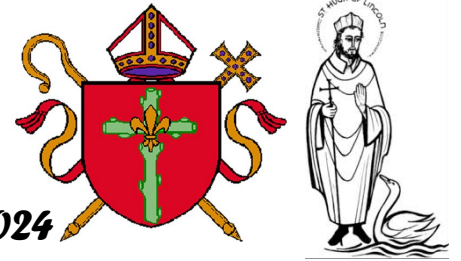


**Holy Family Cluster, Leicester. The Parishes of
St Joseph's, Our Lady of Good Counsel and
Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary
33rd Week of the Year BII, Sunday 17th November 2024**



Saturday 16th	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Jose Sandes & all dec'd members of Sandes & Noronha Fly, Peturnilia, Maria Jesus, Olivia & Teodosio Mendonca, Celina Maria Pwreira & Anotnio Paul Jesus Mendonca. GH B'Day Joaquim De Brito.
Sunday 17th 33rd Sunday Of The Year (Live-streamed)	9am Mass 10:15am Mass 11.30am Mass	St Joseph's Our Lady's Sacred Heart	RIP Gustavo Felisbina, Olven Fernandes & Delizia Noronha. RIP Miguel Rodrigues, Raul Cardoza, Francisco Cardozo, Molly Curran, Lina, Thomas, Lourenco & Cristalina Pereira, Custodio Barreto, Anarita Barreto, Salvador Barreto, Noel Price & Constatino Fernandes, Luis, Olga, Savio & Ludavina Machado. 1st Anniv. Julia Augusta Fernandes. RIP Luis Miranda, Basilio Fonseca & Rozario Family. GH Samuel & Stanley De Brito & Piedade Rozario. B'day Jericho Herman Noronha.

Mon 18th Feria	10am Service	SMM	Service of Word & Holy Communion Note the Change from Mass
Tues 19th Feria	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass 11.00am Mass <i>Note Time Change</i>	Sacred Heart St Joseph's	GH Bernadine, Juvenal & Joshua Pereira. RIP Fr John Daley, Carlo & Anna Lanni
Wed 20th Feria	10am Mass	Sacred Heart	RIP Martiniano, Francisca & Dorothy Guedes, Inocencia Rocha.
Thurs 21st Presentation	10am Mass in Club	Sacred Heart	RIP Sr. Lourdes Noruega. Thanks-giving Anurita Menezes. GH B'Day Loyed Noronha.
Friday 22nd St Cecilia	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass 5.45pm Rosary 6pm Mass	Our Lady's Sacred Heart	RIP Canon Anthony Dolan. Int In Thanksgiving. GH Recovery Of Aires Remedios

Congratulations to our new Ministers of Holy Communion who were commissioned last Saturday by Bishop Patrick at Saint Barnabas Cathedral: Candida, Lucy, David, Sam, Ruth, Peter, Sr Lelia, Monica, Nathan & Maria

Upcoming Funerals Please pray for our recently deceased and their families.
Sean McKenna
Tuesday 3rd Dec 1pm at Sacred Heart.
Eternal rest grant unto them oh Lord, may they rest in peace. Amen.

Sanctuary Lamp Intention
OLGC: GH Rachel & Sarah Miranda.
SH: Our Newly Commissioned Ministers

Saturday 23rd	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	GH Felismina Remedios, Farham & Yazad Damania.
Sunday 24th Christ The King 34th Sunday Of The Year (Live-streamed)	9am Mass 10.15 Mass 11.30 Mass	St Joseph's Our Lady's Sacred Heart	RIP Domingo & Marilia Nunes, Lourenco & Tereza Fernandes, Filipe & Marta Rosario. RIP Joao & Joana Do Rosario, Caetano & Francisca Miranda, Roque Dias, Rosalina Sequeira, Felis Mendes & Vania Mendes. RIP Alex & Nelson Fernandes, Eduardo Guedes, Dionisio, Efigenia, Carmelo & Delizia Noronha, Bella & Anthony Dias, Harmando, Adelina, Anthonio, Caetana, Jacinto & Fatima Noronha, Lucian Linda Vaz & all dec'd souls. Thanksgiving Damania Fly. B'Day Ancy Dias.

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. All welcome.
St Joseph's Blessed Sacrament Chapel Open daily in daylight hrs.
Journeying with the Scriptures in a Time of Grief Fri 13th Dec 4.30pm in St J's Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

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 07513 725514.

Parish Office Manager & Contact: Anne Cartwright or 0116 251 1437
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Website: www.sacredheartchurchleicester.co.uk **Facebook, YouTube & Instagram:** sacredheartparishleicester

Live-stream from 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

Christmas Mass Times

Christmas Eve Masses

4.30pm Family Mass at St Joseph's
6.30pm Family Mass at Sacred Heart
6.30pm Family Mass at Our Lady's

Christmas Night Masses

10pm at St Joseph's (9.30 Carols)
Midnight Sacred Heart (11.30 Carols)
Midnight Our Lady's (11.30 Carols)

Christmas Day Masses

9am at St Joseph's
10.15am at Our Lady's
11.30am at Sacred Heart



Christmas Markets in December

Following our Sunday Masses at St Joseph's (1st Dec), Sacred Heart (8th Dec) & Our Lady's (15th Dec) each church will host a 90 minute Christmas Market. If you're a business, you can rent a stall for £20 or you can volunteer to lead a stall selling new or nearly new items. You could also lead a game or activity. Please sign up for your own stall by emailing Anne in the Parish office who will pass your details on to our Market organisers. Please put these dates in your diary and come along to enjoy some Christmas fun and maybe leave with a few of your Christmas gifts sorted.

Advent Confessions: Sat 30th Nov 8-9.30am at Sacred Heart, Saturdays 9.30-11am: 7th Dec at Our Lady's & 14th Dec at St Joseph's
Christmas Eve Confessions: 9-10.30am at St Joseph's, 10.30-12noon at Our Lady's & 12noon-1.30pm at Sacred Heart

Parish Cluster trip to the Pantomime

Join us for our annual pantomime trip to the DeMontfort Hall Panto on Saturday 21st December at 10am. This year it is Snow White. Tickets are £30 per Adult and £25 Child. To book, you will need to take a Panto envelope, available in all churches, fill it in and place the appropriate cash in the envelope and return it to the Parish Office. Unfortunately we cannot take online payments for this event. Tickets will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis. A trip to the Panto is a fantastic, fun way to begin the celebrations of Christmas!

November blessing of Graves

17th 2pm - Blaby
17th 2pm - Kirby Muxloe
17th 2pm - Thurmaston
17th 3pm - Countesthorpe
24th 2pm - Gilroes

St Joseph's Stewards - Steward Training with Fr David on Saturday 30th November from 9.30am to 11am. Please come along for this important training.

Cake sale for Fr Julian run by Lily and Grace after the 9am & 11.30am Masses this weekend to support Fr Julian's need for urgent health care.



Advent Readers Course

With the introduction of a new translation of the Scripture Readings for Mass the priests of the deanery encourage all current and prospective readers to attend a Readers Course we are running in advent this year. St Peter's Parish Hall, Hinkley Road, Leicester, LE3 0TA, Saturday 30th November & Saturday 14th December 11.00am - 1.15pm. The course will be presented in four sessions over two days and will provide Deanery level certification for Readers. Register with Fr Vitalis: vitalis.akandu@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Fr David's Bottle Tombola If you have any bottles gathering dust, pop them in the marked box at the back of each church. Thank you!

Dedication of New Lectionaries (Scripture Books) In December, the new Lectionary will come into use across England & Wales. We are dedicating each Book of the Gospels to Fr John Daley RIP, Fr John Lally & Fr Marcel Fangoo. We have received a generous donation to pay for Our Lady's new books. If you'd like to dedicate a new Lectionary (SH or StJ) to an individual, group or family, the cost is £148.

Thank You to St Joseph's Table

After nearly 9 years of preparing mouthwatering menus with fabulous food and service to parishioners and our local community, Chris, Anne and the team have made the difficult decision to announce that their final week will be at the end of November. The workload to prepare and deliver such a terrific service along with health and travel issues have resulted in this difficult decision. However, I would like to thank everyone involved for their wonderful service and throughout the month of November, on Tuesdays & Wednesdays, you'll be able to thank them personally for their service. God bless you all for more restful weeks ahead and a huge thanks from our community, Fr David.

Missio Local Secretary at SJs
After 8 years, Anthony Phiri is stepping down from his role as Local Secretary for Missio. We thank Anthony for his hard work and dedication. If anyone is interested in taking on this role, please speak to Fr David.

Friends of St Joseph's Christmas Craft Fair Saturday 7th December from 11am to 2pm at St Joseph's School, Armadale Drive, LE5 1HF. Santa's grotto, hot food, tombola, raffle, gifts, baked goods, sweets and much more. Please come along and join us. If you'd like to represent St Joseph's Parish by leading a stall please speak to Fr David or the Parish Office.

Catholic School's Carol Concert

A festive Concert in aid of Menphys. Friday 6th December at 7.15pm at De Montfort Hall. Tickets available directly from De Montfort Hall on 0116 2333111 or www.demontforthall.co.uk

OLGC Collection 3rd November	SH Collections 2nd/3rd November	SJ Collections 3rd November
Loose & Envelopes £655.30	Loose & Envelopes £842.80	Loose & Envelopes £506.80
Standing Orders <u>£118.85</u>	Standing Orders <u>£457.31</u>	Standing Orders <u>£357.50</u>
<u>Total</u> <u>£774.15</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>£1300.11</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>£864.30</u>

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.**

