

PARISH OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

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27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B) 7th Oct 2018

MASS FOR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

There will be a Mass for the sick and housebound of the parish on Wed 10th Oct at 2pm in St Joseph's Church, followed by refreshments in the Centre. If you need help with transport please contact the office on 761017.

FIRST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION

The children who have been enrolled on the preparation programme meet for their first session on 13th/14th Oct.

ALPHA CONTINUES ON MONDAY 8th OCTOBER

Week 3 of Alpha continues on Mondays at 7.30pm in the PNL Centre, St Joseph's. Still not too late to join us for great food, wine and conversation about the big questions in life. Please email pnlalphacourse@gmail.com or phone/text 07961 375759 to let us know you're coming.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Everyone is invited to pray the rosary on Sat 6th Oct at 8pm in St Joseph's Church.

Throughout the month the rosary will be prayed each weekday morning after Mass or Morning Prayer at Holy Family Church.

BISHOPS OF ENGLAND & WALES STATEMENT

The Bishops of England and Wales have issued a statement following their joyful 'ad Limina Apostolorum' visit. This is available from the diocesan website at <https://www.dabnet.org/News/View/252> and also from the parish office.

DAY OF REFLECTION LED BY BISHOP RICHARD

For Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

On Sat 17th Nov 2018 at Christ the Prince of Peace, Weybridge, KT13 8JD, from 11am - 4pm. The day includes theological, practical talks and Eucharistic adoration. Please bring a packed lunch. To book email ruth.gerun@dabnet.org or phone 01293 651164.

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

If you are applying for your child to attend St Bede's or St Joseph's, in Sept 2019, in the relevant form please fill in 'Parish of the Nativity of the Lord' as your parish and 'Fr Tony Bridson' as Parish Priest. Please note: Fr Tony's signing of supplementary forms will be on Wed 14th Nov 4pm - 6pm and Friday 16th Nov 5.30pm - 7.30pm, in the PNL Centre at St Joseph's.

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN MORNING

On Thur 11th Oct 2018 at 10am. There will be an introduction from our Headteacher, Mrs Lawlor, and a talk from the Early Years Team. Tours will start after the talks with the Year 6 tour guides. No need to book.

NOVEMBER BEREAVEMENT MASSES & SERVICES

BEREAVEMENT MASS

Sat 3rd Nov 10am St Joseph's

BLESSING OF GRAVES

Sun 4th Nov 3pm Redstone Cemetery

Mon 5th Nov 10.30am St Teresa's

Thur 8th Nov 10.40am Garden of Remembrance

MONTHLY PARISH SUNDAY LUNCH - 1PM

Next Sunday, 14th October, at the PNL Centre at Holy Family Church, the children who made their First Communion during June and July and their families are providing a simple homemade lunch and helping us think about the work of CAFOD and the less fortunate. A surprise pudding will be made from this year's grapes from the vines at St Joseph's Church! As always the lunch is free and anyone/everyone is welcome, so just turn up!

FAMILY PEACE PRAYER GROUP

On Wed 10th Oct at 8pm in St Joseph's Day Chapel. All are welcome for an hour of quiet music, peace & prayer.

PNL BOOK+ CIRCLE

Our next book choice is 'Reading with God' by Dom David Foster. We are meeting to discuss it on Wed 24th Oct 8pm at 26 Doods Park Road, Reigate.

WINTER NIGHT SHELTER - VOLUNTEERS

For a number of years, our parish has been one of the local hosts of the Night Shelter coordinated by the Redhill charity 'The Renewed Hope Trust'. The shelter runs over the Winter and homeless people are welcomed in for an evening cooked meal, and given a roof over their heads. If you could volunteer to help look at their website: <https://rhtes.org> or contact the parish office

THE BIG ENCOUNTER 2018

Our annual festival for 16-35 year olds is happening at Worth Abbey (Performing Arts Centre) on Sat 10th Nov at 6.30pm, The Youth 2000 Worship Band will be leading the music, and Bryony Wells will be our keynote speaker. Entry is free, and you don't need to book. For more info: Jack.Regan@dabnet.org

17th REIGATE SCOUTS

Sat 27th Oct – join us for our Quiz Night from 7pm in the Scout Centre. Teams of up to 6 people, £6 per person. Bring your own drinks. Prizes for winning team.
Sat 3rd Nov – we are hosting our first Lego & Model Show in the Centre and Scout Centre from 12pm to 4pm. Various displays of Lego, model railways, matchstick models and much more. Tickets are £2 for adults and £1 for children. Activity tables, raffle, trading posts and refreshments. Also looking for anyone who would like to exhibit. **Sat 26th Jan** – Burns Night, tickets £12. For further details of both these events or for tickets email 17thevents@gmail.com or phone 0787 2617940

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT AND THE CHURCHES

Talk/discussion with Co-Chair of Christian CND, Martin Tiller, Friday 19th October 7.30pm at Friends Meeting House, 47 Reigate Rd, RH2 0QT. See poster for details.

CAFOD

The second collection this weekend is from Friday's family fast day for CAFOD the Catholic aid agency working to raise awareness and alleviate poverty overseas.

COLLECTIONS

Parish collection last weekend £2,034.89

2nd Collection this weekend for CAFOD

PARISH CLERGY:

Rev. Fr Tony Bridson

Rev. Tim Murrill (Deacon)

(07545 175448)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

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Hall Hire Manager- Anita Muir

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PARISH SAFEGUARDING

Katie Jones - 01737 761017

SCHOOLS:

St Joseph's - 01737 765373

www.stjosephs-redhill.surrey.sch.uk

St Bede's - 01737 212108

www.st-bedes.surrey.sch.uk

St Joseph's Pre-School - 07847221367

www.stjosephspreschoolredhill.co.uk

PARISH WEBSITE:

www.thenativityofthelord.org.uk

webmaster.pnlparish@gmail.com

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 INCLUDING:

John Staddon, Edith Rashbrook, Ruth Metcalfe, Sylvia Bookham, Anne Grier, Pat Weller, Ray Fry, Claire Chantal, Jim & Brigid Gow, Betty Skelton, John Philmore, Brian Trefty, Madge Mansi, Margaret McGettrick, Meli Greaves, Damian Poole, Margaret Young, Stephanie Remnant, Pam Dysart, Molly Greaves Peter Reade, Daniel Correia, John & Myra Warren, Josie Rice, Maura Green, Chris & Margaret Byrne, Marion Durnin, Betty Murphy, Maureen Conroy, Philip Moon, John Gaynor, Maria Dimaculangan, Bill Gray, Agnes & Richard Edwards, and all the sick of our parish.

If you are sick & housebound and would like to receive Communion please contact Jane on 07939 465425. The same applies for anyone you know who is sick and housebound.

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)**

Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-12.

Response: *May the Lord bless us all the days of our life.***Sat 6 Oct**

St Joseph's 17.30 Fred Harmer RIP

Sun 7 Oct

Holy Family 09.00 Ernest & Florence Hazel RIP

St Joseph's 11.00 Private Intention

St Teresa's 17.30 People of the Parish

Baptisms

St Joseph's 13.00 *Leonardo Joseph Atzori*
Raphael Glen Aubert
Freddie Samuel Walsh
Orla Elizabeth Walsh

Mon 8 Oct

S Teresa's 10.00 Phyllis Halls RIP (FM)

Tue 9 Oct

No Mass

Wed 10 Oct**St Joseph's 14.00 Mass for the Sick and Housebound of the Parish****Thur 11 Oct**

Holy Family 10.00 Ray & Kitty Sharpe RIP

Fri 12 Oct**St Wilfrid, Bishop**

St Joseph's 10.00 Meta Horton RIP

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

Wisdom 7:7-11; Hebrews 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30.

Response: *Fill us with your love that we may rejoice.***Sat 13 Oct**

St Joseph's 17.30 Anna Sellen RIP

Sun 14 Oct

Holy Family 09.00 Bernard & Mary Bird RIP (FM)

St Joseph's 11.00 People of the parish

St Teresa's 17.30 Hilda Mary Henderson RIP (FM)

Confessions**Saturday St Joseph's 16.45 - 17.15****PARISH DIARY**

Mon 8 Oct	OLQP Prayer Group	19.00	St Joseph's Day Chapel
	Alpha	19.30	PNL Centre at St Joseph's
Wed 10 Oct	Mass for Sick & Housebound	14.00	St Joseph's Church
	Family Peace Prayer Group	20.00	St Joseph's Church
Thur 11 Oct	Open Morning	10.00	St Joseph's Primary School
Sat 13 Oct	Get Together Group	15.00	PNL Centre at St Joseph's
Sun 14 Oct	Monthly Parish Lunch	13.00	PNL Centre at Holy Family
Wed 17 Oct	Adoration and Prayer	20.00	St Joseph's Church
Sat 27 Oct	Quiz Night (17 th Reigate Scouts)	19.00	Scout Centre at St Joseph's