



Saint Joseph's Passionist Church

16 March 2025

2nd Sunday in Lent

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Saturday: Mass 11am; Vigil: 6.30 p.m.
Sun Mass: 9.30, 11 & 12.30; 6.30 pm
Mon-Friday Mass 8:30am
Every Saturday before Mass: Eucharistic Adoration: 10:30am.
Confession: Saturday: 11.30 – 12.30 & 5 – 6 p.m. or by appointment.

CCD Confirmation letters deadline this WE.

Come & Join Organization of Task Forces: Please see poster, details from Chris at c.fitzsimons@orange.fr
These are to help the Parish as we need new volunteers, please join!

TRIP to PARAY LE MONIAL & Sancerre: Easter Monday 21 April 2025, Bus leaves 7:00am from St Joseph's. Fare €100 to be paid by 6 April. Please Call Venci: 0142272856 or 0698689530

Sat 15 March: 1.30pm for 2pm, a talk by **Fabienne Ramirez** on Self-empathy- the ability to show compassion and understanding towards yourself. Highly relevant to young and not so young!

Sea Scouts Cake Sale: Sunday 16 March on parvis (morning) , Many thanks !
Marriage prep: next 4-5:30pm; 23 March
Bible Study: March: 19, 26
RCIA Thursday 20 March 8pm

Collection 9 March: €3033.69; CC: €551, coffee: 91.28; ADP: 1230, shrines: 435.61
bookstall: 40; Many Thanks!
Lenten Project 9 March: €3037.13
(cash €2875.13 + CC €62 +ADP:100)
The 2nd collection is for the Lenten Project

Special Thanks to Fr Brendan, replacing Fr Martin during these 10 days.

Faith, Hope and Paris is back at the bookstall and author Tom Heneghan will gladly autograph it for you. *The Tablet* magazine in London called the book "a hugely entertaining scamper through the history of his own parish church."

LENTEN PROJECT: Vietnam and Congo

In Congo, Goma & Bukavu cities " many families in our parishes ask for basic food: rice & beans" Our correspondent is Father Louis, Xavierian Priest, who regularly said Mass at St Joseph's in the past year

"Since the capture of Kavumu Airport in South Kivu by M23 rebels and Rwandan army, the entire province has plunged into a torpor that revives past wounds. The fall of the city of Bukavu into the hands of the rebel group "M23" and the "Congo River Alliance", Sunday, February 16, 2025, marks the beginning of a long night of uncertainty and suffering"



In Vietnam: building a Passionist centre: Our correspondent is Fr JB Trinh C.P. *In particularly, 3 priests have been moving out into remote areas of Vietnam to establish a new community in the Diocese of Vinh, central Vietnam.*



NB: Tax receipts: donations from website with email to stjosephparis@orange.fr or cheque to "St Joseph ADP", are 66% tax refundable. \$ to "St Joseph's church" receipts are available.

St Patrick's

Monday 17 March, Mass at 8:30am and 11am
11am followed by a simple buffet



On his feast day, we pray that, as he prayed in the *Confessio*, we may live in the brightness of the glory of Christ Jesus our Redeemer, as children of the living God and joint heirs with Christ

St Joseph's

Wednesday 19 March, Mass at 8:30am and 7:30pm



Pope Francis has spoken several times about his devotion to the silent saint. In his homily at his inauguration as pope on March 19, 2013, the Solemnity of St. Joseph, he said that a pope "must be inspired by the lowly, concrete and faithful service which marked St. Joseph and, like him, he must open his arms to protect all of God's people and embrace with tender affection the whole of humanity, especially the poorest, the weakest, the least important."

