



Immaculate Conception & St Joseph Parish

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Safeguarding:

Please contact the office

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Please contact the office

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4th and 5th January 2025 : The Epiphany of The Lord

*This Sunday's readings: Isaiah 60:1-6, Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12
Psalm from Psalm 72(71)*

ST JOSEPH'S, CHRISTCHURCH (Including Mass Intentions)

Sat 4th **5pm Mass with confessions from 4pm to 4:45pm**

John Reid RIP birthday Mass

Sun 5th **9am Mass (livestreamed link [HERE](#)).**

People of the Parish

Mon 6th **11am Rosary in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel**

Tues 7th **9:30am – 10:30am: Adoration and Morning Prayer**

6pm Rosary before Mass

6:30pm Mass

Wed 8th **10am Mass**

Thurs 9th **6pm – 7pm Adoration**

PRIVATE PRAYER in the chapel: Mon – Fri 9:30am - 4pm

HOLY REDEEMER, HIGHCLIFFE (Including Mass Intentions)

13 – 15 Kilmington Way, BH23 5BL 01425 274838

Sun 5th **11am Mass**

Alan South RIP

Mon 6th **10am – 2pm Adoration**

Thurs 9th **10am Mass and confession**

Pasquale Sollo

Fri 10th **10am Funeral Mass of**

Maria Perez – Bennett (Pili) RIP

PRIVATE PRAYER: Daily 10am - 2pm

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The office is usually open Wednesday to Friday, between 8:30am and 4:30pm.

If you need to speak with someone urgently,
please leave a message as all voicemails are picked up when the office is closed.



PRAYER INTENTIONS



Please pray for all our parishioners who are unwell or troubled in any way, and especially at this time for:

Kevin Curtis, Anne Crane, Helena Shrubbs, Anne Wood, Dave Wood, Joan Miller, Andrew Allen,

Jillie Ryan, John Kennedy, Peter Mattimoe, Marie Macmillan, Baby Edward, Stan Murphy, Steven,

Slawek Gawlik and family, Pat Feltham, Catherine Judge, Richard, Suzanne, John Michael Ryan,

Anna and Raymondo Hubbard, Howard Wood, Carol Sneed, Maria Golding-Cooney, Roger Mallory, Annie Baldry,

Helen Pollard, John Packer, Danny McQuillan, Anne-Marie Fletcher, Madeleine Rose Halston,

Pauline Robins, Fr John Chadwick, Fr Antony Gatt and Pope Francis.

If you have any personal prayer intentions that you would like included in our Bidding Prayers and/or newsletter,
or if you would like a Mass said for a particular intention, please contact the Office with details.

REST IN PEACE

Please keep in your prayers Mark Troman,
Jeannine Veglio and Carole Ann Martin
and any other anniversaries that occur at this time.
May they all rest in peace and rise in glory.



BECKY'S COMMUNITY CAFE REOPENING

Becky's Cafe will be reopening on

Thurs 9th January 2025 at 11:30.

Come and join us to share soup, cake, fruit,
teas and coffee.

Meet friends or make new ones.

A guaranteed warm welcome to all.



There will be tea & coffee after 9am Mass,
in the Parish Centre
to which you are all welcome.



CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK 18th -25th January, 2025

Christchurch Fellowship of Churches (CFoC)

have organised a prayer service to take place

each weekday (Mon 20th-Fri 24th)

- each led by a different member-church.

St Joseph's will lead the Service on Friday 24 Jan at 3 pm.

Further details on church noticeboard.

Should you wish to make any donation to St Joseph's, or
set up a direct debit or standing order regular payment,
please use the information below.



Account number 00876292

Account name

CDP St Joseph's Christchurch

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