



# Parish of Saint Joseph, Malvern, Worcestershire

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**NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Year C**

**17 – 18 August 2019**

'Lord, come to my aid!.'

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## LIGHTING A FIRE

It's not easy for us to accept Jesus as bringing fire, destined to destroy so much lying, violence and injustice. He wanted to radically transform the world, even at the cost of challenging and dividing people. Following Jesus isn't a kind of fatalism, passive and resigned to the status quo, valuing tranquility above all else.

### Mass Times and Intentions for This Week

Saturday	17	Our Lady on Saturday	10.00 am 10.30-11.00 am	Holy Mass Confessions	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	6.00 pm	Holy Mass	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	10.00 am	Holy Mass	People of the Parish
Monday	19	St John Eudes, Priest	12 noon	Holy Mass	Sheila Logan † (Pat Fenwick)
Tuesday	20	Memorial of St Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church	9.15 am	Holy Mass	
Wednesday	21	Memorial of St Pius X, Pope	9.15 am	Eucharistic Service	
Thursday	22	Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9am -6.45pm 6.45 pm <b>7.00 pm</b>	Exposition Benediction <b>Holy Mass</b>	
Friday	23	St John Wall, Priest, Martyr	9.15 am	Holy Mass	
Saturday	24	St Bartholomew, Apostle	10.00 am 10.30-11.00 am	Holy Mass Confessions	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	6.00 pm	Holy Mass	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	10.00 am	Holy Mass	People of the Parish

#### FR NAZ WILL BE ON LEAVE FROM TUESDAY 10<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER UNTIL FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER.

He will be visiting his home in Malawi and celebrating his 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination to the priesthood with his family and friends there. There will be five others from the UK travelling with him.

While he is away there will be cover for all the Saturday 6 pm and Sunday 10 am masses. There will be a reduced number of masses during the weekdays. Masses will be added to the bulletin, the website and the notice board as they are known.

**Diary Date - There will be a parish Healing Service at St Joseph's at 5pm on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2019**

**New Ministers' Rota** is available in the narthex.

### **Parish Office Opening hours this week**

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	08.30 – 12.30
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday	9.00 – 11.00
Friday	Closed

**The preparation and catechesis for the Sacrament of Confirmation** will start on the 9th September. The sessions for children will be on Mondays at 4.30pm each week. If you wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation please fill in a form located at the back of church & place in the letter box in the entrance lobby. Full dates are displayed on the notice board. The Bishop will confer the Sacrament on

### **Wednesday 20th November at 7pm Mass.**

(please note the change of date which is due to the move of Bishop Robert Byrne to his new diocese of Hexham and Newcastle & the necessary rearrangement of commitments.)

**St Joseph's School Autumn Fair 11am-2pm Saturday 21 September.** Everyone is welcome to come along and join in the fun in the school grounds, including a BBQ, tombola, games, stalls, bouncy castle and ukulele entertainment. There will be a family scarecrow competition with a film theme. £5 per entry. Winning scarecrow will win a family hamper & trophy.

**Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the English Martyrs, Harvington Hall** led by Bishop David McGough this annual event takes place from noon on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September. If you would like to be part of a parish group, joining Fr Naz, please add your name to the list at the back of church. We will travel by car to Harvington (outside Droitwich) after the 10am Sunday Mass and join others from around the archdiocese in prayer and worship. Bring a pop up chair and picnic. We will arrive back in Malvern around 5pm. For more information, please see the poster on the noticeboard or speak to Edd Hogan.

**Blessed John Henry Cardinal Newman** is to be canonised in Rome on the Feast of St Edward the Confessor, 13<sup>th</sup> October. This is a wonderful moment for so many reasons. Our 10am Sunday Mass on that day will reflect the solemn occasion.

**The Well Counselling Listening and Connecting Well Course** A ten week course Thursdays 10.00am – 12.30pm Starting 12 September – 28 November 2019 Further details [www.thewellcounselling.co.uk](http://www.thewellcounselling.co.uk) or email on [info@thewellcounselling.co.uk](mailto:info@thewellcounselling.co.uk)

**Lyttleton Well Fund Raising Quiz Evening Saturday 14 September 7.00 for 7.30.** £2.50 entry. Come as a team of 4 or just turn up on the evening and make up a team. Refreshments (donations) available.

**Room required** Lauren Harper is a 27 year old Christian girl who is currently renting with a Christian family in Worcester. She is starting a new job in Malvern, and wishes to rent a room in Malvern. If you are able to help with this request or know of anyone who may be able to, please contact Lauren on [laurenleigh3@outlook.com](mailto:laurenleigh3@outlook.com)

### **Current shortages at Malvern Hills Food Bank are:**

Sponge puddings, 500gm bags of rice, jars of curry sauce, jars of pasta sauce, Fray Bentos Pies in a tin, tinned fruit, instant coffee, 1 litre bottles of squash, ladies and men's toiletries (shampoo, deodorant, shower gel), adult toothpaste and toothbrushes, toilet rolls, bathroom and kitchen surface cleaner, cup a soup, sugar, UHT milk as always. Thank you all for your generous and continued support.

### **Pilgrimage to Rome – Newman's Canonisation**

A pilgrimage to Rome Friday 11<sup>th</sup> to Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2019. It includes attending Newman's Canonisation Mass at St Peter's on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October. Flying from Stanstead. Coach transfers to and from the airport included in the cost. Picking up from Birmingham and Stratford. Rome Tax extra. Half board. Cost: £550 - sharing. £600 - single rooms (limited). Deposit: £150. The weekend will also include an English-speaking tour guide and the opportunity to visit some of the sites of Rome. This will be a combination of walking tours and travelling on a coach. You can book online

<http://www.northernstartravel.com/Tours/Rome> or via the telephone by contacting Adrian Duffy at Northern Star Travel 0161 773 2115, mobile: 07821 924528. Email: [info@northernstartravel.com](mailto:info@northernstartravel.com). For more information. Andrew Oldnall 07733 226063 or [andrewsoldnall@gmail.com](mailto:andrewsoldnall@gmail.com).

**Christmas Angel project** aims to share God's love at Christmas & bless the community. See [www.christmasangel.net](http://www.christmasangel.net) If you enjoy knitting or crocheting and would like to be part of this year's 'Angel Project' come along to the **Welcome Room Lansdowne Crescent Methodist Church** on a Friday from 2-4pm, to knit and crochet the angels, meet new people, chat and enjoy a cup of tea. The first 'angel knit in' will be on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October**. Wool and the simple angel pattern will be provided. All are welcome.

**ARISE Youth Conference 4 days 29th-1st September 2019.** MEGA Youth Conference for Youth in A-Level and above at University of Worcester, St John's Campus WR2 6AJ. Action-packed 4 days, powerful encounters and transforming life stories. An arena full of music, friendship and fun. Experience the Loving God in a completely new way and rediscover your true self! [www.JESUSYOUTH.CO.UK](http://www.JESUSYOUTH.CO.UK) "I will make you an everlasting pride, a joy from generation to generation Isaiah 60:15

**The ecumenical intention this week is for** The Salvation Army, Newtown Road. Lt Sarah Griffiths; outreach to the community, work with mothers and toddlers, youth and children.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR: The sick and housebound of St Joseph's parish, including: Anne Wiseman, Martin Burger, Monika Hill, Charlie Hill, Barbara Innes, Raymond Bree, Nicholas Ratcliff, Ellen Verdult, Stan Chetwood, Pauline Kirton. We include all those in hospitals, nursing homes and their own homes. Our Lady, Health of the sick, pray for them.**