Saint Joseph's Passionist Church 11 May: 4th Sunday of Easter

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Saint Joseph's Passionist Church Tel: (01) 42 27 28 56 [Int'l + 33 1] Email stjosephparis@orange.fr Website: www.saintjosephs.fr Facebook: StJosephsChurchParis 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. Confessions: Saturday 11.30 – 12.30 & 5 – 6 p.m

<u>CCD</u> : children should be present the whole term, especially those in sacrament class; FHC and Confirmation <u>SCHEDULE</u>:

Sat 31 May at 11am: First Holy Communion Rehearsal during Mass

Pentecost Sunday 8 June, Confirmation at 12:30pm:: Confirmation Rehearsal is on Sunday 25 May at 1:30pm.

Monday 9 June: Bank Holiday Monday in St Joseph's will be the Teen Initiative Task Force events in the garden for Confirmation students and older!

Sunday 15 June: Please bring all CCD books, It is CCD registration day 2025/2026 for <u>new families</u> on parvis. Families already in the CCD programme will be hearing from us about registration 2026

Sunday 15 June: CCD Thanksgiving Mass Children and their teachers will celebrate Mass together. Please confirm your attendance with your teachers.

Corpus Christi Sunday 22 June: First Holy Communion at the 12.30 PM mass.

After Confirmation and FHC will be a reception in the garden: Parents please see with your teachers what to bring.

ACWO: Calling all Artists, Shoppers and Sippers! ACWO's first ever Arts Apéro is on Friday, May 16, 5-7:30 pm at Saint Joseph's.

Pre-marriage course 11 May 4pm at church or online (last session). Many Thanks to Guadalupe and David who run the course.

Bible Study: Wed 14th, at 10:30am Ascension 29 May mass at 11am and 6:30pm Fabienne Talk is on Sat 31 May 2pm YA Mass is Sat 31 May at 6:30pm

Paris Eglises Tour 2025: 18 May Running 10km from ND. For parishioners above 16yrs Registrations before 12 May on https://holygames.fr/ €20 participation, also check the health form:Licence compétition, santé loisir option Running, Pass' from FFA OR Parcours Prévention Santé FFA to fill in here: https://pps.athle.fr/ Infos with Gretchen gknollrask@gmail.com

<u>Collection 4 May:</u> €3113,98; CC: 711; ADP: xxxx; coffee: 64.59; shrines: 223.60; Bookstall 89. Thanks a lot

LENTEN PROJECT updated: now €12.000 will be transferred to each Congo & Vietnam THANKS AGAIN!

PILGRIMAGE On Pentecost Monday, 9th June 2025, St. Joseph's will visit Our Lady of Mercy in Pellevoisin, one of the apparition sites in the 19th century in France (see flyers) and Nevers, where the incorrupt body of St. Bernadette will be found. The bus leaves @ 6.30am for 80€ and a deposit is needed to reserve a place. Call Venci here at St. Joseph's for more information. stjoparis50avhoche@gmail.com

Baptism Preparation; Parents scan the child birth certificate, Godparents have to be Catholics please scan their baptism certificate.

For those coming for the 1st time, it is a good opportunity to know the parish and continue practising, becoming new members of our Community

WELCOME POPE LEO



We thank God for the election of our new Pope Leo XIV. May God bless and guide him and the whole Church as we begin a new chapter in our history.

I think most of us were taken by surprise because Robert Prevost was not one of the many names circulating as "papabile". Once again, God surprised us and delighted us. Leo's warm smile and hopeful words instantly filled us with joy and confidence.

Leo is an Augustinian friar who spent much of his life as a missionary in Peru. As a recent member of the Roman Curia, he has been a close collaborator and admirer of Pope Francis. That was also evident in his few words that emphasised the need for peace, unity, dialogue and bridge building.

Leo is the first English speaking Pope, the first from the United States, and the first to be younger than me. Another Pope of many firsts.

For now, the best we can say is that we will keep Leo in our hearts and in our prayers. Above all, we pray that he will experience the powerful presence of the Holy Spirit as his constant guide and protector.