

Parish of Saint Joseph Malvern

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SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Year A

3rd - 4th June 2023

TRINITY OFFERS THE GIFT OF RELATIONSHIP

God is not a loner. Even before the conception of time, all three persons of the triune God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit–dwelled in perfect harmony. No person in the Trinity insists that the others revolve around him; rather each of them voluntarily circles and orbits around the others. In the creation of humanity, the Lord God said: "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him." (Genesis 2:18). When God gave Eve to Adam, God wanted Adam and Eve to centre their lives on Him and on each other. This right relationship was ruined when Adam and Eve chose to go their own way. This choice both, affected their horizontal relationships (relationships with others) and their vertical relationship (relationship with God). Due to the fall our self-interest is the centre around which our endeavours, desires, words, thoughts, and actions spiral. We all make the same choice Adam and Eve did: We turn our worship away from God toward ourselves. We must remember that we are made to reflect the Trinity and cease to revolve around ourselves, but rather around God and the lives of others.

Masses, Services & Intentions

Sat	03	Memorial of Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs	10.00am	Holy Mass	Holy Souls
Sat	03	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Dorothy Brooks RIP (Sue Whitteron)
Sun	04	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	10.00am	Holy Mass Live streamed	Michael J Smith RIP & Family
Mon	05	Memorial of St Boniface	12.00 noon	Holy Mass Live streamed	Mary Foster RIP (Lynne Harper)
Tue	06	Feria in Ordinary Time	7.45am	Holy Mass	Thanksgiving (Bincy Jennymon)
Wed	07	Feria in Ordinary Time		Private Mass	
Thu	08	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	10am – 6.45pm		
Thu	08	Feria in Ordinary Time	7.00 pm	Holy Mass Live streamed	Special Intention (Lynne Harper)
Fri	09	Feria in Ordinary Time	9.15am	Beech (Year 6) &Oak Class (Years1&2) Holy Mass	
Sat	10	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Holy Mass	World Refugees (Helen Connelly)
Sat	10	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Aldo Cresta RIP (Daniela Cresta)
Sun	11	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST	10.00am	Holy Mass Live streamed	Veronica Ferguson (RIP) Carol Ann Harnett
	11	UKRAINIAN GREEK CATHOLIC LITURGY	3.00PM	Holy Liturgy	

HOLY MASS AT ST JOSEPH'S is livestreamed on some days via YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/@stjosephs.rcparish.malvernuk or https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq9QGYz7CmmPDRxzmT_tto

Pope's Prayer Intention for June: For the abolition of Torture







Fr Naz hears confession in the Confessional from 10:30am until 11am on Saturdays or by appointment.

PLEASE PRAY FOR the sick & housebound of St Joseph's parish: Clare Gray, Michael Nealon, Irma Bevan, Anne Wiseman, Martin Burger, Anne-Marie Elder, Margaret Coleman, Terry Warneford, and Jessica. We include all those in hospitals, nursing homes & their own homes. Our Lady, health of the sick, pray for them. Amen

Recent Dead: Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of Father Anthony Davies, Retired Priest of the Archdiocese, who died on Sunday 21st May, 2023, aged 81.



Congratulations to Jasmine Sheringham & Rowan Dabin who got married on Friday, 2nd June. Jasmine is Sheila Sheringham's daughter. Please keep them in your prayers

Annual Parish Meeting. The APM will start with Benedction at 3.40pm in church then proceed with the meeting at 4.00 pm in the McEnnis room this Sunday 4th June. Everyone is welcome to the meeting or join into the via zoom link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85418967242?pwd=MVdBSFJYSVIvTEE5eFB1TTZWUnIGZz09 Meeting ID: 854 1896 7242 Passcode: 791904

Reaching Out to Parents An ambitious initiative has taken place to offer tea/coffee & cake in the McEnnis Room to the parents of children in our school at the pick-up time every Monday. The first experience last week was very positive. For this to continue we shall need volunteers from the parish to serve tea & coffee as well as volunteers to donate cakes. Also, everyone is welcome to pop in & have a chat with the parents.

Edd Hogan completes Ride London 2023

Thank you to all those who supported me with raising funds for the Teenage Cancer Trust at Ride London last weekend. I'm pleased to say that I did it in 5hrs 19minutes with an overall average pace of 30.7kph over the 100 miles. The total raised is around £3,000 which will be further bolstered by Gift Aid and also an element of match-funding from my employer, Marsh. There will be a longer article about the event in the next edition of the parish magazine. Tom's treatment is continuing, and he will soon begin radiotherapy alongside the chemotherapy. He's showing great strength. Thank you for your continued and unwavering support through prayers, Mass offerings, candles being lit and the collective support from the whole parish.

Keeping Going. Biblical Reflections for Synodality and Journeying Together Sunday June 18th 2pm to 4pm Selly Park Convent B29 7LL David McLoughlin (Theologian & formerly Newman University) & Fleur Dorrell (Bible Society & Bishops Conference of England and Wales) will be leading an afternoon reflection time using the scriptures to reflect on our journeying together in a synodal Church. Refreshments will be provided. To register please email: actabhm@gmail.com

<u>The Thursday Group</u> will be meeting on **Thursday June** 8th (not June 1st) at The Golf Club for our June lunch at **12.00** midday for **12.30pm**.

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST: The 10am Mass will end with a procession from Church around the premisses and back to Church for closing Benediction

Parish Magazine Copy Day for the next edition is Sunday 11 June. All contributions very welcome - don't be shy about writing for us. Many thanks Margaret Rank

One World Group Parish Supper On 14th June, we shall be receiving a visit from Fr Arockiaraj from our Indian partners Reaching the Unreached. Fr Arockiaraj will be presiding at a special Mass at 6pm & we would like to invite as many parishioners as possible to join us for the Mass & for a communal meal afterwards. On the following morning, Fr Arockiaraj will be visiting our School to talk to the children & staff about RTU's work with the poor and underprivileged.

Tea in the garden (indoors if wet)

Chris and Liz Burger warmly invite you to join them for tea, cakes and social time in their garden on Sunday, 2nd July from 2p.m. 120 Lower Howsell Road, Malvern Link. WR14 1DL.

STONE PICKING AND BBQ.

On Sunday 9th July, 2pm start, Felicity and Paul Tutton are hosting a church 'community spirit venture with a difference' at Hopkin Cottage, Grit Lane, Malvern, WR14 1UR. In return for helping with some tedious yet crucial picking up of stones from our small field, we will provide a BBQ and deserts to finish the afternoon with. If the weather is kind, we will also end the day around the fire pit with views to the hills for those who would like to stay later. As background, we moved here two years ago and are trying to establish the once overgrown field and garden areas into a space people from the church can come for quiet retreats, art days etc, either alone or with friends. We have clay soil and getting this field established is the next big job on our list. We believe that many hands make light(er) work!!!

Noahs Camp is running again 7-11 August 2023 Please put the date in your diaries & tell your friends & families We have great speakers including Christy Wimber, Michelle and Peter Moran, Daniella Stephens and Derek Williams. There will be something for everyone: inspiring talks in our blue and white stripy tent, workshops, fun family times, quiet prayer in our prayer tent. Food on-site will include Tomaz with his Coffee Bike, Pizzas, Ice creams & much more. To book please visit https://www.noahscamp.co.uk/

What does it mean to have a Mass "offered" for someone? When a priest offers Holy Mass, offers it in union with the whole Church and for the good of the whole Church. Secondly, he offers for a particular intention, such as the repose of the soul of someone who has died. An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or, as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. To have a Mass offered on the occasion of a birthday, anniversary or special need is appropriate, beneficial and appreciated. Mass requests are welcome as we have a few gaps at the moment.

