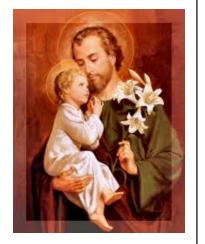
## YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

#### Pope Francis shares this prayer for each of us to pray:

Hail. Guardian of the Redeemer. Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust: with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show vourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen



Parish Team Parish Priest: Father Colin Fealey Deacons: Rev. Adrian Anwyl Rev. Sean O'Donovan Sister Pat Redgrave CP and Sister Maureen McNally CP

#### Parish Office Administrators Robert Kidd and Brenda Williams Office Hours Monday 9am-3.45pm Tuesday 9.30am-3.30pm Thursday 9am-3.45 pm and Friday 9am-3.45 pm and Friday 9am-3.45pm CLOSED ALL DAY WEDNESDAY and WEEKENDS Tel 0151-722-2231 Email ctkandol@rcaolp.co.uk

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#### Gift Aid

Anyone who pays tax can Gift Aid to the parish. For every £1 you give the parish can claim 25p from the HMRC with no expense to you. Standing orders can be organised via the parish office.

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# The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 26th September 2021 Psalter week 2

### CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY FRIDAY 1ST OCTOBER

## Our local experts are helping people all over the world to adapt to climate change and protect our common home. By donating to CAFOD this Family Fast Day you can help communities affected by the worst impacts of the climate crisis.

Donate online through the CAFOD website or by using a CAFOD envelope. You can also easily give via text. Text CAFOD10 to 70580 to donate £10\*. Or choose to give any whole amount between £1 and £20 by texting CAFOD, followed by the amount you would like to donate, to 70580.

Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text CAFODOINFO to 70580. For more information please see our privacy:cafod.org.uk/ privacy **CAFOD FAST DAY PRAYER** Pope Francis, 'Laudato Si' #217

Walk beside us, Lord, in the cool of the day, in the garden you have created as our common home.

Walk beside us, Lord, as the cries of the forest pierce the dawn, and flames rip through our common home.

Grant us courage, Lord, as we walk beside all those who struggle, to protect our common home.

Grant us hope, Lord, and the vision to walk dark paths in the light of a single sunbeam.

Grant us grace, Lord, to put the flourishing of all people and the wonder of your creation at the heart of all we do, as we strive to be guardians of our common home.

St Francis, pray for us

#### PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING & OUR LADY

#### First Mass of the 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Saturday	$25^{th}$	5.30 pm	Graeme Darmody RIP	
Sunday	26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	John Aliski RIP	
-		11.00 am	People of the Parish	
Monday	27 <sup>th</sup>	12.00pm	Requiem Mass: Michael Fardey	
-		7.00pm	S.V.P. MASS	
Tuesday	28th	9.10am	Sue Thompson Special Intention	
Wednesday	29th		No Mass	
Thursday	30th	6.00pm	Denise Shipman - Special Intention	
9.30– 10.30am Exposition of the Blessed sacrament				
Friday	1st	12.00pm	Joe English RIP	
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#### First Mass of the 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

M A	Saturday	2nd	9.30am, 11.00am, 1.00pm & 2.30pm		
A S				First Holy Communion Masses	
S			5.30 pm	Michael Lochlan RIP	
Ι	Sunday	3rd	9.30 am	People of the Parish	
Ν			11.00 am	Anne Burns RIP	
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**Confessions** commence at 4.45 pm and finish at 5.10 pm each Saturday.

**Masses received this week**: Special intention, Geraldine & Ken Roberts RIP, Colin Wibberley RIP, Michael Fardey RIP x 2

#### Enrolled into Mass Association this week:

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Sr Catherine RIP; Colette & Ron—Silver Wedding; Michael Fardey RIP; Betty Riley RIP; Carol Cusack RIP; Geraldine & Ken Roberts RIP; Sheila Galway RIP x 2; William Graves RIP

#### **Autumn Prize Draw**

This is the final week-end to get your tickets for the Autumn Prize Draw. The winning tickets will be drawn after the 11 am Mass on Sunday 10th October. Good luck everyone!

#### **Food Bank Donations**

Please remember to continue with your generous food donations

#### Parent and Child Playgroup

Monday 9.30 am until 11 am at Our Lady of Good Help primary school. All children up to school age are very welcome (we'll even let you bring a well-behaved grown up with you). Just £2.00 per family. *Little Helpers at Our Lady of Good Help* 

## November is the month of the Holy Souls

Pious Lists Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please put the names of any loved ones you wish to be remembered during November on a note in one of the envelopes and return it to us. Your donations can be gift aided by putting your Gift Aid order number on the envelope.

#### **Parish Makeover Fund**

To assist in raising funds to improve the facilities in the Church buildings a monthly Parish Draw is proposed. It is hoped that the Draw will start before Christmas with a monthly stake of £4.00, paid by standing order. Further details of how to take part in the Draw will available shortly.

### **RCIA: Faith Seeking and Understanding**

We are now taking names for our next **RCIA** course which begins on **Wednesday 13th October**. If you know of anyone who is thinking of joining the Catholic Church, or you yourself would simply like to know more about our faith, please contact the Parish Office to register your interest. A big thank you to Norman who willingly gives of his time to instruct our candidates each year.

## SICK AND HOUSEBOUND



Icon Painting Course Tuesday evenings - 6.00 to 9.00 pm Commencing 28th September 2021 Tutor: The Rev Christopher Perrins



No prior experience is needed since the course is aimed at beginners, but those with more experience are welcome. The cost per evening is £10. Course duration is approx. 10 weeks. Materials and equipment may be purchased from the tutor or students can bring their own. For more information and to reserve a place, please email the tutor on : *revdcnperrins@btinternet.com* 

See poster and leaflets in church porch for further details.

## **Bereavement Care Team**

We are appealing for religious '**Sympathy'** cards and '**Thinking of you'** cards that we can recycle and use for the bereaved. Could you please drop the cards off at the parish office. Thank you.

# **Celebratory Mass for Father Desmond Power**

The family of Father Desmond Power, who died last October, have organised a celebratory Mass for him on Saturday the 9th October at 1 pm in Christ The King Church. This will be followed by a reception at the Christ the King club immediately afterwards. So we can estimate numbers for catering please write your name on the form in the porch if you wish to attend the club. Thank you.

## With You Always

Please keep in your prayers all our Year 5 children and their families who will be receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion over the next few weeks.

**Holy Communion ties** are now available to purchase from the Parish office. Price £7.00



# Please remember in your prayers the sick, housebound and all in our hospitals and homes.

Mrs Sue Williams, Matthew Goodwin, Clare Battiste, Patricia Prentice, Julian James, Keith Nieman, Pauline Roberts, Scarlet Cook, Pat Brumskill, Ellen Davies, Connie McCarten, Winnie Tague, Paul Phillips, Baby Meadow, Rose Harrington.

If you know of any Parishioner who would like to be remembered in the prayers of the Parish please pass the details into the Parish Office.

## Lately Dead: Michael Fardey

We offer our prayers and sympathy to his family and friends.

## Anniversaries: Colin Wibberley and Marion Foster

We pray for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Due to practicalities, anniversaries will be noted in the newsletter for up to 5 years after death. Thereafter they will be remembered in the priest's private prayer.

**Baptisms:** This week we wish to extend a loving welcome to God's Family and our parish to:

## Amelia Pearl & Millie Rose Hodgson and Brody Shaun Stokes

**The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:** *Matt Dunne RIP Birthday* 

**The Marian Lamp burns this week for:** *Rachel and Simon: Special Intention* 

**The St Paschal Baylon Lamp burns this week for:** *The Shannon Family—Special Intention* 

## **The St Joseph Lamp burns this week for:** Young people of our parish who are to be confirmed

The above lamps can be lit for your intentions—£5 donation.

## Saints of the Day

**27th September - St Vincent de Paul** (1581-1660) born of a peasant family in SW France, studied theology at Toulouse and was ordained at the age of 19. Captured by pirates, he was a slave in Tunisia for 2 years. Escaping to Avignon he went to Paris where he resolved to devote his life entirely to works of charity. From 1613 for 12 years, he was tutor in the household of the General of the Galleys where he did much to relieve the lot of prisoners. He founded both the Vincentians for the giving of missions especially among country folk, and (with the help of Saint Louise de Manllac) the sisters of charity, the first congregation of women without enclosure entirely devoted to the care of the sick and poor.

**28th September - St Wenceslaus c. 907-29**. Wenceslaus was born a Bohemian prince. After the death of his father, his mother became regent but alienated the people by her violent actions and Wenceslaus took over government. A man of great piety, he worked for the religious and cultural improvement of his people. For what appear to be political reasons his brother murdered him.

**28th September - St Lawrence Ruiz.** St Lawrence was a devoted husband and father of three children in the Philippines during the seventeenth century. After he was unjustly accused of murder, he fled with Christian missionaries to Japan where he was tortured for the faith and died professing: "I shall die for God, and for him I would give many thousands of lives if I had them".

**29th September - Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael**. Pope St Gregory the Great wrote: ...when angels come to minister to us, even the names by which we know are taken from their ministry—Michael means 'Who is like God', Gabriel 'Strength of God' and Raphael 'Healing of God.'

**30th September -St Jerome c.342-420.** Jerome was born on the Adriatic coast. Studying in Rome, he travelled to Gaul, returning home to live a ascetic life. About 370 he went to Palestine, later settling in the Syrian desert as a hermit for five years. Returning to Antioch he was ordained priest, spending some time in Constantinople. From 382-85 he was secretary to Pope Damascus. He settled in Jerusalem where he ruled a newly founded monastery and devoted the rest of his life to study and writing, his greatest achievement being the translation of the Bible into Latin, which took 30 years.

**1st October - St Teresa of the Child Jesus. 1873-97**. Therese of Lisieux was a French Carmelite nun who never did anything extraordinary but who performed every element of the austere Carmelite life extraordinarily well. In 1895 she had a haemorrhage, being the first sign of Tuberculosis which was to kill her two years later. She suffered heroically in silence and would have probably remained unknown if she had not, under obedience to her superiors, written a short spiritual biography (The Story of a Soul).

#### SVP: St Vincent De Paul Feast Day

Fr. Colin has kindly agreed with the SVP to celebrate a Mass in honour of our Patron Saint St. Vincent De Paul on his Feast Day, Monday 27th September at 7.00.pm.
The parish SVP would like to invite parishioners to join them for the Mass followed by a reception with light refreshments and a glass of wine. It is our privilege to serve this community in the name of our Patron Saint , please join us.

#### St Vincent de Paul

If you or someone you know is in need of a helping hand or listening ear, please contact the parish SVP on our CONFIDENTIAL PHONE LINE: 07562 694 624

## A.P.F. / Mill Hill

Red boxes are due to be collected in the next few weeks. If you would be willing to collect money from a small number of people each quarter please see Angela (724 6907) or leave your details at the parish office.

### (Funny Money) Foreign Coins/Used postage Stamps.

A big thank you to all the parishioners who have been contributing to the collection of the <u>stamps/coins</u> that are obsolete. The last collection raised funds to the value of £384.00. Damaged, <u>old coins/notes</u> both UK and Foreign are accepted, you can put them in the brown wooden box at the back of the church. Used postage stamps are also of value. Leave ½ inch border around the stamp or leave the stamp on the envelope. Cover the address if needed.

# With You Always 2021/22 for Children not attending our Parish Schools

The first meeting for Parents and Children will be held on Friday, 1st October 2021 at 6.00 pm in the Church.