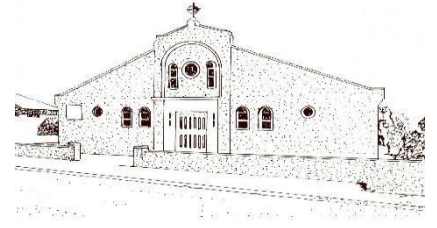


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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday 30th	5:30pm	Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>Intentions of the Simmonds-Walder Family</i>
Sunday 1st	8:30am	Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>Fr John McDevitt Intentions</i>
	10:30am	Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>For our two parishes</i>
Monday 2nd	- No Mass Today -		
Tuesday 3rd	10.00am	Holy Mass (OLF) St Francis Xavier	<i>Agatha Nguyen RIP</i>
Wednesday 4th	10:00am	Holy Mass (OLF) St John Damascene	<i>Charles South RIP</i>
	10:30am	Padre Pio Prayer Group (OLF)	
Thursday 5th	10:00am	Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>Catholic Women's League: Founders Day</i>
	Followed by Silent adoration to 6pm: Benediction		
	6:30pm	Parish Prayer Group in the Hall Meeting Room (SJ)	
Friday 6th	7:00pm	Holy Mass (SJ) St Nicholas	<i>Margaret Walker Special Intentions</i>
	Preceded by 6:30pm Adoration & Rosary (SJ)		
Saturday 7th	10:00am	Holy Mass (SJ) St Ambrose	
	10:30am	Adoration & Rosary (OLF)	

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday 7th	5:30pm	Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>Brenda Duncan Intentions</i>
Sunday 8th	8:30am	Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>For our two parishes</i>
	10:30am	Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>Alfie Geall conversion & wellbeing</i>
	5:30pm	Holy Quarbana (SJ) (Mass according to Syro-Malabar Rite)	

Confessions this week: Saturday 10:30am (OLF), 4:30pm (SJ), Thursday 9:30am (SJ)

Parish information & contact details

Parish Priest: Fr Chris Findlay-Wilson (01202) 746539

Parish Sisters: Sr Juliana, Sr Vincy (01202) 710387
& Sr Divya (working in the hospital)

Parish Administrator: Mrs Jane Jolly (01202) 746539
poole-stjoseph@prcdtr.org.uk Office Hours: Monday
8:30am - 11:30am; Tuesday – Friday 9am – 12 noon

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School: Sancreed Rd
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Parish safeguarding: Dr Zelda Cheng (St Joseph's);
Mrs Jackie Turner (Our Lady of Fatima). Please
contact them by phoning or emailing the parish
office. Or call the Diocesan office. 01364 645431

Please Pray for the sick: Isaac Bailey, Nikita Bailey, Tony Bickley, David Bolt, Carmel Bray, Kathleen Brown, Jill Campbell, Pat Cassidy, Ruth Colbert, John Connelly, Allan David, Anne Degnan, Lynne-Michelle Denton, Chantal Doherty, Josephine Evans, Kelly Ford, Alec Fry, Alan & Dot Gulliver, Fr Ron Hishon, Anne Kane, Andrew Davis McCluskie, Eric McWilliams, Edna Price, Harry Ross, Mary Sebastian, Nigel Shaw, Janice Strong, Michael Walder, Abigail Smith, Sean Smith, Liz Stone, Joseph Sweet, Ian Tobin, Mary Wills, Ana & Linda Witczak.

Local Hospitals Please ring for chaplains if going into hospital: Poole 0300 019 2167; Bournemouth 0300 019 4221; Christchurch 0300 019 5111; St Ann's Hospital and Alderney Hospital 01202 746539

Support your parish with your Sunday giving

St Joseph's

Our Lady of Fatima



Please contact the office if you can Gift Aid your donations or set up a monthly standing order.

St Joseph's Team B

Forthcoming second Collections:

8th December: Flowers for Christmas.

24th/25th December: Christmas offerings for the priest.

Crib offerings: Mary's Meals.

Christmas Mass Times: a possible change this year

8.30pm vigil at OLF instead of Midnight at St Joseph's and 8.30am Christmas Day at OLF?

First Sunday of Advent: Our new Lectionary begins!

All Catholics in England will be using new books with updated versions of the Scripture readings. Fr Chris will preach about this change at Sunday Masses.

Bishop Robert Barron is coming to London: Feb 2025

He will speak at the Evangelisation and Culture conference 21-22 Feb at the Excel Centre. Tickets are likely to go fast. Link via our parish website

Indian Mass now also on 1st and 3rd Sundays at SJ

Sadly, the ceiling of Christ the King Church, Kinson has given way; we are able to welcome the *St John the Baptist* community congregation (of around 300) to use St Joseph's on the remaining two Sunday afternoons per month until the Church is fixed. (The *Knanaya* community already come on 2nd and 4th Sundays.)

Christmas Fayre next weekend after Masses at SJ

Donations of bottles, cakes, gifts, plants and raffle prizes gratefully received, can be left in the boxes in the Narthex or at the office. Raffle tickets on sale after Mass, at the office or from Jane at OLF. The hall will be open from 12 noon on Saturday 7th for stallholders to set up. **This Sunday 1st December:** All children are invited to the hall to decorate the Christmas tree. Soft drinks, doughnuts and cupcakes will be served.

St. Padre Pio Prayer Group

We meet after the 10am Mass on Weds 4th Dec with Adoration, Prayers for our needs and Benediction. All are so welcome to join us and have a coffee and chat afterwards. "May the Child Jesus be your guiding star in the desert of this present life." Padre Pio

Sudan Baby Appeal

Due to war in Sudan, we can only send our money to South Sudan this year. It costs around £150 per child to run the Young Children and Baby Feeding Centres. Our Christmas appeal starts at Our Lady of Fatima this Sunday until Christmas. (White Bucket). There will be a one-off collection at St. Joseph's on 14th/15th December. Also via contactless marked "Sudan SVP".

Big Church Clean at St. Joseph's

Monday 23rd December at 9am. Please come and help our dedicated cleaners clean the church for Christmas!

Pre-Christmas Fund raiser at Our Lady of Fatima

Many thanks to everyone who supported this event in any way. £600 was raised towards our urgent repairs.

Senior Citizens party at St. Joseph's School

You are invited to join us on Friday 13th December at the school. Refreshments will be provided. See poster in the church for details.