

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

(Divine Mercy Sunday)

YEAR B: 7th April 2024

Mass Times

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| Sunday 7th April | 11.00 am | SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (Divine Mercy Sunday) | Mrs. Stanislawa Molyn + & Mr. Mikolaj Molyn + |
| Tuesday 9th April | 9.30 am | WEEKDAY OF EASTER | Bob Gamble + |
| Sunday 14th April | 11.00 am | THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER | Urzula Maskalaniec + Mary Law + |



Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Please feel free to contact Fr. Nnam Di Obi to arrange confession.

If Father Nnam Di Obi is not available and a priest is required urgently, please call:

Holy Family : 01793 297 256

Saint Mary's: 01793 535 089

Holy Rood: 01793 522 062

Saint Peter's: 01793 871 167

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St Joseph's Catholic Church, Wroughton

We welcome visitors and anyone who is visiting us for the first time.

We pray for God's special blessing on you.

We wish you a very Happy and Holy worship with us.



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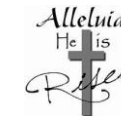
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| Readings | : | Sunday Mass Cycle B: Weekday Mass Year 2. Psalter 2 |
| Eucharistic Prayer | : | 2 (or at Priest's Choice) |
| Entrance Antiphon | : | Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in Him you may grow to salvation, alleluia. |
| First Reading | : | Acts 4: 32 - 35 |
| Psalm Response | : | Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His love has no end. |
| Second Reading | : | 1 John 5: 1-6 |
| Gospel Acclamation | : | Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus said: 'You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' Alleluia! |
| Gospel | : | John 20:19-31 |
| Communion Antiphon | : | Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia. |



THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS

1st Reading

The whole group of believers was united, heart and soul.

2nd Reading

Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ has already overcome the world.

Gospel

Eight days later, Jesus came again and stood among them.

God the Father of Divine Mercy!

God the Father of Mercies, through the death and resurrection of His Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, has reconciled the world to himself and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins. Through the same ministry of Christ, he has given the Church the apostolic mandate to grant pardon, peace and reconciliation and healing. May we be open to the grace of Divine Mercy for our sins and those of others who sin against us.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: The next session in the 2024 First Holy Communion programme is a Day of Recollection at Nympsfield Convent on **Saturday, 27th April 2024** from **10 am – 4 pm**.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME: The 2024 Confirmation programme is now underway. The next session is on **Tuesday, 23rd April 2024**, from **6.30 pm - 8.00 pm** at **Holy Family Church**.

YOUTH GROUP: We are looking to start up a Youth Group at St. Joseph's. Any young people who would be interested in getting involved in the church and getting together as a group regularly, please put your name down on the list provided in the church porch or email wroughton.stjoseph@cliftondiocese.com. More information to follow soon.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE: There will be an escorted pilgrimage to Westport, Knock & County Mayo from **12th – 17th May 2024**. The price is £899.00 per person sharing. Single supplement on enquiry. For further details see the poster in the porch or contact Patricia or Natali on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2024 (23rd August to 30th August): The Clifton Diocese Pilgrimage to Lourdes is taking place this year in late August. Details are on the Diocese website at www.cliftondiocese.com/pilgrimage/lourdes, or email lourdes@cliftondiocese.com or call 0117 902 5590 for an information pack. Payment in full by **31st May 2024**.

VACANCY: The Governors of Holy Family Catholic Primary & Nursery School seek a skilled and reliable Nursery or Reception Class Teacher who is able to join their dedicated team. Closing date: **14th April 2024**. For more information please contact Holy Family School.

CELEBRATION MASS FOR MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE: Join the Bishop for Mass in Clifton Cathedral as we celebrate the gift that is Marriage & Family Life on **Saturday 25th May at 12 noon**. All are welcome. If you are celebrating a significant anniversary this year, newly married, or looking forward to marriage in 2024, then please contact us at : adult.education@cliftondiocese.com or 0117 902 5595.

LENT LUNCHESES: A big 'Thank You' to everyone who helped and to all those who supported the lunches over the last six weeks and donated so generously. The total raised was a fantastic **£704.00** to be divided between Christian Aid and CAFOD.

PARKING: Please park considerately and legally when coming to St. Joseph's and at busy times, such as Sunday Mass, please consider parking in the free public car park in the Ellendune Centre, when the Church car park is full. It is important that the roads and pavements near the Church are kept clear and that we do not cause a nuisance to our neighbours.

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER MASS: Tea & Coffee will be served in the Parish Hall after Sunday Mass and also after the 9.30 am Mass on Tuesdays.

Anniversaries: We pray for the dead, especially those who have died recently - and all whose anniversaries fall at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Diocesan Prayer Link: **St. Luke and St. Teresa**, Wincanton. With Milbourne Port, Castle Cary and Bruton.

Pope's Message: Throughout April, Pope Francis asks us to pray for the dignity and worth of women to be recognised in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

