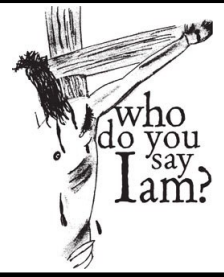


**Holy Family Cluster, Leicester. The Parishes of
St Joseph's, Our Lady of Good Counsel
& Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary.**



24th Week of the Year ~ Sunday 15th September 2024

Saturday 14th	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Eamonn Lloyd. Thanksgiving Isobel Isaac Ayaan Pereira. GH Dylan, Terrence, Chantelle Remedios.
Sunday 15th 23rd Sunday of the Year (Live-streamed)	9am Mass 10:15am Mass 11.30am Mass	St Joseph's Our Lady's Sacred Heart	RIP Deceased members of the Beatty Family, Timothy & Dorothy Lopes & Francis Penha. RIP Raj J & Wellbeing of Family. GH Henrietta Lopes. RIP Nicolau & Nascimento Rodrigues, Mario & Anthony Rodrigues & Yvonne Steele Rodrigues, Miguel Rodrigues, Raul Cardoza, Francisco Cardozo. RIP Mary & Augustine Rebello, Joseph, Rosa, Flavia & Hyacinth Rodrigues, Rev Martin Hulbert, Bernarda Miranda, Apolinario, Carmina, Anotonio & Jose Galiana Brito. Int. Madu Okwuchi. GH B'Day Maziano Guedes.

Monday 16th Sts Cornelius & Cyprian	10am Mass	SMM	Int. Fr David—Safe travels.
Tuesday 17th	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass 11.30am Mass 12 noon Funeral	Sacred Heart St Joseph's Sacred Heart	RIP Asunta Rosario. RIP David Leyshow. Gerard Werner RIP.
Wed 18th	10am Mass	Sacred Heart	The People of the Parish.
Thurs 19th 	10am Mass in Club Room	Sacred Heart	RIP Ged Werner.
Friday 20th Sts Andrew Kim Taegon & Paul Chong Hasang & Companions	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass 5.45pm Rosary 6pm Mass	Our Lady's Sacred Heart	The People of the Parish. RIP Lourdes, Juliao, Bibiana & Armina Rosario.

We welcome Eva Lily and Avery Joanna in Baptism at Sacred Heart this weekend.



Upcoming Funerals Please pray for our recently deceased and their families.
Gerard Werner Funeral Service Tuesday 17th September 12noon at Sacred Heart.
Francis Castanha who passed away suddenly in Sri Lanka.
Eternal rest grant unto them oh Lord, may they rest in peace. Amen.

Saturday 21st	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	
Sunday 22nd 25th Sunday of the year (Live-streamed)	9am Mass 10.15am Mass 11.30am Mass	St Joseph's Our Lady's Sacred Heart	RIP Charlie Kearney, Alvin Knight. RIP Maria Rosario & Germando Rosario. GH B'Day Winona Pereira. RIP Alex & Nelson Fernandes

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions



OLGC Int. Madu Okwuchi.
SH Thanksgiving.
SJ Our recently Confirmed.

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 Sacred Heart Club Room. All welcome.

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

SAVE THE DATE: Holy Family Community Retreat Day:
Saturday 12th October 10am to 3pm - a time for parishioners from
OLGC, SH & St J's to prepare for our Parish Synod Day
on Saturday 2nd November. All at St Joseph's Church.

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

Parish Priest: Fr David Cain **Assistant Priest:** Fr Vitalis Akandu **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** Julie Spencer.

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.

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

YouTube

Thank You!

A huge THANK YOU to all involved in making our celebrations of the Feast of Our Lady at Our Lady's, the procession at Sacred Heart and our Confirmation Celebration at St Joseph's so wonderful. All events were occasions which demonstrated the vibrancy of our Community Cluster. Thank you also to those who have helped with stewarding the Ride & Stride event this weekend. We are truly blessed.

Year 6 Catholic Secondary School Open Evenings

English Martyrs' School, Anstey Lane, Leicester
Thursday 3rd October 5pm-6.45pm.
St Paul's School, Spencefield Lane, Leicester
Thursday 10th October 4.30pm -7pm.

SPANNED Annual Mass

with Bishop Patrick is taking place at St. Peter's Hinckley on Saturday, September 21st at 2.30 pm. The Mass this year will concentrate on the matter of climate change and hopefully, the SPANNED Manifesto on the subject will be available for purchase on this occasion. Please let Fr. Frank Daly know at hinckleypriory@gmail.com or on 01455 634443 if you would like to come.

Come and play the Cathedral Organ on Saturday 28th

September, 12.00 noon – 3.00pm. There's no need to book, simply turn up to Nottingham Cathedral (NG1 5AE) and enjoy a hands-on afternoon of activities, including the opportunity for children and young people to learn about and play the organ.

Our Parishes Supporting CAFOD. Our Parishes have always done what we can to support CAFOD. Seven of our Parishioners are running a marathon on 13th October at Victoria Park to raise money for this wonderful charity. Can you help them to raise their target of £1000? The QR code will take you to their fundraising page.

MISSIO UPDATE: St Joseph's Dear Parishioners, we banked Missio monies from Red Boxes last week, £340.25. There has been a drastic drop in the money we bank year on year since Covid19 years. The challenge we face is that parishioners no longer use cash for shopping and daily provisions, hence no coins to put in Red Boxes. Going forward we encourage parishioners to please set up Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible at: missio.org.uk telephone 020 7821 9755 (office hours). The missionary needs our support to spread word to the underdeveloped countries by building churches, training priests and sisters etc. We thank parishioners who already set up Direct Debits which have been running for a few years. Please continue support this worthwhile cause. Please collect your Red Box and bring it back in November for end of the year banking. Contact Carmen or myself if you need a Red Box or need help completing a Direct Debit form. Thank you for your understanding. God bless you all, Anthony and Carmen.

OLGC Collection 7th September
Loose & Envelopes £869.73
Standing Orders £136.50
Total £1006.23

SH Collections 8th September
Loose & Envelopes £568.80
Standing Orders £518.25
Total £1168.58

SJ Collections 8th September
Loose & Envelopes £422.50
Standing Orders £405.25
Total £827.75

**2nd Collection THIS Weekend
for Evangelii Gaudium Day**

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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Join us for the Flame 2025 Youth event at the OVO Arena Wembley on 15th March 2025. This is a fabulous uplifting event for young Catholics. We have 50 places for young people aged 15 and above.

Tickets are £40 per person for Coach travel and ticket. If you would like to pay this in instalments, this can be arranged. Please email Anne on the Parish email to book your place and let her know how you would like to pay.



Lacy's Big Sing 2025

at Immaculate Conception Church, Oadby, Sunday 6th October at 4pm. Young people, families and friends from all parishes with their own music groups and choirs to come along and be involved in the liturgy with their voices and instruments. Contact Pauline Payne: paulinepayne@hotmail.com or Jo Shearer: joshearer@hotmail.com for more information.

Our apologies but due to ongoing work in the kitchen at St Joseph's, St Joseph's Table will be closed this week, reopening on Tuesday and Wednesday 24th and 25th September.

First Holy Communion 2024/2025

First Holy Communion Preparation for 2025 will begin at 10.15am at Sacred Heart on Sunday 29th 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.

Please sign up as soon as possible if you wish your child to take part as it is important that they attend all of the sessions.

