

PARISH OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (year B) 2nd June 2024

Bereavement Coffee Morning - If you would like to come along to our coffee morning next Saturday 8th June at 10:30am in St Joseph's PNL Centre, Meeting Room, trained befrienders will be there and you will be welcome.

Gift Aid: The end of year Tax Statements were emailed this week, if you have not received yours, please check your junk mail and let the Gift Aid Team know if it has not arrived (pnlgiftaid@gmail.com). If you normally receive your statement by letter, it will be available for you to please collect from the back of the church.

Thinking about becoming a Catholic, or maybe want to be confirmed as an adult? We run informal 'Come and see' sessions looking at different aspects of our faith. Please contact the parish office for more information

Live Life to the Full Summer Camp for young people in School years 7-11. The Lay Community of St Benedict are running a residential event for young people. With opportunities for inspiring talks, uplifting prayer, fun activities and space to just be this Summer camp will help your faith soar! 20-24 August at Worth Abbey. Contact Pete for more information E: lcsb.pete@gmail.com. Early bird prices available before 30th June

Our SVP groups are reaching out to those in any kind of need, please call 07918980330 and they will call back.

Keep the day free - Our Parish Day will be on Sunday 14th July in St Joseph's School grounds. Continue to pray for fine weather. If you can help, contact the parish office.

Rosary Group Tuesdays at St Joseph's from 7pm – 8pm.

Parents, Babies & Toddlers Group this Wed 5th June in the main hall in St Joseph's PNL Centre at 10.30am.

St Joseph's Primary School Summer Fayre on Saturday 22nd June, 12-3pm. All welcome to join us for an enjoyable afternoon of entertainment, food, traditional games, market stalls and much, much more!

Reception Places at St Joseph's Primary School: This year our pupil numbers have been severely affected by the low birth rate year as well as other factors such as families relocated from the area. We are holding an additional open morning on Saturday 13th July to try and fill some of the spaces. If you know anyone that would like to take up a place at St Joseph's for reception in September 2024, please ask them to contact the school office for an application pack and to arrange a tour if they would like. Low pupil numbers affect our funding and we are keen to get the word out to families who might want to choose us. As you know we welcome all families to St Joseph's.

Jesus Youth UK invites all teenagers (school years 8-12) to the exciting Teens Conference "IGNITE 2024" at Worth Abbey School in Crawley from Aug 23rd-26th Join us for four days of music, theatre, sessions, testimonies, and fun. For more details and to register, visit JesusYouth.co.uk. For queries, email teensministry@jesusyouth.co.uk

Parish Sunday Lunch next Sunday 9th June at the PNL Centre at St Joseph's from 12.30pm, hosted by our Filipino Community. All welcome - so come with family & friends and meet your fellow parishioners. Bring your own drinks, no charge, donations welcome.

Please keep our children in your prayers as over the next few weekends they receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time - may they teach us to treasure this most precious gift with grateful lives as we follow the Lord.

Children's Liturgy of the Word next Sunday (9th June) during the 11am Mass at St Joseph's. To comply with diocesan safeguarding rules we must adhere to the appropriate adult/child ratios meaning limited numbers, each child must have a consent form pre-filled by their parent or guardian, and a registration of children attending is required for each session. We are starting the sessions on an ad hoc basis with volunteers who are all DBS checked, with hopes of increasing frequency when more volunteers come forward. We welcome anybody who would like to volunteer, please get in touch. For more information contact pnlchildliturgy@gmail.com. and to give consent for each child go to; <https://forms.gle/XJgWreVksmvK7Pwv9>

Election: A Year of Encounter—using our Catholic Voice in the General Election. For this reason the SVP and CAFOD are inviting parishes to reach out to local candidates in the General Election. We are part of a community of over five million Catholics in the UK and there will be a parish meeting to discuss some of the important issues of *our* time and how to reach out to our local candidates on Wednesday 12 June at 8pm in the PNL Centre.

The Bishops' Conference website: For information about election issues important to Catholics. Please visit webpage <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/election24/>

Quiz Night on Friday 28th June: Run by Reigate Catenian Association for A&B Lourdes Red Shirts. At St Joseph's PNL Hall from 7pm. £5 (cash) per person. Please bring own food and drink (BYO). There will be a raffle during the night. Teams formed on the night or bring your own (6 per team). No need to book. For more info please contact Gerry O'Dwyer at gerry.odwyer@btinternet.com

17th Reigate Scouts & 10th Redhill Guides: Suitable for all ages please join us on Saturday 15 June for a family race night in the Davis Scout Centre. Tickets are £3 per person with first race at 7pm. There will be refreshments including a light supper but please bring your own drinks. Tote available at 50p per bet. Being run jointly by 17th Reigate Scout Group and 10th Redhill Guides.

Collections

Offertory Collection last weekend: £962.79

Missionary Endeavour of the Diocese: £440.43

Thank you for your generosity

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ST JOSEPH'S 17TH REIGATE SCOUTS
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EAST SURREY HOSPITAL
The hospital will not inform the Catholic chaplain, Fr Alban (01293 431703), of your presence in the hospital unless a specific request is made by either yourself or your family for a visit. If you would like a visit from him please ask the hospital staff or contact him directly yourself.
If you are going in hospital as a 'Planned Admission' you are encouraged to contact Fr Tony to receive the Sacrament of the Sick prior to your Hospital stay.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR
THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND**

Rosemary Roberton, Madeleine McLean, Annie, Toni Sice, Rosa Godlewski, Paul & Audrey Edwards, Michael Wood, Angela Brett, Mark Dalton, Frankie Harding, Teresa Thorp, Francesco Ambrosio, Steven Biczok-Hardy, Tomasina Harman, Margaret Murray, Zosia, Susan McMenamin, Shelagh Green, Patricia Blackwell, Chris Bayley, Jean Longley, Bridget Steward, Dilys Purtell, Rosaline Liberman, Brigid Gow, Anne Grier, Lydia Fagan, Fr Laurence Quin-Morris, Maria Dimaculangan, Marion & Barry Scholefield, Malcolm & Maria Chelvanayagam, Damian Poole, Margaret Byrne, Edith Rashbrook, Sarah Healy, Sheilaine Barrientos, Kathleen Beckey, Richard Greaves, Claire Chantal, Meli Greaves, and all the sick and housebound of our parish.

If you, or someone you know, is sick & housebound and would like to receive Communion please contact the parish

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (year B)

Ex 24:3-8; Ps 115; Heb 9:11-15; Mk14:12-16.22-26

Response: The cup of salvation I shall raise; I will call on the Lord's name

Sat 1 Jun 17.30 Katy & Patrick Ramsey's wedding anniv
Sun 2 Jun
Holy Family 09.00 Peter May RIP
St Joseph's 11.00 People of the parish
St Teresa's 17.30 Maria (Terry) Bajada RIP

Mon 3 Jun **St Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs**
St Teresa's 10.00 Special Intention

Tue 4 Jun
No Mass

Wed 5 Jun **St Boniface, Bishop, Martyr**
St Joseph's 10.30 Funeral Mass for Carmel Peaston RIP

Thur 6 Jun
Holy Family 10.00 Farrukh family Int

Fri 7 Jun **The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**
St Joseph's 10.00 Maura Hudson RIP

The Tenth Sunday of the Year (year B)

Gn 3:9-15; Ps 129; 2Cor 4:13-5:1; Mk 3:20-35

Response: With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption

Sat 8 Jun 17.30 John Davis RIP
Sun 9 Jun
Holy Family 09.00 People of the parish
St Joseph's 11.00 Carmel Peaston RIP
St Teresa's 17.30 Private Intention

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Following the Saturday evening Mass,
and by appointment, please contact the parish office

Prayers for the Sick - If you would like to add someone to the list, please make sure you have that person's permission. Please inform us when your loved one has recovered and can be removed from the list. Thank you.

Visiting the Sick and Housebound Our Extraordinary ministers of Communion are bringing Communion to our parish's frailer members and currently we have about 40 being visited monthly. Our SVP members also visit on a regular basis. If you know of anyone who cannot come to Mass and would like such a visit please contact the parish office after obtaining their permission.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

Carmel Peaston RIP her funeral will take place on Wed 5th June at 10.30am at St Joseph's, followed at Redstone Cemetery

Dilys Purtell RIP her funeral has not yet been arranged

Please remember them and their families in your prayers