

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

Parish Hutton and Shenfield

Mission Statement

To have Christ at the centre of our lives, enabling us to grow in faith as a community where all feel welcome, loved and valued.

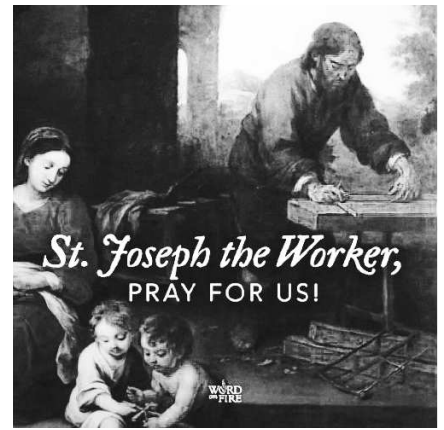
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Stewards Of The Gospel

"The important thing in evangelising is not to effortfully set out to try to convert someone, but to live one's faith as a Catholic attractively. It is important to trust that God is working".

Welcome to our parish news of St. Joseph the Worker 21 July 2024

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY

Saturday 20 6.00 p.m.
Breda Conville RIP
B. Wignall

Sunday 21 10.30 a.m.
Jim Jarvis RIP
J. Jarvis
3.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament with
ROSARY SAID FOR PEACE
IN OUR WORLD

WEEKDAY MASSES

(Subject to Change i.e. For Funerals)

Tuesday 23 9.00 a.m.
For our Parishioners

Wednesday 24 7.30 p.m.

Thursday 25 9.00 a.m.

Friday 26 9.00 a.m.

Saturday 27 10.00 a.m. - 10.30 a.m.
Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Do try and come to a weekday Mass.
We all need Jesus.

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY

Saturday 27 6.00 p.m.
Bridget Massey RIP
A. Turvey

Sunday 28 10.30 a.m.
For our Parishioners
3.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament with
ROSARY FOR PEACE
IN OUR WORLD

The Church is open all day for your visit to the Blessed Sacrament.

Please note: The Newsletter is put together two weeks in advance. If you wish your Mass intention to be printed, you will need to have it handed in by then. Thank you.

If you can, please come to weekday Mass. The Eucharist is the Bread of Life, the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of life Lord.

Parish Partnership

The most recent Minutes and Action Points have been posted to the St. Joseph the Worker website and can be viewed at <https://www.stjosephshutton.org/parish/parish-partnership/>

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Is available on Saturdays from 10.00 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. or on request before Mass or any other time.

For information

Fr. Leslie's day off is on Mondays.



Prayer to reflect on.

"Lord, teach me today to remain in your love by coming into your presence in prayerful adoration of you in the Eucharist".

Welcome to our parish family, to our visitors and our young people to our Sunday celebration of our Holy Mass.

Although we receive the new life of Christ through baptism, we remain wounded by sin, weakened and broken by our fallen human nature. Jesus is the Great Physician who heals us body, soul and spirit. This healing, however, is an ongoing and lifelong process. None of us is perfect; we all need healing, mercy and forgiveness.

How do we know God's healing touch, his gracious healing balm?

We receive this grace through the healing sacraments of the church: the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Anointing of the Sick. However, in a unique and special way, the Eucharist is also a sacrament of healing, for the Body and Blood of Christ brings us healing in body, soul, and spirit. And so we pray - "Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed".

Last Sunday I reminded our young people who are over fourteen to come forward to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation by our Bishop Alan next year. Please give Fr. Leslie your name and contact details as soon as possible. May I kindly ask our parents to discuss this great Sacrament with their young people? The Sacrament of Confirmation is the third Sacrament of Initiation, the other two being Baptism and the Holy Eucharist. The purpose of the sacraments is to sanctify men and women, to build up the Body of Christ and, finally, to give worship to God (catechism of the Catholic Church 1123).

May I wish all our families a great Sunday and may God bless you all.

Holy Hour

Takes place every Sunday between 3.00 p.m. and 4.00 p.m., Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with the Rosary for Ukraine and peace in our world.

Sick or Housebound Parishioners

Any of the above who would like to receive Holy Communion in their homes, please contact the Presbytery. Thank you.

Eucharistic Ministers

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| Saturday 20 July | 6.00 p.m. Ewa Kania Ian Restall |
| Sunday 21 July | 10.30 a.m. Blane McKie Bill O'Regan |
| Saturday 27 July | 6.00 p.m. Stella Walker Mark Brennan |
| Sunday 28 July | 10.30 a.m. Chris Brooks Percy Sam |

Readers

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| Saturday 20 July | 6.00 p.m. Mark Brennan |
| Sunday 21 July | 10.30 a.m. Paul Downey |
| Saturday 27 July | 6.00 p.m. Marian Anderson |
| Sunday 28 July | 10.30 a.m. Willa Jackson |

Our New Parish Administrator

Is Ngozi - The Parish Office is Open Wednesday and Friday from 9.00 a.m. - 3.00 p.m.

Any questions regarding Baptismal form etc. please email - hutton@brcdt.org

Journey Home (Continued)

If we don't give testimony, if we don't share our faith, then it is unlikely that we will undergo much persecution. But to those prepared to step out in faith, to take a risk and trust in God, the Father promises to give heavenly wisdom and strength. To witness for Christ means that Christ must increase, and we must decrease. This does not mean that our personalities are diminished, or we become robotic or take on a false persona: it means that by dying to self we allow Christ to live in us the principal agent of evangelization is the Holy Spirit: he is the One who gives us the energy and conviction and yes, even joy. For God is calling us to be not sourpusses but joy-filled evangelisers.

Accident Reporting and First Aid Guidance

In an ideal world, accidents wouldn't happen. The reality is that sometimes, despite our best efforts, things can go wrong and the consequences can go beyond the casualty themselves, impacting their families, friends, colleagues, and the church community. Serious accidents can affect the reputation of the church in the wider community. The guide is available to view and/or download in Safety Toolbox Online Resources. If you have any questions arising from the new guidance or need help accessing the resources, please contact hs@brcdt.org or visit the online Help Centre, contact Health and Safety Team or Safety Toolbox on 0203 637 5384 or by email.

Bible Alive

The new Bible Alive edition for July 2024 is now available to purchase from the parish for £3.00 only. Purchase from the church after Saturday 6.00 p.m. Mass or Sunday 10.30 a.m. Mass. You could also contact the parish office on 01277 221917 or email: hutton@brcdt.org

The Catholic Fellowship Disability Network

Serving people with disabilities and their families of all faiths and none across Essex and East London. Become a member TODAY! Contact us - info@cfdn.org.uk
Website: www.cfdn.org.uk

Open House Billericay

On Saturday 12 October the Most Holy Redeemer Church, Billericay, will be hosting a day focusing on parish renewal with talks and workshops designed to help parishes transition from maintenance to mission. Bishop Alan will also be presiding at the Midday Mass. The day will last from 9.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. and the cost is £20.00 per person. In order to attend you need to register in advance by following this link: <https://divinerenovation.org/events/>

"Adoremus" Festival At Oscott College, Birmingham

On Saturday 14 September at Oscott College in Birmingham, the "Adoremus" National Eucharistic Congress and Pilgrimage is taking place with representatives from dioceses across England and Wales. Our diocese has been allocated 43 places. If you would like to attend, please contact the Diocesan Co-ordinator, Father Dan Mason at frdanmason@brcdt.org There will be a coach leaving for the Congress from Brentwood Cathedral at 8.00 a.m. on the day.

Parishes are also encouraged to arrange a time for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament either on 14 or 15 September. More information about this will be sent out to parishes in the coming months.

Lunchtime Recitals

Next Wednesday 24 July at 1.00 p.m. we invite you to a really special Lunchtime Piano Recital to be given by Paul Bateman and Roderick Elms. This is a unique opportunity to hear Rachmaninoff's Suites for Two Pianos in which our instrumentalists will no doubt be working in perfect harmony to bring us this splendid music!

The Recital will last about one hour after which we invite you back to our Song School for refreshments. We do hope you can join us for this Recital which is the last one before our Summer break.

Pilgrims of Hope

Pope Francis has designated 2025 as a Jubilee Year under the theme of 'Pilgrims of Hope'.

Caretaker - Epping

A vacancy has arisen for a part-time caretaker at The Immaculate Conception, Epping. The post will be part-time (around four hours per week - with a flexible working agreement to be agreed which includes weekends and being on site on a Tuesday). This is a one year fixed-term contract which may be extended or made permanent.

The role starts in October and the salary is negotiable depending on skills and experience. Full job description Caretaker Epping - 2024. To apply, please email your CV and cover to epping@brcdt.org

Time For Mission:

Church Cleaners

We do need a few more volunteers please to clean the church on Thursday after morning Mass for about an hour.

Flower Arranging

Our flower arrangers are responsible for creating floral decorations for Mass and special occasions.

If you would like to join, email the parish office hutton@brcdt.org

Hutton Food Bank

On the first weekend of the month please bring tinned goods etc. to church on these weekends.

New Groups

If there are any groups which don't currently exist, please speak to Fr. Leslie. i.e., Rosary Group.

Eucharistic Ministers

We need more Eucharistic ministers to take communion to the sick, as well as assisting at Saturday and Sunday Masses. Please see Willa Jackson.

Pilgrimage To Walsingham - 3 August

One of the Bishops has commented that he is certain that we are engaged in a spiritual battle and that this pilgrimage is part of the urgent defence of the sanctity of human life. Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of life, Saturday 3 August, to be led by Bishop David Oakley of Northampton. Please consider joining this pilgrimage, if possible, in person, or online at www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/

Sacrament of Confirmation 2025

Fr. Leslie would like the name and contact details of those who wish to be confirmed next year. You need to be 14 years old and above. Our Bishop will visit our parish and confirm our candidates. This is the Third Sacrament of Invitation, the other two being Baptism and Holy Communion. The date is yet to be announced but we'll keep you posted.

Evening Mass During the Week

Please do try and come to a weekday Mass. Mass will be said here every Wednesday evening at 7.30 p.m.



Pope On Social Media

May OurLadyOfMountCarmel comfort and obtain #Peace for all peoples who are oppressed by the horror of war. Please, let us not forget tormented Ukraine, Palestine, Israel, and Myanmar. Let us #PrayTogether for peace.

The Gospel is proclaimed together, as a community. To do so, we must be modest in the use of things, sharing resources and gifts, so that we may be free and everyone may have what they need to live with dignity and contribute to the mission.

Our world's problem is not the number of children born into it. The problem is selfishness, consumerism and individualism, which make people satiated, lonely and unhappy.

Leaders of global religions signed the Rome Call for #Aethics in #Hiroshima today. Only together can we build #Peace, assisted by technologies used to serve humanity while respecting our common home.

Anniversaries

We pray for the anniversaries of all our relatives and friends, especially those whose anniversary occurs at this time.

We pray for: Margaret Wynne, Mary McKenna, Jim Jarvis, Leslie Reagan, Isabella Russell, Doreen O'Neil, Fred Shaw, Edwin Cannon, James Michel Cannon, Angela Calabritto, Elizabeth Candler, Mary James, and Stephen Sutcliffe.

Priests of our Diocese: Fr. Patrick Taylor (1996), Deacon David Balmer (2019), Fr. John Boardman Fames (1923), Fr. Michael Hannan (1927), Fr. Dermot Moore (1966), and Fr. James Cooney (1982).

For these and all the faithful departed, may they REST IN PEACE and Rise in Glory.

Let us never forget our former priests or parishioners. They were part of our parish family. We pray that they will be part of the church triumphant and pray also for holy souls in purgatory the church suffering and for ourselves on our journey the church militant.

Finance News - 1

For the week ending Sunday 14 July the Plate Collection totalled £140.00

Sea Sunday Second Collection: £135.00

Thank you and God Bless.

Mass Attendance

Saturday 13 July 6.00 p.m.: 32

Sunday 14 July 10.30 a.m.: 64

References For Work And Other Positions

Your priest receives many requests for references which he is happy to give for people that he knows. However, it is unhelpful to mention to him in passing that you have given his name for a reference unexpectedly. Therefore, before you give his name as a reference, please make an appointment to see him. *Thank you*

Mass Intentions

Please don't forget to have a Mass celebrated for family and friends. Some Masses still available.

Light

Laughter
Summer Version

Why did the man put his money in the freezer during summer?
He wanted cold hard cash!