

Parish News Cont.

Parish Council Election

Nominations close this weekend.

Those who have been nominated should prepare a **BRIEF** paragraph giving some information about themselves and also provide a small photograph.

A list of nominees will be in next weeks bulletin and elections will take place the following weekend.

Please come to the Quiz Nights

This is a family social event which also integrates the whole of the parish community. It is also fun!!!

These will be held at 7-30pm in the Parish Centre on the following dates. January 28th, February 25th, March 31st and April 27th.

Zimbabwe Missionary Experience Summer 2012

In the summer of 2012, a group of Oblate volunteers will return to Zimbabwe to take part in a missionary experience among the most marginalised people in our world today. From 15th June to 15th July (approx), volunteers will spend time working in the Sandra Jones Children's Village with children who have been orphaned by AIDS, and have often suffered grievously at the hands of those charged to protect them. We will also spend time in local schools, educating the children on the realities of AIDS, and equipping them with the tools to make positive life choices. Finally, we will spend time in the malnutrition ward of St Luke's Mission Hospital, witnessing to the life changing project, which is being funded by your generous donations to the recent Oblate Christmas appeal. Applicants must be at least 18 years old. Please see Fr Declan for further information.

Catholic Education Service

There will be a second collection taking place over next weekend the 4th/5th February on behalf of the Catholic Education Service.

Parish Financial Council Meeting

A meeting will take place on Wednesday 1st February at 7-30pm in the Presbytery.

Church Restoration Fund

There will be a second collection taking place over this weekend in aid of the Church restoration work.

N.B. The 'casual' collection at the weekend Masses is losing its momentum.

Please don't let this happen we know times are hard and uncertain.

£2 per person makes such a difference !!

Your generosity is 'Golden'.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH COLWYN BAY

01492-532670

www.catholicchurchcolwynbay.co.uk

Sunday 29th January 2012

MASSES

Saturday 5-30pm

Sunday 9-30am/11-00am

WEEKDAYS

Monday 12noon

Tuesday 7-30pm

Wednesday Thursday 9-30am

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**

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.

Sunday Lunch

The next one will be on
Sunday 12th February 2012
at the
Rhos on Sea Golf Club
at 1-00pm

The cost will be
£8-95 for a 3 course Carvery

**Names to John Williams
(Organist)**

Trip to Walsingham 2012

Monday 26th March
To
Saturday 31st March
If interested contact:-
Ann Botfield 01492 562730 or
Edward Mann 01492 518928

REPOSITORY

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

Last Week's Offertory Collection
Was
£674-51 (including £193-65 loose)

Our grateful thanks

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, Eddie Mann, Neil Hogan,
Mike Tobin, John Lyon, Rose Bostock., Gay Merrick, William Richardson,
Mary Bushell, Betty McCarthy, Peter Smith, Nancy Bowden, Anthony, Josie Canning,
Eddie Hosker, Stacey Usher, Claire Carlson, Annie Quinn, Annie O'Neill,
Heather Maxwell, Jim Carlson, Fr Terry Keogh OMI, Frank Shaw,
Rosemary Butcher, John Turton, Patrick Murtagh.

Recently Deceased

Fr Christie Dunne OMI, Ernie Speakman, Timothy O'Brien, Annie Dingley,
Anne Boyle.

All whose Anniversaries occur around this time including

James, Joseph Gerighty, Michael Smith., Edna Hallam, Margaret (Peggy) Hallahan.

This Parish is part of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Wrexham Registered Charity No. 700426.
Trustees: Oblates of Mary Immaculate

PARISH NEWS

Congratulations!!!!

**Our congratulations go to Rita and Frank Clarke who
celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on 27th January
2012.**

Adult Faith Group

A date for your diaries..... By popular request the Adult Faith Group have in-
vited Fr Gerry Hughes back again, to give another enlightening and
informative talk. The title is "How to deal with moral dilemmas?"
This will be held at the Parish Centre, Brackley Avenue, at 14-00 on Sunday
29th January. All are welcome to attend, and refreshments will be available.

Prayer Groups

The Monday AM and Tuesday PM prayer groups are now fully operational.
Why not come along for a peaceful, prayerful hour?

Flame Congress

Following on from the Pope's visit to London Cymfed, the Catholic Youth
Ministry Federation, are holding a day of activities for all young people aged
14&. The event is to be held at Wembley Arena on the 24th March. A bus has
been booked from Flint at a cost of £40 to cover ticket and transport. The day
will include music, prayer and entertainment. For full details please check out
Cymfed's website.

Dates for Diary

Chrism Mass in the Cathedral—Wednesday 4th April at 7pm.

Web Site

Please can all groups ensure that their page on the web site is kept up to date
and any activities planned are put on the calendar. Updates should be e-mailed
to webmaster@catholicchurchcolwynbay.co.uk

Diocesan Silver Jubilee Mass

Will be held at Wrexham Cathedral at 12noon on Saturday 11th February.

Know Your Faith Forum

Small presentations and open discussion on topics to do with the Catholic
Faith—lasting about 90 minutes.

Tuesday 9:15am January 31st "What is the Church?"

Saturday 4:00pm February 4th "What is the Liturgy?"