

**MILL HILL MISSIONARIES
NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST JOSEPH**

**At St Joseph's Church Maidenhead
10-18th March 2019**

You are also invited to send in your petitions and/or request a Novena booklet to enable you to join in from home by praying the daily Novena Prayer. See Poster on the Noticeboard for details or contact the Parish Office

IN BRIEF....

12 th Feb 2019	Parish Prayer Meeting 8-9.30pm at Our Lady of Peace & Blessed Dominic Barberi RG6 7DA
16 th Feb 2019	"ON FIRE!" Prayer & Healing Service. 5-7pm at St Joseph's Tilehurst
18 th Feb 2019	CAFOD Meeting 7.15 - 9pm at Christ the King Church in Reading RG2 8NR
1 st March 2019	2019 World Day of Prayer - Service at St Mark's Church Cranberry Road - See Poster for more info
25 th March 2019	Café Theologique - Jesus - The Lamb. Re-examining the imagery - starts 7.30pm at Zero Degrees Bar, Bridge Street RG1 2LR

JOB DESCRIPTION FOR A PARISH OF MISSIONARY DISCIPLES

When the song of the angels is stilled,
When the star in the sky is gone,
When the kings and the princes are home,
When the shepherds are back with their flocks,
The work of Christmas begins:
To find the lost,
To heal the broken,
To feed the hungry,
To release the prisoner,
To rebuild the nations,
To bring peace among people,
To make music in the heart.

By Howard Thurman

FIRST COMMUNION 2019

ALL SESSIONS ARE IN THE CHURCH
9.15AM (PROMPT) - 10.30AM

TUES 26TH FEBRUARY 7.30 - 9PM
PARENTS ONLY

SAT 9TH MARCH SESSION 7
LITURGY OF THE WORD

SAT 16TH MARCH SESSION 8
GOSPEL AND CREED

Details of future sessions to follow

CONFIRMATION 2019

Preparation continues for all those already enrolled.

SESSION 3 SUN 10th FEBRUARY 3.15-4.45PM - Getting it Right

SESSION 4 SAT 2ND MARCH (ALL DAY) - FLAME CONGRESS

SESSION 5 SUN 10TH MARCH 3.15 - 4.45PM - Word of God

SESSION 6 SUN 17th MARCH 3.15 - 4.45PM - Eucharist/Mass

Then: 10/03 17/03, 24/03 More dates to follow
Contact Chris Burton EMconfirmation@outlook.com

GLOW 'let your light shine' Matthew: 5. 16

SENIOR YOUTH GROUP

7pm to 8.30pm in the Parish Hall

- **Fri 22nd February:** Love of God, Love of Neighbour- Exploring God's Commandments. (Half term)?
- **March 5th: Shrove Tuesday (Pancake evening) - Kicking off the Youth Lenten Campaign.**
We will be supporting MARY'S MEAL a charity that works to provide school meals, bags and writing materials to encourage children in very poor countries to get access to education.
- **31st May: Feast of the Visitation - Mary**

Plus much more to follow

ENGLISH MARTYRS YOUTH CHOIR

'Singing Together as One Voice'
Every Monday 4 - 5.15pm
at English Martyr's Church.
Age 7+ (School Years 3-13) welcome.
Choir sings: Every Sunday

ELEVATE

Parish JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP
"Exploring Faith Through Fun"
Next Meeting 1st March
4.30-5.30pm in the Parish Hall

YOUTH

ON ADMISSION TO ROYAL BERKSHIRE HOSPITAL

all Catholics should inform the hospital staff that they are Roman Catholic and if they wish to have Communion or see a Priest. All arrangements in RBH are "Patient Led".

Hospital Chaplain - Fr JP Lyttle

Mobile: 07391 896559 / RBH: 0118 322 7105

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PARISH MASS TIMETABLE SAT 9th FEBRUARY TO SUNDAY 17th FEBRUARY 2019

<u>DAYS</u>	<u>TIMES</u>	<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u>
Vigil Mass – Saturday 9th February FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30 pm	Stephen Coleman RIP
Sunday 10th February FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Responsorial Psalm: <i>Before the angels I will bless you, O Lord.</i>	9.30 am	Michael Conneely RIP
	11.30 am	Laurence Alexander RIP
	5.00 pm	Sydney Burrett RIP
Monday 11th February Our Lady of Lourdes, <i>memorial</i>	9.30am	Francis Carr RIP
Tuesday 12th February	9.30am	Pam Maddock RIP
Wednesday 13th February	9.30 am	Holy Souls RIP
Thursday 14th February St Cyril & St Methodius, <i>feast</i>	9.30 am	Maureen O'Sullivan RIP
	7.30 pm	Maureen King's Intention
Friday 15th February	9.30am	Ethelreda Davis RIP
Saturday 16th February Our Lady on Saturday	11.00am	Canon Francis Moran RIP
Vigil Mass – Saturday 16th February SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	Felix Rodrigues RIP
Sunday 17th February SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.30 am	Jim Fitzgerald RIP
	11.30 am	People of the Parish
	5.00 pm	Mary Reardon RIP

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Sat. 11.30am – 12.30pm, Sun. 8.00–9.00am, Mon-Fri. 8.25am – 9.25am,
Confessions: Saturday 5.30 – 6.15pm and Sunday 4.00 – 4.45pm **Rosary** Saturday 10.30am

<u>COUNTERS</u>	<u>CHURCH CLEANING</u>	<u>WEEKLY COLLECTION 3RD FEBRUARY 2019</u>
10th Feb Anne Morris & Charlie McArthur 17th Feb Robert Clifton & Charlie McArthur	Friday 15th February Group 4 after morning Mass	Envelopes £282.00 /Plate £911.61 DECEMBER 2018 Direct Debits £1,558 Standing Orders £2,238

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

LIGHTING ASSISTANT To learn about and help with the new Church Lighting Training provided	PARISH REPRESENTATIVE THE CATHOLIC DISABILITY FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE Meetings are about 90 minutes, midweek, every 2 months in Chandlers Ford. If you can spare the time and are interested then please contact the Parish Office for more details	VISUAL OPERATORS IN CHURCH for funerals and midweek Can you help? Training will be Provided Please contact the Parish office for more information
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PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL of SUSAN STANKARD who died recently. Susan worked at BHF School. Funeral is Thursday 21st February - details to follow

