

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH COLWYN BAY

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Sunday 28th August 2011

Parish News Cont.

Adult Parish Dinner

Friday 16th September there will be an Adult Parish Dinner at the Cricket Club in Rhos on Sea. 7 for 7-30pm at a cost of £11-00 per head (which includes entertainment).

See poster in the Church porch for further details.

Parish Pastoral Council

It was great to see so many people including new faces at the August PPC meeting. Everybody is welcome to come along and contribute to the running of the Parish. Our next meeting is on Friday September 2nd at 7-30pm. Any agenda items must be e-mailed to am.furse@yahoo.com by 26th August. We will be discussing the constitution of the PPC and plans for the coming year. Please can all group leaders return the Terms of Reference forms by the end of the month (these should have been e-mailed over to you. If you haven't received one please contact Anne-Marie on the above address). Minutes of August's meeting are on the notice board if you wish to see them.

Altar Server Meeting

There will be an Altar Server meeting following the 11-00am Mass on Sunday August 21st. All interested are welcome.

Parish Finance Committee

There will be a meeting of the PFC on Wednesday 31st August at 7pm in the Presbytery. Parishioners who wish to serve on this committee please come forward. Your contribution may be priceless!!

Weekend Collections

Parish solvency requires £1000-00 per week. Please try to give a little more to each collection.

We are grateful & thankful for your help so far. The Parish makes every effort to be "frugal" but bills and costs keep going up.

Prayer for the Parish

O God our Father and Creator

Where two or more are gathered together in your name
you are there in their midst.

We bring to you our parish of St Joseph's to ask your blessing
as we meet the challenges of our mission of witness and discipleship.

Give us courage and enthusiasm.

Give us spirit of initiative and originality of thought.

Give us charity and unity

and make us aware of each other as we work towards the renewal of our
parish.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

St Joseph pray for us.

MASSES

Saturday 5-30pm

Sunday 9-30am/11-00am

WEEKDAYS

Monday 12noon

Tuesday 7-30pm

Wednesday 9-30am

*Thursday 12noon Requiem Mass

Friday 12noon

SATURDAY CONFESSIONS

11-00am to 11-30am

5-00pm to 5-30pm

EXPOSITION, ROSARY AND QUIET PRAYER

Saturday 11-00am to 12-00noon

**MASSES MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF A FUNERAL
OCCURS**

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers all those who are sick, especially :

Basil Sanders, Mary Derrick, Peggy Porter, Edward Burke, Bridget McLaughlin, Fr Colm O'Riain OMI, Wendy Swinton, , Mary O'Leary, Fr Chris Dunne OMI, Eddie Mann, Neil Hogan, Mike Tobin, John Lyon, Rose Bostock., Gay Merrick, Francis Shaw, William Richardson, Mary Bushell, Betty McCarthy, Peter Smith, Nancy Bowden, Anthony, Josie Canning, Eddie Hosker, Stacey Usher, Anne Boyle, Claire Carlson, Ernie Speakman, Annie Quinn, Annie O'Neill, Heather Hillis Maxwell, Jim Carlson, Fr Terry Keogh OMI.

All whose Anniversaries occur around this time including

Brenda Braithwaite.

Recently Deceased

Peter Boris Palczykiewicz, Donald Brewis, Derek Evans.

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Was

£688-71

(including £282-71 loose)

REPOSITORY

The Repository is open after both the Saturday and Sunday Masses And also from 12-30pm till 1-00pm weekdays.

NOTICE BOARD

Information or notices for the parish notice board should be given to Sr Clare in advance

Parish Bulletin

Please note there is a box in the Presbytery hall for all items to be included in the Bulletin. The cut off point is Wednesday evening. Thank you.

WORD FOR TODAY
No matter what degree of wealth people may enjoy, no matter how lucky they appear in other people's eyes, they will always wander in a dry desert until the moment they discover the living spring that is God. Those who have found this fountain never look back.



PARISH NEWS

Food Share

Thanks for the continued support. We have been struggling to keep up with the demand for food during July. Please keep the donations coming in. Following our last appeal we now have two more volunteers from St Joseph's Parish. If anyone else could spare an hour a week please contact me on am.furse@yahoo.com Anne-Marie

Trussell Trust

There is a meeting with the Trussell Trust on 14th September at 2-30pm in Arc Communities, Eglwys Dewi Sant, Rhiw Road, Colwyn Bay. The Trussell Trust are a national charity who support food banks (like Food Share) across the country. We are looking at linking in with the Trust so we can benefit from the resources and support they can give. The meeting is open to all so please come along and find out more.

S.P.U.C. Little Feet Club

August Winner **Sister Olivia**—The next meeting will be held on Thursday 29th September at 7-00pm in the Presbytery

EXTRA DAY TRIP!!!

The extra day trip to Salford Quays on Friday 30th September due to popular Demand John has been able to secure a few more seats at a cost of £10-00.

Please book with **John Williams (Organist)** Seat numbers will be given.

N.B. The Christmas Markets trip to Manchester on the 26th November is quickly being filled up. Cost £10-50. see John.

Also the parish Holiday to Bideford 16th April 2012—There are very few seats/rooms now available. Cost £165-00 Please book with **John Williams (Organist)**

Adult Faith Formation

Fr peter Morgan a Liverpool Priest will be giving our next talk. Fr Peter is a lively, engaging speaker whose in-put will definitely be life giving. See poster for details.

Web Site

Our web site continues to be updated on a regular basis, please have a look at what is going on. Also please can group leaders remember to send in updates.

The Arc

On September 11th Wyn, a project manager of the Arc, Colwyn Bay, will be speaking at the 9-30am Mass and joining us for coffee after.