



Saint Joseph's Passionist Church
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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.

After 2 Sundays respite due to the works in upgrading the **KITCHEN** in the **HALL**, the **Hospitality Group** is “back to normal” serving Tea and Coffee after the 9.30 & 11am Masses.

PRAYER FOR THE DEAD RELATIVES & FRIENDS. A **BOX** is provided as well as a paper to write the names of your dead relatives and friends so that we can all pray for them during Masses.

Sat 15 Nov @ 3pm - Digital relationships and digital navigation lecture - this interactive workshop is open to ALL PARISHIONERS, following the positive response and added input provided by our teens in Post Confirmation CCD class on this subject.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Due to the Armistice celebrations at the Arc of Triumph this Tuesday, 11 Nov, there will be **NO MORNING MASS @ 8.30** and the **CHURCH WILL BE CLOSED** as well.

CCD CLASSES resumes this Sun, 9 Nov at 9.30am, 11am & 12.30pm **IN THE HALL**

Bible Study: Wednesdays at 10:30am

- ACWO Rentrée Mass & Tea Thurs 13 Nov @ 2.30pm

RCIA: Continues this Thursday 13th Nov.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 8 Nov, 6.30pm Maria Miranda, RIP

Sun 9 Nov, 11.00am Edward McGrath, RIP

12.30pm Sri Lankan Community

ALL MASS INTENTIONS should be **booked in advance** and only **1 intention** is allowed per Mass.

You can email Venci at

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Joseph's. Minimum stipend for Mass is 20€.

The **Taizé Community** will be having their **European Youth Meeting in Paris from 28 Dec-1 Jan**. They are looking for host families for the Youth participants during that event. If willing to host, please scan the QR code above for more details.

COLLECTIONS : All Saints': Collections : 422,35€ CC : 1049,00€; **Masses 1/2 Nov:** Collections 2852,53€; CC: 1170,00€; Shrines: 177,47€; CC: 88,00 €; Bookstall: 65,00€; CC: 5,00 €.

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BASILICA OF ST. JOHN LATERAN



The Glory of Holy Mother Church

The Church is precious; it was created by God on the cross, when they pierced Christ's heart with the lance. The Church was created to be part of God! The Church is holy. The Church is something precious, mystical, beautiful...and beyond all understanding....

The human Church, the people of God—of course, they will make mistakes. Who doesn't? But notwithstanding all its human sinfulness, out of this community of love comes something fantastic, transparent, beautiful, beyond our kenning, whose head is indeed the Son of God, and whose Bride she is. She encompasses us all, such as we are. That is the Church we belong to.

It's easy to criticise. It's easy to say, “With all that's happening in the Church, you want me to stay there?”... We talk like this because our faith needs strengthening. Faith is like a light. Faith is like a curtain rising, to show the beauty of what is behind. Faith changes everything....

The Church is holy: “one, holy”. I personally would die for the Church. The *Christ in priests* is what matters. It is he who is of the essence. At Mass, when you come to the consecration, it's the word of Christ that matters.... Touch the Church, and you touch God. We need to examine this prayerfully.... Where Jesus Christ is, there is the Church. People say, “I believe in Jesus, but not in the Church.” But you cannot separate Jesus and the Church: it's impossible. Where Jesus Christ is, there is the Church....

Mysteriously, the Church comes from the very heart of the Lord, and is given to us to come close to the heart of the Father.... When you begin to love the Church, you begin to enter into its mystery.... As you enter, you will enter into the heart of Christ. And he will take you by the hand and bring you to his Father.

Servant of God Catherine de Hueck Doherty