

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.

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

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Number 234216 (1883)
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ST JOSEPH'S PARISH NEWS

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Week beginning Sunday 8 July 2012: *Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time*
Sundays Year B; weekdays Year 2

Sunday 8 July *Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5pm (Sat)	Mass & Benediction	<i>People of the Parish</i>
10am	Mass	<i>Arthur Francis Owen</i>

Monday 9 July *St Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions*

6.40pm	Evening Prayer	
7pm	Mass & Holy Hour	<i>Derrick Stone</i>

Tuesday 10 July *Feria*

9.30am	Mass (in church)	<i>Joan Coley</i>
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Wednesday 11 July *St Benedict*

12pm	Mass	<i>Doris Salt</i>
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Thursday 12 July *Feria*

7.30pm	The Word, Holy Communion & Adoration	
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Friday 13 July *St Henry*

9.15am	Morning Prayer	
9.30am	Mass	<i>Fr Luke Waring</i>

Saturday 14 July *St Camillus*

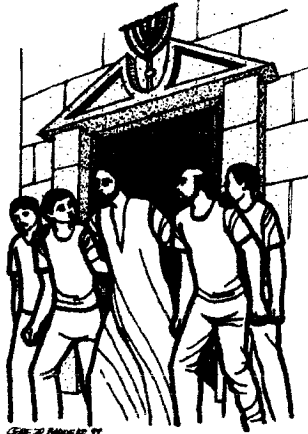
4pm	Confessions	
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Sunday 15 July *Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5pm (Sat)	Mass	<i>Margaret Hurmson</i>
10am	Mass	<i>People of the Parish</i>
6pm	United Service	<i>St Joseph's</i>

THE WORD THIS WEEK

A prophet's job is to open people's eyes to the reality of their situation - pointing out to them the things they would rather forget or ignore. A prophet is a sort of "national con-science", always awake to situations of injustice and always speaking out about them. A prophet is commissioned to do this by God, who sends the prophet on his mission. Jesus is just such a prophet - teaching and preaching about the Kingdom of God and the best way to live. Despite the welcome his message has received elsewhere, when he comes to his hometown he is faced with rejection - such that "he was amazed at their lack of faith." It is curious that they seem to accept his wisdom, and his miracles, but because he grew up among them they cannot accept him as a teacher from God. We should remember that it is often hardest to stand up for the truth among those who know us well.



Indications for the Divine Office: Week 14 of the Year Psalter Week 2

Mon pp475 & 481; Tues pp485 & 491; Weds pp1066 (+ pp390 & 821) & 1070 (+ pp1044 & 822); Thurs pp507 & 513; Fri pp518 & 523; Sat pp527 & 533 (+ p341)

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Those who have died recently: Andrew Nicholas, Edward Haken, Doris Rose Page, Rev Ken Collins, Bernard Hession

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Rev John Molyneux, Mary Catherine Clark, Walter Petryk, Pascal McGrath, Francis Wilfred Smith, Terence William McHale, Kitty Smith, Janet Ann Humphrey, Cornelius Augustine Cosgrove, Anne Pamela Corns

*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: 1 July £303.90
(gift aid: £91.01 loose: £212.89)

Second collections

last Sunday: Church maintenance £164.25

this Sunday: Apostleship of the Sea

next Sunday: St Anne's Organ Fund

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY



Rosary Group: Monday 9 July, 8pm. 101 Springhill Road. All welcome

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

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.

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.

CJM Concert: Sunday 22 July at 6pm. Tickets £5, on the door. Children free.

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: Monday 3 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.

Ordination: Please keep Rev Michael Glover in your prayers, he will be ordained priest next Saturday at Nuneaton. He is being sent to serve in our deanery, as the assistant priest at Burton-upon-Trent.