

PARISH OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

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4th Sunday in Lent (Year B) - 11th March 2018

THE EASTER TRIDUUM

The Easter Triduum (three days) holds together as one liturgy and believers throughout the world will gather as 'Church' to keep the Christian Passover. Thank you for the words of support encouraging we keep these days in the parish in a way that as many as possible can come together around one altar. The times of the Liturgy will be: Holy Thursday 8pm – Good Friday 3pm – Easter Vigil Saturday 8.30pm at St Joseph's Church.

MINISTRIES FOR THE TRIDUUM

Musicians from our various Sunday Masses are meeting together to help plan the liturgy. Please could all Welcomers, Readers and Eucharistic Ministers let their co-ordinators, or the parish office, know if they could be available to minister during the triduum.

HOLY THURSDAY – WASHING OF FEET

The Lord washed his disciples feet as a sign of serving those who were to serve others. It would be good to wash the feet of those who offer some service in the parish. If you would like to nominate someone, ask them first and then pass their name to the parish office.

DEANERY RECONCILIATION SERVICE

There will be a Lenten Service with time for individual confessions on Mon 26th Mar from 6.30pm until 8pm in St Joseph's Church, with several priests available to celebrate God's sacrament of forgiveness.

CONFIRMATION GROUP

Well done! to our Confirmation Candidates for raising funds from their recent 'Bacon Buttie' events. They raised £155 which will be split between Racial Justice and Parish Pilgrimage Fund, and £158 for CAFOD Lent appeal (which will be doubled by UK Government) Many thanks to all who supported them.

HOLLY NEEDS A FRIEND

Holly loves to come to Mass, she is in a wheelchair, she has no speech but is full of love. Would you offer to sit with her at the 11am Mass on Sundays at St Joseph's? Holly is taken to church and home by the staff of her care home. If you think you can help please contact the parish office 01737 761017

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

- St Joseph's - Fri 16th Mar at 7pm
- Holy Family - Fri 16th Mar at 10.30am
- St Mary's, Bletchingley - Sat 17th Mar at 12noon

CHRISM MASS - Wed 26th Mar 2018

There is space on a coach leaving All Saints, Oxted at 3pm. Cost £21. If I get sufficient numbers I will book a coach leaving from St Teresa's and St Josephs (by 3pm at latest). Cost £17. Please let me know by Fri 23rd Mar. Please email lliz@braines.uk. If not enough interest in coach, please be prepared to car share, or take coach from Oxted at a cost of £21.

ECUMENICAL LENT LUNCHES

Tuesdays in Lent 12:30 - 2pm at St Katharine's Hall, Church Lane Merstham - All welcome.

PARISH SUNDAY LUNCH

Today Sun 11th Mar at 12.30pm in the PNL Centre at Holy Family. Please come along and celebrate Mothers Day with your families, and enjoy a lunch hosted by mothers from the parish. All welcome.

INVITATION TO PRAY THE ROSARY

Everyone is warmly invited to come and pray the Holy Rosary on Sat 24th Mar at 7:15pm in St Joseph's.

ROSARY ON THE COAST – 3 PM - 29th April 2018

Groups from the UK are forming to set up a pilgrimage and prayer, calling on the Holy Spirit to pour out graces, renew our faith and build a culture of life for true peace. It follows 2 days after the 50th anniversary of the Abortion Act 27th April 1968! Please notify the organisers if you would like to join us. Please call Mark on 01737 212046 or mark@pearsononline.org. More info at <https://www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk/>

THE GREAT ADVENTURE RETREAT

The Great Adventure is running at Worth Abbey from the 18th-20th May for all those in year 7-9. Over the weekend we are going to be exploring the idea that the journey of discipleship is a great adventure that we are each called to through workshops, input, prayer, worship and a whole lot of fun! The price is £84 but bursaries are available. For more information please email: fcarbhone@wellspringbrighton.org.uk

PARISH LENT GROUPS - ALL WELCOME

'Journeying Together'. Continues this Wed 13th Mar at 10am St Teresa's Community room. Please contact Ann 01883 349762 adlann@furzebank.eclipse.co.uk

ROMERO, HEARTBEAT OF EL SALVADOR

Presented by Rise Theatre at 7.30pm on Fri 23rd Mar in the PNL Centre at St Joseph's. Tickets £10 and £5 (11-16yrs) now available. Please call 216128 or go online at www.ticketssource.co.uk/risetheatre or email maryd.barrett@ntlworld.com

17th REIGATE SCOUTS

Join us for tea, coffee and cakes on Sun 18th Mar after the 9.00am Mass at Holy Family. We celebrated our 103rd birthday this week as we continue to grow. We can only through our adult volunteers and continued support by the parish. There are always things that we need help with, either small or large. Take a look at our 'help' board at the back of St Joseph's Church to see how you could help us.

ST JOHN'S CHURCH REDHILL

A Service of Compline, (some with special music) at 8pm every evening during Holy Week conducted by Bishop Jonathan. Everyone welcome.

COLLECTIONS

Last weekend: Parish Collection £1961.42

Next weekend 2nd Collection for Flowers for Easter Fund

(Gift Aid Registered PNL Donors, please use either a box purple envelope or a parish - customised envelope)

PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. Fr Tony Bridson
Rev. Tim Murrill (Deacon)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon - Thu 9am - 3pm 01737 761017
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Hall Hire Manager- Anita Muir
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PARISH SAFEGUARDING

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PARISH WEBSITE:

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EAST SURREY HOSPITAL

The hospital does not inform the chaplain of your presence in the hospital unless a specific request is made by either a patient or their family. This needs to be made clear to the staff on admission to the hospital. 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 admission.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND:

Ray & Marjorie Flanagan, Sylvia Evans, Brian Trefty, Pat Donachie, Pat Weller, Ray Fry, Philip Moon, Madge Mansi, Margaret Young, Molly Greaves, David Pitt, Daniel Correia, Paddy Millard, Alistair Pearce, Anne Grier, John Lavery, Chris & Margaret Byrne, Josie Rice, John Gaynor, Marion Durnin, Maria Chelvanayagam, Meli Greaves, Stephanie Remnant, Pat & Dante & Grace Jaganayagam, Peter Reade, Pam Dysart, Pat & Maureen Conroy, Patricia Hooley, Betty Murphy, Maria Dimaculangan, Lucille Torrefiel, Claire Chantal, John & Myra Warren, Benjamin Tejada, Agnes & Richard Edwards, Ruth Metcalfe, and all the sick of our parish. **If you are sick & housebound and would like to receive Communion please contact Nicki on 07753 661791. The same applies for anyone you know who is sick and housebound.**

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS**4th Sunday in Lent (Laetare) (Year B)**

Chronicles 36:14-16,19-23; Ephesians 2:4-10; John 3:14-21.

Response: *O, let my tongue cleave to my mouth
if I remember you not!*

Sat 10 Mar

St Joseph's 17.30 Alan Richings RIP

Sun 11 Mar

Holy Family 09.00 Stefanie Wieckowska RIP

St Joseph's 11.00 Private Intention

St Teresa's 17.30 People of the Parish

Mon 12 Mar

St Teresa's 10.00 Michael Henderson RIP (FM)

Tue 13 Mar No Mass**Wed 14 Mar**

St Joseph's 10.00 John Albert Sandilands RIP

Thur 15 Mar

Holy Family 10.00 Michael O'Donnell RIP

Fri 16 Mar

St Joseph's 10.00 Frances Emma Staunton RIP (FM)

5th Sunday in Lent (Year B)

Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 5:7-9; John 12:20-30.

Response: *A pure heart create for me, O God.*

Sat 17 Mar

St Joseph's 17.30 Patrick & Kathleen Carroll RIP and
Alexandra Peaston RIP

Sun 18 Mar

Holy Family 09.00 Jane Reilly RIP

St Joseph's 11.00 Helen Sellars RIP

St Teresa's 17.30 People of the Parish

Saturday Confessions St Joseph's 16.45 - 17.15**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF SOUL OF:**

Fr David Maskell RIP parish priest of Henfield, and **Fr John Pearson** RIP parish priest of Walton on Thames who died last week

Veronica (Vera) Wheeler RIP. Her Funeral Mass will take place on Monday 19th March in Holy Family Church at 10am.

Andrew Chambers RIP, who died recently. Funeral arrangements to be arranged

Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

PARISH DIARY

Sun 11 Mar	Parish Lunch	12.30	PNL Centre at Holy Family
Mon 12 Mar	Our Lady Queen of Peace Prayer Group	19.00	St Joseph's Day Chapel
Tue 13 Mar	Living Jesus Lent Group	13.00	St Joseph's Day Chapel
Wed 14 Mar	Journeying Together (Lent Group)	10.00	Community Room St Teresa's
	UCM	19.30	St Teresa's
	Family Peace Prayer Group	20.00	St Joseph's Day Chapel
Fri 16 Mar	Stations of the Cross	Following Morning Prayer at Holy Family	
	Stations of the Cross	19.00	St Joseph's Church
Sun 18 Mar	Confirmation Programme (Session 6)	15.30	PNL Centre at St Joseph's