



St Joseph's Children's Liturgy Newsletter



Welcome to our first newsletter. In this newsletter you will read all about St Joseph's Parish and Children's liturgy. This is the first of many to keep you informed of all the news in the parish. We hope you enjoy it.

LENTEN + EASTER ACTIVITIES

In the next couple of weeks the children will be given some activities to do at home. These will include a pom-pom to complete (later to be made into a chick) and leaves to decorate for our Easter tree on Easter Sunday.

Instructions on how to complete these activities will be given out in special bags and we are asking that you bring them back for the GOOD FRIDAY special Children's Liturgy service at 3pm so they can be finished and hung on the Easter tree.



THEMES FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

19th March: The woman at the well

26th March: Help us to see
Mother's day

2nd April: Lazarus comes back to life

9th April: Palm Sunday

Jesus enters into Jerusalem

16th April: EASTER SUNDAY

What is Children's Liturgy?

Children's liturgy is a group for children (all ages welcome) that meets during mass. We read and reflect on the day's gospel at a level that children can understand and we then do activities to reinforce the message. At Easter and Christmas, these activities are used to decorate the church. The children process into church and join the main mass for the Eucharistic prayer and communion.

Youth Group

Youth Group is a group of young people of the parish from ages 10 - 18 who meet after mass monthly examining our faith, learning through fun and planning activities for the whole Parish.

HOLY WEEK + EASTER SERVICE TIMES:

- PALM SUNDAY (9th April) – Mass will begin with a procession from Chapel Fold (weather permitting).
- MAUNDY THURSDAY – Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7.00pm followed by watching at the Altar of Repose until 10.00pm.
- GOOD FRIDAY – Confessions from 10.00 to 11.00am. Solemn Liturgy at 3.00pm (with Children's Liturgy).
- HOLY SATURDAY – Easter Vigil at 8.00pm.
- EASTER SUNDAY – Mass at 9.30am.

Dates for your diary

- 26th March: Mother's Day .
CAFOD Cake Sale, after mass, in the parish room
- 25th June: First Holy Communion
Mass 9:30.
Refreshments in Parish Hall
ALL WELCOME



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<http://www.brindlestjosephs.org.uk/>