

03rd January 2021 – 2nd SUNDAY AFTER THE NATIVITY
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Ecclesiasticus 24:1-2,8-12 Ephesians 1:3-6,15-18
John 1:1-18

“The Word was made flesh, and lived among us”



ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday, 3rd January 2021 – 2nd SUNDAY AFTER THE NATIVITY

Mass: 9.30am, 11.00am (Live streaming only) & 12.30pm
4.00pm: Konkani Mass

Monday, 4th January

Mass: 9.30am (Live streaming only)

Tuesday, 5th January

Mass: 9.30am (Live streaming only) & 6.30pm

Wednesday, 6th January – THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Mass: 9.30am

Thursday, 7th January

Mass: 9.30am (Live streaming only) & 6.30pm

Friday, 8th January

Mass: 12noon (Live streaming only)

Saturday, 9th January

Mass: 9.30am (Live streaming only)

6.30pm (Vigil Mass of Sunday)

Sunday, 10th January 2021 – THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Mass: 9.30am, 11.00am (Live streaming only) & 12.30pm

The Church will be open for Mass with
restrictions on the number of parishioners allowed at one time.
Live Streaming on www.ChurchServices.tv/wembley1

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Domingo Fernandes, Margaret Fay and Mary Toussaint that the Lord may lay His healing hands on them and bring them His peace

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

In line with the Tier 4 Places of Worship regulations, the Church will remain open for Mass with restrictions on the number of parishioners allowed at one time. The Church doors will be open **30 minutes** before the start of Mass. *Please do not arrive for the Mass before this time, as we will not be able to let you inside the church before that.* When the Church, Pastoral and Marian Centres are completely filled according to the rules, no additional parishioners will be permitted to enter and will be advised to return home. Wearing of a face mask and 2m social distancing rule must be also followed at the Church Car Park. Please observe the directions of the Parish Stewards.

6th Jan is the feast of THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

There will be public Mass at 9.30am on Wednesday, 6th January 2021

APPLICATION FORMS FOR FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

The application forms for prospective candidates for First Communion (for both Catholic and non-Catholic schools), Confirmation and RCIA for 2021 can now be downloaded from St Joseph's Parish website and then completed before being handed in as hard copy to the Parish Office along with copy of Baptism certificate. Last date to submit the application is **30th Jan 2021**.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION DATES

Confirmation ceremonies have been set and arranged as follows:

- Friday 22nd Jan 6:30pm Sr. Elizabeth / Vanita / Julie
- Saturday 23rd Jan: 9:30am Ivon / Sabina / Carmen
- Friday 29th Jan: 6:30pm Regina / Natty / Evania
- Saturday 30th Jan: 9:30am Pauline / Rolvy
- Saturday 6th Feb: 9:30 am Sr. Nancy / Cherry / Espy

The details as per the previous handout which each candidate and parents have seen remains. Please note due to restrictions, only 6 persons including the candidate and sponsor can attend the ceremony. Candidates with who are siblings will be contacted individually by Carl to confirm the ceremony date. No changes to the above dates can be made. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

FOODBANK DONATIONS

Grateful thanks to all those who have contributed to this cause which has received a much needed boost in the last few weeks. Please continue to support this important appeal for those who are disadvantaged including children at this critical time of need. As before, non-perishable food and toiletry donations are badly required. If

cash donations are preferred, they should be placed in a sealed envelope, labelled **FOODBANK**, and dropped in the presbytery letterbox.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS CONSIDERING BECOMING A CATHOLIC THROUGH THE RCIA PROGRAMME?

This means: Adults who are not Baptised at all and who wish to become Catholics: Adults who are baptised into another Christian denomination, but wish to become Catholics, and Adults who wish to become FULL members of the Roman Catholic Church (i.e. those who have been baptised but may not have received the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist). Registration Forms are now available for the preparation sessions. They may be collected from the Presbytery or may be downloaded from the Parish website – and you will need to make an appointment to talk with one of the priests before you start the sessions.

ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Join St Joseph's RC Church, Wembley for **MARIAN DEVOTION** daily at **7:30pm** and **DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET** on Saturdays at **3pm**. It is very simple - Download Zoom on your laptop or phone. You do not have to register, just put in your name, meeting ID and password as below and you can join your Church at prayer. Meeting ID: **726 5689 3653** / Password: **9pXAep**
Link: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/72656893653?pwd=Zm50QWGORZ3RaTlI1VGpuemFle3YvUT09>

In these uncertain and worrying times we need to spend time in prayer. All parishioners are invited to join in.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES AND OTHER DONATIONS

There will be a Collection Box at the exit of the Church – please put envelopes and donations as you leave the Church to facilitate the one-way system. Please no coinage at this time.

You can also visit: <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/wembley/donate>

MASS INTENTIONS/OFFERINGS:

Please email your Mass intention(s), with date(s) and time(s), for the Mass to Wembley1@rcdow.org.uk.

The name of the person requesting the Mass and a contact number is needed.

PARISH REGISTRATION

The form for registering in St Joseph's Parish is now available on the website. Please download, complete all the Sections, and drop it through the letterbox. If you would like a personal box of envelopes for your weekly donation at Mass, and you pay tax, you will need to fill in a Gift Aid Declaration form which is available in the parish office. You must come to the Presbytery, fill in the form and a box of envelopes will be given to you at the same time.

GETTING MARRIED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THIS COUNTRY

You need to contact one of your priests at least 6 months **before** the proposed date of the marriage- and provide a recent copy of your Baptism Certificate (dated within 6 months of the proposed marriage), and a copy of your Confirmation Certificate.

GETTING MARRIED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH ABROAD

In addition to the information requested above, you will also need a letter of freedom from this Diocese, which may be obtained through your Priest.