



Parish of Saint Joseph

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The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Kevin Douglas. They can be contacted at: sg.stjoseph.malvern@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – Year B

11th – 12th May 2024

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SERVICE TIMES AND INTENTIONS

DAY	DATE	DETAILS OF THE DAY	TIME	MASS/SERVICE	INTENTION
Sat	11	Easter Feria	10.00am	Holy Mass	Sue Cumming † (Vicky Alfonso)
	11	Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church (UGCC)	1.30pm	Liturgy	
	11	VIGIL OF SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Holy Souls
	11	DAY 2 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Sun	12	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	11.00am	Holy Mass – Live streamed	Tom & Family -Special Intention
	12	DAY 3 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Mon	13	Easter Feria	12noon	Holy Mass – Live streamed	Holy Souls
	13	DAY 4 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Tue	14	Feast of St Matthias. Apostle	7.45am	Holy Mass	Intentions of Sr. Sylvia (Pauline Kirton)
	14	DAY 5 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
	14	RCIA GROUP HOUSE MASS (at Carol Ann's Home)	7.30pm	Holy Mass	
Wed	15	Easter Feria		Private Mass	
	15	DAY 6 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Thur	16	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	10am-6.45pm	In Church	
	16	Easter Feria	7.00pm	Holy Mass – Live streamed	Tom Hogan – Wellbeing and Family
	16	DAY 7 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Fri	17	Easter Feria	9.15am	Holy Mass	Eileen Burger † (Chris Liz Burger)
	17	DAY 8 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Sat	18	Easter Feria	10.00am	NO MASS	
	18	VIGIL OF SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Holy Souls
	18	DAY 9 PENTECOST NOVENA	7.00 – 7.20pm	ZOOM PRAYER	
Sun	19	SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: 2024	11.00am	Holy Mass – Live streamed	First Holy Communion Children



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/UCq9QGYz7Cm_mPDRxzmT_tto

Pope's Prayer Intention for May: For the formation of religious and seminarians. We pray that religious women and men and seminarians grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formations, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

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

GOSPEL SHARE GROUP meets every Friday in the McEnnis Room at 7.30 pm for one hour. Please come and join in.

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

Important Notice from Nazzarena - Parish Administrator - I will be away from the office from Tuesday 30th April until returning on Tuesday, 28th May. Kind Regards Nazzarena 😊

FORTHCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

THIS WEEK: Catholic Communications

NEXT WEEK: Sudan Crisis Appeal for CAFOD

25/27 MAY: CHRISTIAN AID WEEK COLLECTION A big thank you to all who responded to Win's appeal for people to post Christian Aid envelopes through 20-30 houses in your road during Christian Aid Week 12th - 19th May. Please remember, there is no need to go back to collect them. Since your address will be printed on the envelope, if people post any through your door, bring them to church so they can be passed on to Win. Due to the Sudan crisis, the special collection at our weekend Masses will be held on the weekend of 25/26th May

INVITATION TO THE DAILY NOVENA PRAYER OF PENTECOST ON ZOOM.

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/3146559791?pwd=QlhuOFhiSW5qd2JpNi9YZmxkbzh5UT09>

Meeting ID: 314 655 9791 Passcode: 7u2iRm

Starting Friday, May 10, till Saturday May 18th from 7.00pm – 7.20pm. A Novena is a model prayer for Christians. It is grounded at the birth of the church when the apostles, along with the Blessed Virgin Mary and other women (Acts 1::13-14) joined in prayer for nine days. They all devoted themselves with one accord to prayer. Nine days later the Holy Spirit descended upon them at Pentecost, pouring out grace and spiritual gifts. These nine days have become a model of prayer for many Christians and have been used to develop several devotions that involve nine day or nine months of prayer for specific intentions

ANNUAL TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY at Belmont Abbey, Wednesday, 15th May 2024 at 9.00pm

Annual Parish Meeting & Election of new PAC members Our APM will be held in the McEnnis Room at 4pm, Sunday 2nd June. Reports will be presented from Fr Naz, the Parish Finance Committee and the PAC Chair. Please do come and hear about how various parish groups help Fr Naz and contribute to making St Joseph's a thriving parish. If you have agenda items for the APM or questions for the PAC and Fr Naz, please get in touch with the parish office or Edd (Chair, PAC). We do need several new PAC Members so if you would like to join the PAC please watch out for nomination forms from next weekend.

PARISH THANKSGIVING FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. The First Holy Communion children have their final celebration Mass on 9th June, followed by a bring and share lunch, hopefully in the parish garden. This is open to the whole parish as we celebrate the journey these young people have made. Please bring a dish of finger food to share.

Tea in the Garden (Indoors if wet) You are warmly invited to join Liz & Chris for tea, cakes and social time in their garden on Sunday, 9th June from 2pm. 120 Lower Howsell Road, Malvern Link, WR14 1DL

Worcester Circle Newman Association

It is beautiful to be old: a Catholic perspective on ageing and the church. Prof. Peter Kevern will explore the beauties and challenges of ageing in Catholic teaching. All ages welcome! St. Georges RC Church Hall, Worcester Thursday May 23rd 7.30 pm.

A WEEK OF ACCOMPANIED PRAYER

"Would you like the opportunity to deepen your relationship with God, with the personal help of a prayer guide? Jane Long and Anne King, who are members of the Worcester Diocesan Network of Spiritual Directors, would love to offer you a week of accompanied prayer. The week will start on Sunday June 2nd with a get-together of participants and a cup of tea from 3.30 to 5.00 in the McEnnis Room. Then from Monday to Friday, each day, you will have the opportunity of a one-to-one meeting for 45 minutes with your prayer guide, at a time to suit you. We will end the week with a final group meeting on Saturday June 8th at 3.30 in the McEnnis Room. For more information please see the leaflets at the back of the church or you can contact Jane Long on 01684 566101 or by email, janelong@icloud.com OR Anne king on 07437498079 or by email, anneking5@icloud.com
Following Mass this weekend Jane will speak about the week and be available to chat to you."

OFSTED REPORT GOOD (again)!!

Staff and children at St Joseph's Catholic Primary School in Malvern were delighted to receive their latest OFSTED report which yet again rated them as a GOOD school in all areas.

Headteacher Therese Langford said, "We couldn't be prouder to have retained our Good status under the latest OFSTED framework. **CONGRATULATIONS!!!!**