THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY & ST JOSEPH
SHERINGHAM & CROMER

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY
31ST DECEMBER 2023

Readings: B (II)Feast of Holy Family
Psalter: Week 1



"The Child's father and mother were amazed.". Luke 2:33.

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ADORATION & BENEDICTION
SJ: **Tues 6-7pm**

OLR: **Mon & Wed after Mass till 10am**
CONFESSIONS
SJ: **Tues 6:30-7pm & by appointment**
ROSARY
SJ: **Sat 10am**

If you would like anything included in the parish newsletter, please send Fr. Trindade an email by Tuesday evening.

MASS TIMES

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY
Sat 30th Dec 6**pm** OLR VIGIL MASS
Thanksgiving Mass by Winifred Potter

Sun 31st Dec **9am** OLR
James Grant RIP
11am SJ
The people of the Parish

Mon 1st Jan **Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God**
11:30 a.m. OLR

Tue 2nd Jan **7pm** SJ
Departed Family members of Mathew

Wed 3rd Jan **9am** OLR
Ivy Shelton RIP

Thurs 4th Jan 9:30am St. Andrew's, Holt
Open Intention

Sat 6th 6pm OLR Vigil Mass
Thanksgiving Mass by Rinu Mathew

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord
Sun 7th 9am OLR
The people of the Parish

11 am SJ
Thanksgiving Mass by the Brock family

See parish website for directions to live streaming of Sunday Masses

**OLR: Our Lady of Refuge, Cromer*
***SJ: Saint Joseph's, Sheringham*

Mass is additionally celebrated according to the '62 Roman Missal at 3pm at St Joseph's On the last Sunday of the month.

Dear Parishioners,

It is a joy for me to wish you all a **"Holy, Blessed, Peaceful Christmas season & a Happy New Year"**. We are blessed to have you all as part of our parish.

Thanks to everyone who has contributed their time and talent in preparing the church/liturgy and helping us all the whole year around in our worship of God. **May Christ our Saviour bless us all during this Festive Season**.

Thanks to the flower arrangers, the choir and the organists, those who play or contribute to the Music Mass, the ones who have done the Crib, all who serve on the altar, the readers and Eucharistic ministers, those who help set up and clear away before and after Mass, the greeters, the volunteers, the coffee servers, Our Catechist, the liturgists, Parish administrator Nicola and everyone who has helped throughout the year. Your help is invaluable and very much appreciated.

I cannot forget the wonderful work done by the finance committee who see to the administration of the finances of the church and property matters and not to forget the Parish pastoral council who take keen interest in the pastoral activities. Your voluntary dedication and time you give to St. Josephs and our lady's is much appreciated. Thank you very much.

Many thanks to the Social Action Committee of the Parish that sees to the meticulous organization of the social activities in the Parish. Highly appreciated.

Thank you to everyone for the many generous gifts, cards, 'Christmas Cheer' and good wishes – your thoughtfulness is much appreciated. God bless you all this Christmas Season and throughout the coming year. May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts and in your homes.

God Bless us all,
Fr Trindade.

Gift Aid and Donations to the Parish

If you wish to set up a Standing Order or Direct Payment to the Parish our bank details are:

Name: Our Lady and St. Joseph Parish.
Barclays Bank Sheringham
Sort Code 20-03-26
Bank account number: 30783412

Envelopes are available at church for **Visitors** who are tax payers. Please complete in INK and put in normal collection box. Thanks for supporting our parish.

ANNIVERSARIES

Elizabeth Bennett 1997 Mary Silburn 1981, Beryl Milligan 2007, Hugh Arbuthnot 2020, George Kneller 2002, Terence Dakin 1999, Emily Lagan 2016, Louis Sanders, Marion Ward 1990, George Townend 1998, William Harris 1959, Margaret Crakauskas 1976, Doreen Rainsford 2006, Patricia Hurst 2023, Joseph Zumeris 2007, Alice Cunningham 2002, May Arnott 2014, John Kelly 2020, Anne Gentle 2007, Katarzyna Skowronek 2013, Christina McGrath 2012, Sheila Borland 2005, Dennis Wise 2019, Michael Emery 2003, Patrick O'Connor 1993, Celia Raby 2003, Penny Whittaker-Wright 2021

RCIA – Journey in Faith

This programme will begin in the new year for those who are thinking of becoming a Catholic or who would like to know more about the catholic Faith. Please get in touch with Fr. Trindade.

Many Thanks

Very many thanks to all who worked hard to decorate the hall and provide food and drink for our 'bring and share' celebration following mass on Holy Innocents Day, when parishioners came from near and far to enjoy themselves in the celebration of Christmas. Thank you also to those who organised the raffles which raised over £190.

Income (to the Parish) From Breeda's Christmas Cakes: £170.

Last Week's Offertory collections
£388.69
Thank you! God Bless!