

St Joseph's Church

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Week Commencing Sunday 30th March 2014,

Fourth Sunday of Lent (Psalter Week 4, Ordinary Time Sunday readings Year A, Weekdays year II)

Saturday (For Sunday)

1700 (Sat for Sun) Josephine Kimberley

Sunday

1000 Oisin Sweeney

Monday Lent feria

No Mass

Tuesday Lent feria

0915 People of the Parish (*Primary School*)

1900 Oisin Sweeney (MTM)

Wednesday Lent feria

0915 Betty Costello

1310 Private Intention (*CG School*)

1845 Evening prayer

1900 Word & Sacrament

Eucharistic Adoration until 2030

Thursday Lent feria

0915 Lily McGrath

Friday Lent feria

1200 Keith Pooley

1230 CAFOD Soup lunch

1900 Stations of the Cross

Saturday Lent feria

1600 - 1645 Confessions

(Also available by appointment, please see Fr Paul)

Fifth Sunday of Lent

1700 (Sat for Sun) Dorothy & Howard Hurley

1000 Jean Winsper



Our Sick and Housebound Parishioners Gillian Atkinson, Chris Austin, Christopher Barton, Nikki Carr, Pauline & Ken Chaplain, Auriel Dalley, Blanaid Drain, Janet Evans, Stuart Frost, Jill Gutteridge, Mary Hughes, Sally Ireson, Clare Kettle, Lorraine Macbeth, John Magulski, Phoebe Gartshore, Lily McGrath, Michael McGowan, Anita McLean, Paul Robert Moffat, Daniel Moody, Ricardo Morcillo, Bob Preston, Bernadette Samongie, Tony Scott, Margaret Taylor, Margaret Trickett, Cath Twyman, Matthew Waterfield, Josie Wilson, Maureen Withy, Letitia Worth, Maureen Dewsberry, Phoebe Gardner, Mary Stone, John Mountford, Ann Darcy,

Helen Harvey, David Newis, Beulah Russell, Mike Edwards, Derrick Brown.

Our most recently deceased: Kathleen Phillips, Brian Carter, Winifred Phillips, Sandra Victoria Parry, Maureen Parker, Margaret Smith, Michael Stanley, Janet Bate, George Sniezko-Blocki, John Joseph Brown, Dorothy Irene Hurley, Julian Wotton, Joshua Harley, Julian Lee Cotton and Mary Emma Horton, Elsie Norman, Jean Winsper, Patricia Ann Heap.

Those whose anniversary falls within the week: Susan Jeffers, Francis Neenan, Stanley Brozowski, Oisin Sweeney, Harriet May Williamson, Edward James O'Loughlin, Nora Black, Kathleen Winifred Jones, Leonard John Bradbury, Daniel Joseph Burke, Patricia Ann Murtagh, Theresa Gwendoline Edge, Marjorie Dorema Neenan.

Offerings: For last weekend; Gift Aid £156.03 Loose: £172.66. This week's second collection is in support of our Church maintenance. Thank you so much for your generosity.

Rosary Group: Meets Monday 31 March at 38 Highfield Road, Chasetown, 7.30.

Friday Prayer Group: Continues on Friday 11th April 7.30 pm directly following the Stations of the Cross.

St Joseph's Summer Fate: Interested in a Summer Fate? Helpers needed to bring a touch of St Joseph's to the community. Contact Jacqueline Perry on 01543 684582 if you can help with the organisation.

Series of talks for Inspiration and Guidance: There will be a series of talks on Friday evenings as below. You are of course most welcome to Holy Hour followed by refreshments and discussion on the other Fridays during Term time. Each Friday begins at 7.00pm at Hilton House: WS14 0HA (Phone 01543 480428) **11th April:** 'Root of Searching' Fr. Paul Haines **9th May:** 'Prayer in Easter Time' - Fr. David Oakley **23rd May:** 'Truth, Humility and Simplicity in Therese' - Fr. John Udris **13th June:** 'Conversion is on-going' - Fr. David Keniry Final date to be announced shortly

Would you like a Senior Citizens Luncheon Club here once a month from May following a Midday Mass: Freshly cooked two course meal, light entertainment and a chance to have a good natter. Dear senior citizens would you like this? (£4 per person excellent value). Transport can be arranged. If so please let Fr Paul or Carol (01543 529169) know and if interest is good, we will put the wheels in motion.

Sincere thanks from the family of the late Jean Winsper: The family of Jean would like to thank all the parishioners who attended the funeral mass for Jean and for the love, care and friendship shown to her over many years. Thank you all so very much. *Love from Gill and the family of Jean.*

The CAFOD group will be selling raffle tickets after Mass this weekend for their luxury Easter hamper. Your support is very much appreciated. The next meeting of the CAFOD group will be on Tuesday April 11th at 7.30pm in the hall. All welcome.

St Joseph & St Theresa's School Sponsored bike ride for cancer charities. Thank you to everyone who sponsored our Year 6 children's Lenten bike ride in aid of cancer charities. The ride was completed on Thursday afternoon. For those who agreed, if you haven't already done so, please arrange to pay one of the Year 6 children after mass this week-end. Once again, thank you for your generosity.

Parish Details: Office opening hours Wednesday 1000 until 1500: contacts Julie Train & Cath Nugent. Gift aid Organiser: Angela Thompson. Child Protection: Breda Helm. Parish Magazine: Nichola Hurley & June McDearmid. For Baptisms and Weddings: contact Fr Paul direct. Baptism Preparation: Jacqueline Perry. **Parish Groups:** CAFOD: group meets monthly - see Mary Kane. Guild of St Stephen (Altar Servers): meet first Saturday of the month at 0900. Toddlers Group: Wednesday 1300 - 1500 contact Liz Wootton on 897413. Nursery: contact Ann King on 671356. Diner's Club: meets monthly see Douglas Thompson. Men's Breakfast: 1st Saturday of the month 0830. Hall Management including Bookings: Peter Van-Hagen: Telephone 01543 673634.