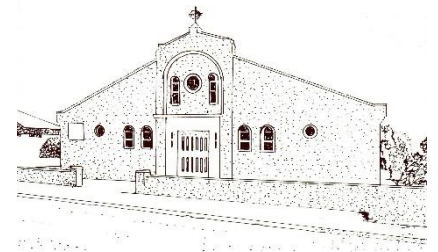


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THE SEASON OF CHRISTMASTIDE

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Saturday 24th	5.30pm Christmas Eve Vigil Mass (SJ);	12Midnight Christmas Midnight Mass (SJ)	
Sunday 25th	8:30am Christmas Dawn Mass (OLF);	10:30am Christmas Day Mass (SJ)	
Monday 26th	10:00am Holy Mass (SJ)	ST STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR	Altar Servers
Tuesday 27th	10:00am Holy Mass (OLF)		
Wednesday 28th	- No Mass today -		
Thursday 29th	- No Mass today -		

HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

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Friday 30th	10:00am Holy Mass (SJ)	followed by adoration & rosary	For Lucie
Saturday 31st	10:00am Holy Mass (OLF)	followed by adoration & rosary	

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Saturday 31st	5:30pm Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>In thanksgiving for graces during 2022 and for God's blessing on the New Year</i>	
Sunday 1st	8:30am Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>For our two parishes</i>	
	10:30am Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>Brenda Pope's intentions</i>	
Monday 2nd	- No Mass today -		
Tuesday 3rd	10:00am Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>Dennis Pritchard RIP</i>	
Wednesday 4th	10:00am Holy Mass (OLF)		
	10:30am Padre Pio Prayer Group (OLF)		
Thursday 5th	10:00am Holy Mass (SJ)		

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD: HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

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Friday 6th	9.30am Holy Mass (St Joseph's School) EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	
	<u>11:00am</u> Holy Mass (OLF) EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	<i>For our two parishes</i>
	7:00pm Holy Mass (SJ) EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	
Saturday 7th	10:00am Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>followed by adoration and rosary</i>

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Saturday 7th	5:30pm Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>The Campbell Family</i>
Sunday 8th	8:30am Holy Mass (OLF)	<i>William Jordan RIP</i>
	10:30am Holy Mass (SJ)	<i>For our two parishes</i>

CHRISTMASTIDE ENDS

Confessions Saturdays: Our Lady of Fatima 10.30am, St Joseph's 4.30pm and Thursday 9:30am (SJ)

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Parish safeguarding: Dr Zelda Cheng. Please contact by phoning or emailing the parish office.



*Every blessing of Christmas to you all
And a peaceful New Year*

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

Local Hospitals

Please ring these numbers if going into hospital.

If you need to contact the Chaplaincy Teams at University Hospitals Dorset, please use the following numbers for the appropriate Chaplaincy Team: Deacon Declan Poole 0300 019 2167 Bournemouth; 0300 019 4221 Christchurch; 0300 019 5111. St. Ann's Hospital and Alderney Hospital; 01202 746539

St Joseph's Teams: This week Team A; 1st January Team B; 8th January Team C

Supporting your parish by standing order

This is the simplest way to make your offering. Please contact the office for more details You can also make your weekly offerings via www.catholicparkstone.org or by using the **contactless payment system**, in church. If you can Gift Aid, we can give you a form. Please contact the office. Thank you for your generosity.

Crib Collection: Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth).

Parish Office

Will close on Friday 23rd December at noon and re-open on Tuesday 3rd January. Jane wishes all parishioners a peaceful Christmas and a happy and healthy new year.

May the divine light and life of the Christ-child banish our current darkness and fill us with courage and hope.

Two Weeks' Newsletter

This newsletter gives you all the information you need up to and including the 8th January 2023.

Vivienne Lee RIP

Vivienne died peacefully on Tuesday evening. Please remember her, her family, and friends in your prayers. (You may remember Vivienne looked after St Joseph's repository at the vigil mass).

St Padre Pio Prayer Group at Our Lady of Fatima

Our prayer group will meet on Weds 4th January after the 10am Mass - for adoration, rosary, prayers for our needs and benediction. Please join us and start this new year with the help of Padre Pio: "Let us try to serve the Lord with all our hearts and will. He will always give us more than we deserve " *Padre Pio*

Catholic Women's League

Will meet for Mass and renewal of promises at 7pm on Monday 9th January at St. Joseph's. A meeting will follow. Any ladies who are interested are very welcome to join us!

Advent Supper: Supporting the homeless in our area

We raised £271 for Michael House. Thank you to all those who helped with the food and in the kitchen and to everyone for supporting our annual event!

Save the dates – Events at St. Joseph's Hall 2023

Saturday 11th February after 5:30pm Mass: Indian Curry Night, hosted by the SVP

Saturday 6th May: Coronation of King Charles III.

The Four ages of Man (from our diocesan administrator!)

1. You believe in Father Christmas
2. You don't believe in Father Christmas
3. You are Father Christmas
4. You look like Father Christmas

