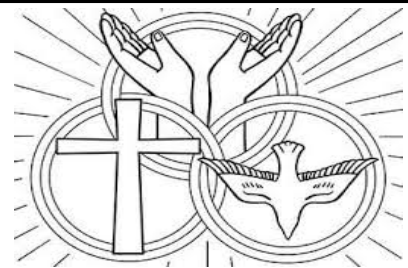


**Holy Family Cluster, Leicester. The Parishes of  
St Joseph's, Our Lady of Good Counsel  
& Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary.  
The Most Holy Trinity Sunday May 26th 2024**



Saturday 25th	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Filomena De Brito, Ida Fernandes, Eva Makulova. GH Hazel Dias, Piedade Rozario.
Sunday 26th <b>The Most Holy Trinity</b>	9am Mass (Live-streamed)	St Joseph's	RIP Sr. Ann Collins, Ellen McAteer (Nellie), Fr John Daley, Doreen Concannon. Int. Safe arrival of Baby Leo Sean, The people of the Parish. B'day Bishop Patrick.
	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	RIP Berta Pereira, Filomeno Pereira, Maria De Fatima Teles Pereira, Maria Lina Miranda.
	11.30am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	RIP Alex & Nelson Fernandes, Filomena De Brito, John B & D M Monteiro. GH Piedade Rozario, Seamus Coulson. Int. Denzil D'Souza & Richa Patil.

Monday 27th <b>St Augustine</b>	10am Mass	<b>Sacred Heart</b> (Bank Holiday)	RIP Zulmira Nunes
Tuesday 28th	9am Holy Hour	Sacred Heart	GH Salazar Fonseca.
	10am Mass 11.30am Mass	St Joseph's	RIP Mary Owens. Thanksgiving to St Francis Xavier.
Wed 29th	10am Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Sister Catherine Mary O'Neill.
Thurs 30th	10am Mass <i>Community Mass</i>	Sacred Heart	RIP Hipolito Albuquerque.
Friday 31st <b>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	9am Holy Hour	Our Lady's	RIP Filomeno & Sabastiana Pereira. People of the Parish.
	10am Mass 5.45pm Rosary 6pm Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Fr George Towler. For the People of the Parish.

**Upcoming Funerals** Please pray for our recently deceased and their families.  
**Hipolito Albuquerque** Respects 11am, Funeral Mass 11.30am on 4th June at SH.  
**Charlie O'Gorman** Funeral Mass, 11am, 7th June at SH  
**Annie Mulhern (Hirrell)** - Passed away in Ireland.  
**Mary Owens** - Funeral at St Joseph's date & time TBC.  
*Eternal rest grant unto them o Lord, may they rest in peace.. Amen.*

**Feast of Corpus Christi 2nd June**  
 10.15am Procession of the Blessed Sacrament at the end of Mass at Our Lady's. 11.30am Mass followed by Procession of the Blessed Sacrament through the streets at Sacred Heart.

**Our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will receive a blessing at all of our Corpus Christi Masses next weekend. Please bring your scapula along with you.**



We welcome Khalleina in Baptism at Sacred Heart on Wednesday this week.

Date	Time and event	Church	Mass Intentions
Saturday 1st	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	MM Loreno Noronha. MM Ida Fernandes. GH Jackson Noronha & Family, Princeton Brito.
Sunday 2nd <b>Corpus Christi</b>	9am Mass (Live-streamed)	St Joseph's	B'day June Fertig, Bishop Patrick.
	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	1st Anniv. Antonio J.M. Oscar Lopes. RIP Margarida Dos Remedios, Cristiano & Rosa Rosario, Luis & Olga Machado. GH Brina & Jesward, Benedito Pereira & Augusta Rosario, Eddie Machado, Meliza Pereira, Relston & Maybn Fernandes. Thanksgiving to Divine Mercy.
	11.30am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	MM Marcelina Rocha. RIP Joao, Maria De Monte, Francisco & Auta Nunes.

**Prayer in our Parishes**

**Jesus Youth** Mondays 6.30pm in the SH Parish hall.

**Good Shepherd Prayer Group** meet on Tuesdays 6-7.30pm in the Early Learners Centre, 78 Uppingham Road. Except on the last Tuesday of each month when the meeting will be at Sacred Heart Church. All welcome.

**St Joseph's Blessed Sacrament Chapel** open every week day for quiet prayer.

**Churches in the Holy Family Parish Cluster:** St Joseph's, 12 Goodwood Road, Leicester LE5 6SG

Our Lady of Good Counsel, 15, Peebles Way, Rushey Mead LE4 7ZB

Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary, 25, Mere Road, Leicester LE5 3HS

**St Margaret Mary Community Mass**  
at St Paul's Polish Church, Wakerley Rd, LE5 4WE

**Parish Priest:** Fr David Cain **Assistant Priest:** Fr Prince Kurian MSFS **Parish Deacon:** Rev Séamus O'Looskan

**Retired Priest in the Parish:** Fr John Tavares **Safeguarding Coordinator:** Mrs Mary Hirst

**Safeguarding Reps:** SH Martina Guedes 07513 725549 **OLGC** Tammy Pereira 07513 725402 **SJ** TBC

**Parish Office Manager & Contact:** Anne Cartwright or 0116 251 1437 **holyfamilyleicester@dioceseofnottingham.uk**

**Website:** www.sacredheartchurchleicester.co.uk **Facebook, YouTube & Instagram:** @sacredheartparishleicester

**Live-stream from SJ** Sunday 9am Mass & **SH** 11.30am on Facebook & YouTube & other services as announced.

**Watermead Shop at St Joseph's**

Tues, Weds, Thurs  
10.30 am - 4.30 pm  
Tel: 0116 2207880  
Online Giftshop:  
watermeadshop.co.uk  
Info on Apostolate:  
www.watermead-apostolate.co.uk



**Congratulations** to Bethany, Kesley, Jemuel, Annabella, Teo, Katie, Raphael, Yohan, Stanley and Ricardo who all receive their First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart this Sunday. May God's love guide you and bless your life with every happiness.



**St Philip's Centre AGM - 'The Future of Interfaith'** guest speaker, Professor Andrew Davies, Professor of Public Religion at the University of Birmingham & Director of the Edward Cadbury Centre for the Public Understanding of Religion.  
**11th June 5pm-7pm** at St Philip's Church, Evington Road. LE2 1HN.  
 Please book in by email: [admin@stphilipscentre.co.uk](mailto:admin@stphilipscentre.co.uk)

## Centenary & Golden Jubilee Celebrations

This year is the Centenary of Sacred Heart Parish and the Golden Jubilee for Our Lady of Good Counsel. To mark these important milestones, we hope to prepare our churches for their mission into the future by prioritising work on our churches and halls. Maziano Guedes and Agatha D'Costa will be heading up our teams of 5 people in each parish. If you have ideas, creativity and skills that will help with our plans and top-up fundraising where necessary, please speak to Maziano, Agatha, our Clergy or Anne in the office & let us know if you'd like to be a part of our team.



## The Feast of The Sacred Heart

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June at Sacred Heart Church with mass at 6:30pm and celebration to follow.**

- **BBQ Burgers and Sausages will be provided**
- **Ice Cream, Drinks and Bingo Cards will be on sale (please bring some money)**
  - Music

**We would ask you to bring food to share and for all parishioners from across the Cluster to come along and celebrate the festivities.**

**Sacraments 2024/2025** As our First Holy Communion Celebrations begin this weekend, it is already time to start planning for next year. First Holy Communion Preparation for 2025 will begin on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2024. Your child can receive their First Holy Communion if they are in year 3 or above. We hope to also provide preparation for those young people in year 7 and above who have yet to receive their First Holy Communion and/or who may wish to be Baptised. Please complete a form, available at the back of all three churches, and get this to the parish office as soon as possible along with a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate. Please add a note to the form if your child is yet to be Baptised. In September, we will also begin our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) programme. If you are an adult (over 18) who would like to become a Roman Catholic or who may be Baptised but has not yet received the sacraments of First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation, please complete a form which is also available at the back of all of our churches. The next Confirmation for young people will take place in 2026 and preparation for this will begin in September 2025. We look forward to another fruitful year of Sacramental Preparation within our Cluster Community.

### Our Catholic Schools are in need of Foundation Governors.

Could you help? A Virtual information session about being a foundation governor in one of our Catholic Schools is taking place on Thursday 27th June from 7pm to 8pm. For further information, please contact Julie Sweeney at the Diocesan Education Service: [Julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk](mailto:Julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk)

### Walsingham Tickets

If you've ordered tickets for the Pilgrimage to Walsingham, they are now ready for collection from your usual church. Please ask one of the stewards at the back of the church. They will locate your tickets and will mark that they have been collected. If your tickets are not at your normal mass this weekend, don't worry, just let the steward know and we'll get them to you for next weekend.

### Future Plans for The Holy Family Cluster

At our joint Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) meeting on Monday involving representatives from Our Lady's & Sacred Heart our key priority was to chart a course for the year ahead that would enable St Joseph's to be a part of our representative group:

Sun 2nd June: St Joseph's Parish Census & Volunteering Day

Sun 16th June: St Joseph's parishioners are invited to nominate themselves or others (who have to accept their nomination) to be representatives on the PPC (one over 60, one 18-25 and two others to create a 50:50 mix of male & female reps).

Sun 7th July: St Joseph's elections to the PPC

Mon 8th July: Joint PPC Meeting at Our Lady's

Sat 12th Oct: Holy Family Cluster Retreat Day at St Joseph's

Sat 2nd Nov: Holy Family Cluster Synod (prep begins in Sept)

#### OLGC Collection 19th May

Loose & Envelopes £577.35  
 Standing Orders £142.75  
Total £720.10

#### SH Collections 18th/19th May

Loose & Envelopes £539.50  
 Standing Orders £504.50  
Total £1044.00

#### SJ Collections 19th May

Loose & Envelopes £455.00  
 Standing Orders £398.75  
Total £853.75

#### Upcoming Collections

Catholic Communications  
 THIS SUNDAY 25th/26th May  
 Day for Life 15th/16th June

**Parish Bank Account Details:** **SH:** Sacred Heart Leicester RCP Account number: 00949284 Sort Code: 30-15-97 **OLGC:** Our Lady of Good Counsel Leicester RCP Account number: 51819560 Sort Code: 30-94-97. **SJ:** St Joseph's Leicester RCP Account number: 51763560 Sort Code: 30-94-97. **Please put a reference detailing the nature of your payment when paying into our Parish accounts.**



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