



# St Joseph the Worker

## Sutton in Ashfield

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**YEAR B**  
**21 APRIL 2024**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**(WEEKDAY CYCLE 2)**



**Tea, Coffee and  
 biscuits in the hall  
 after Mass**

The cost of the  
 provision of Missalettes  
 and the publishing of the  
 Bulletin is  
**50p**  
 Please place your  
 donation in the basket  
 provided

Parish Council 19th May 2024 after Mass in the hall

### HOLY MASS - TIMES / INTENTIONS / MINISTERS / OFFERTORY / COLLECTION / READER

DAY	DATE	TIME	MASS MAY HAVE TO BE REPLACED BY A SERVICE OF WORD WITH COMMUNION IF A PRIEST IS NOT AVAILABLE	INTENTION	WILL MINISTERS PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT IF THEY CANNOT TAKE THEIR TURN AND ALSO INFORM FATHER FRANK	READERS
Sat	Apr 20		NO VIGIL MASS AT ST JOSEPH'S			
Sun	Apr 21	11.30 AM	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR CLERGY FORMATION FUND	<b>PAT GENEVER'S INTENTIONS</b> - MK	CIBORIUM: FRANCES HARRIS CHALICE: NONE AT PRESENT OFFERTORY : VOLUNTEER COLLECTION: MAUREEN AND CHILDREN	SHARON SHIBU
Mon	Apr 22		<u>NO MASS TODAY AT ST JOSEPH'S</u>			
Tue	Apr 23	12:00 NOON	ST GEORGE PATRON OF ENGLAND	<b>PAT GENEVER'S INTENTIONS</b> - MK	CIBORIUM: FRANCES HARRIS	CELESTINE JOHN
Wed	Apr 24	12:00 NOON	EASTER FERIA	<b>EILEEN MOORE'S BIRTHDAY INTENTIONS</b> - THE HARRIS FAMILY	CIBORIUM: MICHAEL SHANNON	AIKINS AMOAH
Thu	Apr 25	12:00 NOON	ST MARK	<b>MARGARET KIRK AND THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF HER FAMILY</b> - WITH LOVE LINDA AND CELESTINE	CIBORIUM: FRANCES HARRIS	JOHN BISSETT
Fri	Apr 26		<u>NO MASS TODAY AT ST JOSEPH'S</u>			
Sat	Apr 27		NO VIGIL MASS AT ST JOSEPH'S			
Sun	Apr 28	11.30 AM	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR DIOCESAN QUOTA	<b>KAREN'S CELEBRATION OF LIFE RIP</b> - JOE MURRAY	<i>CIBORIUM: FRANCES</i> <i>CHALICE: NONE AT PRESENT</i> OFFERTORY: VOLUNTEER COLLECTION: MAUREEN AND CHILDREN	CELESTINE JOHN

#### Mass times at Our Lady Help of Christians, Kirkby in Ashfield

Holy Sat Vigil - 8 pm Sunday - 10:00 am

Mon - 7:00 pm Tues - No Mass Wed - No Mass Thurs - No Mass Fri - 10 am Sat - 10 am

Please check beforehand for any changes

# PARISH NEWS

If you are going into hospital please let the Hospital Chaplaincy Team know the patients name and which Ward they/you are on so that they can arrange to visit with Holy Communion. Telephone 01623 622515 extn 3047,4137 or 6201 or you can contact St Philips Parish Office on 01623 623458 with Patients name and ward number office hours 9 - 3:15 Mon - Fri

## CONFESSIONS / RECONCILIATION

at  
**ST JOSEPH THE WORKER**  
after Sunday Mass and  
Weekday Masses only

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Next session to be advised



## PARISH FINANCES / COLLECTIONS

Parish 14 Apr 24	£435.06
Church Funds	£ 92.44
Survive Miva	£ 21.00
Easter offering	£ 5.00
first communion book	£ 10.00
Hire of hall Syro Malabar	£130.00
Candles	£ 13.57

TOTAL BANKED	£707.07
Standing Orders (per week)	£176.53
	£883.60

Second Collection Clergy Formation  
Counting team Frances Harris

Mass Attendance 14 Apr 24 = 139

## Sunday Coffee ROTA

Sunday Coffee Mornings  
Tea Coffee and Biscuits is served in the hall after Mass for a suitable donation to cover the cost  
Marian and Frances



## CHILDRENS LITURGY

Sunday school none at present.  
Leaflets available on porch table



## REPOSITORY

A good selection of cards and gifts are available at reasonable prices come and have a look

## Flower Arranging

Flowers Frances



## YOUR PRAYERS - are requested for the following people

Father Frank, Father Stappard, Janet, Margaret, Joe, Johnny, Elizabeth John, Peter Green, Teresa Dunworth, Veronica Honeyborne, Bob Walker, Wendy, Liz Turton, Shuyu Huang, Moya, Maria, Neil and Christine, Henry, Eileen, Sylvia Mary Gee, Susan and John Hudson, Michael Kirk, Keith Mellor, Ann and David Spencer, Katherine, Pat, Andrew Brown, Weronica Burton, Mike Ward, Elaine, Baby Oliver, Mary Barker, Angela and Valerie Boyle, Billy McCabe, Pam, and all those in our Parish who are sick, elderly or housebound.

Please also remember and pray for our sick Priests: Archbishop Patrick Kelly, Rev Canon Jonathan Moore, Fr Christopher Hogan, Fr James Lynch, Fr Frank McLaughlin, Fr Michael Tutcher, Fr John Younger, Rev Deacon William Hutchinson, Rev Deacon James Anthony, Fr Peter Harvey, Fr John Daley, Fr Paul Entwistle, Msg Martin Cummins, Msg Cannon David Forde, Rev David Bowler, Rev Richard Edey, Canon Stephen Dye, Canon Tadeusz Kordys and also for all those Faithful Departed whose anniversary falls at this time.

Father has asked that when requesting a Mass Intention you also add your name so that he can check that all Masses are offered as requested and also asks you to give as much notice as possible for a specific date which may not be possible because at the moment Father has a large backlog of Intentions. He also asks if any new intention request can be passed to either himself or Frances

Following the advice of the Catholic Bishops' conference of England and Wales they have agreed the following changes for COVID 19 restrictions:

The Mandatory wearing of Facemasks or face coverings has been relaxed to a personal choice however, we still have a duty of care to all our parishioners when in church

If you are awaiting results of a COVID test please wait until you have had confirmation of a Negative Test result before attending Mass. You must use the hand sanitizer on entering church  
We are still recording numbers of those attending Sunday Mass for the Diocese so give the numbers in your party to the Stewards. Please leave a space if sharing a row with other families  
You are asked to sit or stand at the appropriate parts during Mass **do not use the kneelers.**  
Singing is allowed.

The Sign of Peace has been reintroduced and you are now allowed to shake hands if you wish to.

Holy Water is now available.

If you can make your donations by standing order please request a form from the finance team.

If you would like to receive a copy of the Parish Bulletin by email please let us have your email address.

AS WE ARE RUNNING SHORT OF READERS PLEASE LET FATHER KNOW IF YOU WILL BE WILLING TO READ FOR SUNDAY AND OR WEEKDAY MASSES.

Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion next session to be advised

Planned giving envelopes — the new envelopes have arrived and they started on 7th April. Please collect yours as soon as possible from the porch tables thank you

A reminder that our Eucharistic Ministers Renewal Day will be held at Holy Trinity Church Newark on 11 May registration from 10:15 with planned departure at 15:20 Please advise if you are attending or not.

## CONTACTS

All Saints School  
(01623) 474700

St Philips School  
(01623) 489010

St Joseph's Safeguarding Representative We need someone to take on this role  
Area Co-ordinator  
Rachael Campion



Church cleaning from 10:30 until 12 noon every Friday. If you can help please come and join us

Our Lady's Social Club Bookings (01623) 757199

School Bus Problems (0115) 977 4516



Adoption focus

Representative Carol Withers