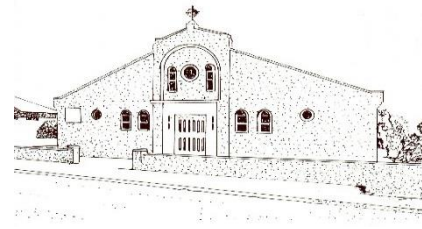




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**SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2025**

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**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Holy Mass (SJ)</b>	<i>Alec Pittam RIP For our two parishes Ella &amp; Christopher Shepherd RIP</i>
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Holy Mass (OLF)</b>	
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Holy Mass (SJ)</b>	
	<b>2:30pm</b>	<b>Holy Quarbana (SJ) Mass according to Syro-Malabar Rite</b>	
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup></b>		- No Mass Today-	
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup></b>		- No Mass Today-	
<b>Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup></b>		- No Mass Today-	
<b>Thursday 9<sup>th</sup></b>		- No Mass Today-	
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Parish Prayer Group meeting in the Hall (SJ)</b>	
<b>Friday 10<sup>th</sup></b>		- No Mass Today-	
<b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Holy Mass (OLF)</b>	
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Adoration &amp; Rosary (OLF)</b>	

**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

<b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Holy Mass (SJ)</b>	<i>Margaret Walker's Intentions</i>
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Holy Mass (OLF)</b>	<i>William &amp; Susan Jordan RIP</i>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Holy Mass (SJ)</b>	<i>For our two parishes</i>
	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Holy Quarbana (SJ) (Mass according to the Syro Malabar Rite)</b>	

**Confessions this week: Saturdays Our Lady of Fatima 10:30am; St. Joseph's 4:30pm**

### **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  
(01202) 741932 [www.sjcpschool.co.uk](http://www.sjcpschool.co.uk)

**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, Baby Lena Miller, 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 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: 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 C**

#### **Next Second Collection**

18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> January: White Flower Appeal.

### **Annual Sudan Baby Appeal at Our Lady of Fatima**

The appeal ends this Sunday. Please use the white bucket or contactless system to donate. Thankyou. SVP

### **The Epiphany of the Lord**

This Christmas feast with its star, three Magi from the East and gifts of gold, frankincense and Myrrh, brings renewed joy (and some great Christmas carols and traditions). All these things point us to wonder at the splendour of the God-baby revealed to us in such great humility. That's our God!

### **Holydays of obligation 2025**

The Epiphany (6<sup>th</sup> Jan), St Peter & St Paul (29<sup>th</sup> June) and All Saints (1<sup>st</sup> Nov) are all celebrated on the nearest Sundays this year, so the only holydays on weekdays this year are: Ascension Thursday (29<sup>th</sup> May), the Assumption (Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Aug) and Christmas Day (Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> Dec).

**Prayers please for Anne Patricia Eastwood and Ron Howard who have died recently.**

### **Confirmations classes are starting soon**

We're holding a parents' meeting on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> at 6.45pm in St Joseph's Hall (after the 5.30pm vigil mass). Classes are planned to start on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm in St Joseph's Hall. Please do contact us ASAP if you haven't received an email and your child (year 8 and above) hasn't been confirmed yet.

### **A message of gratitude to you all**

Thank you to our volunteers who have served and supported our two parishes over the past year: altar servers, catechists, counters, choirs, cleaners, CWL, SVP and KSC members, events organisers, flower arrangers, finance committee members, fundraisers, organists, prayer-group leaders, readers, repository helpers, sacristans, safeguarding reps, Sunday coffee makers, and welcomers. Thanks also to those who organised the Christmas lunch and altar servers' breakfast. A happy and healthy new year to you and your families! *Fr Chris.*

### **Burial of David Little's Ashes**

David's ashes will be buried at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Poole at 1:30pm on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January. Please do feel free to come to the burial and pray for David.

### **Powerful help in forming us to spread what we believe**

Saturday 1st February 10:30am-12:30pm at St Catherine's Church, Wimborne. Fr Jon Bielawski is coming to give a talk entitled 'Simple Proclamation': how to give shape and meaning to our words about Jesus, so that others may know him. All Welcome! Please bring a packed lunch.