



ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, PUDSEY

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18TH OCTOBER, 2020: 29TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (A)

PUBLIC MASSES THIS WEEK:

Sunday 18 th Oct (29 th Sunday of Ordinary Time)	9.30am* (<i>Intention: The People of the Parish</i>) 11.00am* (<i>Intention: Sandra Harding</i>)
Tuesday 20 th Oct (Feria)	7.00pm (<i>Intention: Robert Phizackerley</i>)
Friday 23 rd Oct (Feria)	9.30am (<i>Intention: Noel McGovern – LD</i>)
Saturday 24 th Oct (Feria)	12 noon* (<i>Intention: Dead List</i>)
Sunday 25 th Oct (30 th Sunday of Ordinary Time)	9.30am* (<i>Intention: The People of the Parish</i>) 11.00am* (<i>Intention: Lucy Loughlin – LD</i>)

The Obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains suspended. You are invited to attend any of the above Masses, but for the Sunday & Saturday Masses marked with asterisks* you must book a place in order to comply with the space restrictions in our church and the government's NHS Test & Trace scheme for all assemblies.

To book a place please email stjosephspudsey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk or phone 0113 257 0803 (preferably on Monday & Fridays 9am to 1pm, leaving a message if necessary).

Everyone in our church must wear a facemask at all times, unless you are exempted.

Please also scan our QR code as you enter the church for the NHS COVID-19 APP.

PRIVATE MASSES THIS WEEK:

Wednesday 21 st Oct (Feria)	9.30am (<i>Intention: NH</i>)
Thursday 22 nd Oct (St John Paul II, Pope)	9.30am

All Masses in our church continue to be livestreamed: www.stjosephpudsey.org.uk/live-stream

FIRST COMMUNIONS: All our prayers & congratulations to James Timmons, Olivia Timmons, Lydia Bedford, Harry Hart, Daisy Langridge, Samuel Stasiak, Lily Higgins, & Coco Hamill, who made their First Holy Communion on Saturday (17th October). Many of the children of our parish who were due to make their First Holy Communion last June will be receiving Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist for the first time at the Masses at 12 noon on Saturdays in October. Many thanks to all who have helped them to prepare for this day.

VOLUNTEERS: Thank you to those who have generously volunteered to serve as stewards & cleaners in church for our public Masses. For more info about what is involved please see: stjosephpudsey.org.uk/volunteers. If you can volunteer, please contact Janice in the parish office: office.stjoseph.pudsey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

CONFESSIONS: If you wish to have confession please ask Fr Peter after any of the public Masses.

OFFERTORY & DONATIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK: Envelopes received this week: £275.00; Cash donations: £51.20; Standing Orders & all donations directly to our bank account: £419.25. This means that altogether our parish has this week received **£745.45**. Sincere **THANKS** for your generosity to our parish, especially at this difficult time. How to give to our parish:

1. Bank transfer: Sort Code: 40-27-15, A/C no: 21018175, A/C Name: ST JOSEPHS PUDSEY.
2. By popping your offertory envelope (or your own envelope with your number clearly marked please) through the presbytery letterbox.
3. By SMS: text CHURCH PUDSEY to 70500 to contribute £5 to the offertory of our parish.
4. You can also make donations online by going to: www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/supporting-your-parish

British Summer Time ends next Sunday at 2am, so don't forget to put your clocks back an hour on Saturday night & enjoy an extra hour in bed!

**A message for families awaiting preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation,
First Holy Communion and Confirmation:**

Thank you for your patience as we have all been awaiting further guidance from the Diocese on how we can proceed with the preparation and celebration of First Sacraments during these challenging times. We will soon start with the preparation of candidates in Year 6 (& above) who would like to receive the **Sacrament of Confirmation**, and so we will be emailing all the families previously enrolled. However, if you have not already participated in our parish Reconciliation/Communion programme and you are interested in enrolling your child for this Sacrament please email Sacraments@stjosephpudsey.org.uk.

Details will be emailed soon to the families of children in Year 4 who have already enrolled to prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

PARISH ONLINE SCRIPTURE GROUP: meets on Tuesday evenings at 7.15pm. As well as praying with Scripture, we are exploring Pope Francis's encyclical "The Joy of the Gospel". If anyone else would like to join the group, please get in touch: pudseystjoseph@gmail.com

CAFOD HARVEST FAST: was on the 9th October. This year CAFOD is focusing on the global Coronavirus pandemic and efforts to help the poorest and most vulnerable people in the world to "survive, rebuild and heal." Thank you so far for £197.00 received. You can donate online directly to CAFOD at cafod.org.uk/give or **give by SMS** – text CAFOD to 70085 to donate £10. You can also pick up one of the **CAFOD envelopes** in our church porch, or simply put your donation in an envelope marked "CAFOD", and bring it to church or pop it through the Presbytery letterbox. You can also make your donation directly to the parish account and mark it "CAFOD": Sort Code: 40-27-15, Account No.: 21018175, Account Name: ST JOSEPHS PUDSEY.



MISSION SUNDAY: is today. Normally we would have a second collection to support the official agency of Catholic missionaries throughout the world. If you would like to make a donation, please put your offering in an envelope marked 'Missio' and bring it with you to Mass in the next couple of weeks, or pop it through the presbytery letterbox. You can also make a donation directly to our parish account marked 'Missio': Sort Code: 40-27-15, Account No. 21018175, Account Name: ST JOSEPHS PUDSEY. For more details about the charity and its invaluable work see: www.missio.org.uk. Many of you have the **RED MISSION BOXES** at home, and they can now be emptied. You can bring it to Mass and leave it in the church porch – please leave your name attached to it and you can pick up the empty box the following week. Otherwise, please get in touch with Pat Lucas or with Fr Peter to make other arrangements.

CARLO ACUTIS: This teenager, born in London in 1991, was beatified in Assisi last week. He lived a remarkable life of faith in the 15 years he was in this world, and leaves an extraordinary legacy. For more info see: www.carloacutis-en.org. Short videos about him can be viewed at www.cymfed.org.uk/carlo-acutis

NOVEMBER DEAD LIST ENVELOPES: are now available in the church porch. Please put your list of deceased loved ones in the envelope, along with any offering you wish to make. You can pop the completed envelope into the offertory collection at Mass, or return them to Fr Peter. Mass intentions for all those on the list will be offered throughout the year. A list of all the names will also be on display in the church porch and on our parish website. Please indicate on your list if you'd rather not publish your submitted names.

RETROUVAILLE: is a support group for married couples that may have lost a sense of the closeness they once had as marriage partners by helping them to survive times like these in their marriages. This programme has helped thousands of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital stress. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about Retrouvaille or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on **12th -15th Nov 2020**, call or text 0788 7296983 or 0797 3380443 or email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com - or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk



ENCYCLICAL LETTER
FRATELLI TUTTI
Of the Holy Father Francis
On fraternity and social friendship

To find out more about Pope Francis' latest Encyclical Letter:
www.stjosephpudsey.org.uk/fratelli-tutti