday of the month 8.30am

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office: Maureen Barnes & Cath Nugent, office hours: Weds & Fri 10am-3pm
Gift Aid Organiser: Angela Thompson
Child Protection: Breda Helm
Parish Magazine: Margaret Taylor / Tony Hayward
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 4pm or by appointment
Sacrament of Baptism: after Mass on Sundays
Sacrament Marriage: By Appointment
Adoration: Mondays 7.30—8.30pm & Thursdays 8—8.30pm

SUNDAY MASS TIMES IN NEIGHBOURING PARISHES

Brownhills St Bernadette: Sat 6.30pm, Sun 10am
Cannock SS Mary & Thomas More: Sat 5.15pm, Sun 8am, 10.30am
Hednesford Our Lady of Lourdes: Sat 6pm, Sun 9.30am
Lichfield Holy Cross: Sun 8.30am, SS Peter & Paul Sat 6pm, Sun 11am
Rugeley SS Joseph & Etheldreda: Sat 7pm, Sun 11am, 6.30pm

*This parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham and registered as a charity.
Number 234216 (1883)
St Joseph's is a Fair Trade Parish*

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Week beginning Sunday 1 July 2012: *Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time*
Sundays Year B; weekdays Year 2

Sunday 1 July *Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5pm (Sat) Mass *Dec'd of Bailey & Brazier families*
10am Mass *People of the Parish*

Monday 2 July *Feria*

6.40pm Evening Prayer
7pm Mass & Holy Hour *Toni Langley*

Tuesday 3 July *St Thomas*

9.30am Mass (in church) *Joan Coley*

Wednesday 4 July *St Elizabeth of Portugal*

12pm Mass *Holy Souls*

Thursday 5 July *St Modwen*

No Service

Friday 6 July *St Maria Goretti*

9.15am Morning Prayer
9.30am Mass *Alan Smith*

Saturday 7 July *Feria*

4pm Confessions

Sunday 8 July *Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5pm (Sat) Mass & Benediction *People of the Parish*
10am Mass *Arthur Francis Owen*

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THE WORD THIS WEEK

The first words we hear from Scripture today are a powerful message of hope: 'Death was not God's doing, he takes no pleasure in the extinction of the living.' Our God is on the side of life, not death. In the Gospel we see how deeply Jesus is touched by the death of Jairus' daughter. He restores her to life and gives her back to her parents. Of course, in the end, all healing events are a postponement of life's course. Jairus' daughter, like Jairus, is long dead. All of us will have to pass through death. But our spirit will not. One day it will be reunited with our body, and we shall share eternal life with God. In the meantime, life is to be lived as a precious gift and for a noble purpose: to share in Jesus' life both now and for all eternity.



Indications for the Divine Office: Week 13 of the Year *Psalter Week 1*

Mon pp402 & 407; Tues pp816 (Pss p390) & 818 (Pss p1007);
Weds pp421 & 426 (+ p819); Thurs pp430 & 436; Fri pp 441 & 447 (+ p820);
Sat am p451; Sat pm p455 (+ p339); Sun pp460 & 467 (+ p339)

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who have died recently: Andrew Nicholas, Edward Haken, Doris Rose Page, Rev Ken Collins, Bernard Hession, John Carless, Brian Mealey, Patrick Gerard Murphy, Derrick Stone, Eileen Head, Richard Sedgely, Joan O'Grady, James Ward

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Vincent Foxhall, Michael Summerfield, Francis Patrick Neenan, Michael Edward Neenan

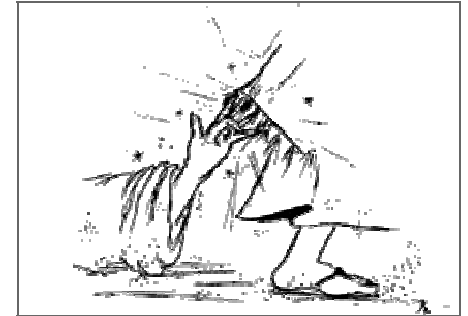
*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen*

The sick & housebound: Gillian Atkinson, Chris Austin, Christopher Barton, Christopher Brown, Nikki Carr, Pauline & Ken Chaplain, Anne Corfield, Auriel Dalley, Janet Evans, Stuart Frost, Jean Griffiths, Jill Gutteridge, Joshua Harley, Tracy Holland, Mary Hughes, Dorothy Hurley, Sally Ireson, Clare Kettle, Josie Kimberly, Lorraine Macbeth, John Magulski, Lily McGrath, Michael McGowan, Tracy McGregor, Amy McKeon, Anita McLean, Diane Meddings, Paul Robert Moffat, Daniel Moody, Ricardo Morcillo, Vincent Morgan, Betty Myatt, Elsie Norman, Maureen Parker, Bob Preston, Bernadette Samongie, Tony Scott, Margaret Smith, Michael Stanley, Margaret Taylor, Margaret Trickett, Cath Twyman, Matthew Waterfield, Josie Wilson, Jean Winsper, Maureen Withy, Letitia Worth

'My house shall be called a house of prayer'
Before Mass Talk to God, during Mass Listen to God,
after Mass Talk to each other

GENERAL NOTICES

Finance: 24 June £323.56
(gift aid: £128.62 loose: £194.94)
Second collections
last Sunday: Peter's Pence £262.94
this Sunday: Church maintenance
next Sunday: Apostleship of the Sea



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Rosary Group: Monday 2 July, in church after 7pm Mass. All welcome.

Diners' Club: Friday 20 July, The Nelson, Chorley at 7pm. Please sign the list.

Holyday of Obligation: The Feast of St Peter & St Paul, on June 29th is an Holyday. The Mass in church will be a vigil Mass on Thursday 28th June at 7pm & the morning Mass will be in the school hall at 10.30am

Children's Liturgy: All children who have not yet made their First Holy Communion are welcome to join in with children's liturgy. If anyone is interested in helping with this, especially at the Sat 5pm Mass, please let Fr Patrick know.

Invocation 2012: National discernment festival for men & women aged 16-35 from 6-8 July in the grounds of Oscott College. See poster at back of church.

Catholic Youth Summer Camp: Alton Castle 22-27 July for 13-18 year olds. Activities, teaching & prayer. See leaflet at back of church for more details.

Toddlers' Group: A new toddlers' group will be starting in September on Wednesday mornings in the parish hall. 9.30 - 11.30am. All support from parents, grandparents, carers, helpers etc. is welcome

Journey in Faith: Tuesday 4 September, 7.30pm in the parish hall. For those who want to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church & their sponsors. The sessions will take place fortnightly.