

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH COLLIERS WOOD

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7th December 2025 - SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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Readers:	6 th December 6pm – Marvanne	7 th December 9am – Kathleen & Fatima	7 th December 10.45am – Donne & Chloe
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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday	6 th December	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	MASS 6pm	DRAF - Margaret Cahill
Sunday	7 th December	SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	MASS 9.00am	George and Dean and Loved ones – R.I.P.
			MASS 10.45am	DRAF - Rorger Talaid
Monday	8 th December	THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	MASS 9.30am	DRAF – Aloysius' Family
Tuesday	9 th December	2 nd Week of Advent	MASS 9.30am	Thanksgiving Mass Our Lady And Precious Blood Of Jesus
Wednesday	10 th December	2 nd Week of Advent	Church Closed	For the Holy Souls
Thursday	11 th December	2 nd Week of Advent	MASS 9.30am	DRAF – Shini's Family
Friday	12 th December	Our Lady of Guadalupe	MASS 9.30am	Francis Da Cunha – R.I.P.
Saturday	13 th December	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	MASS 6pm	Bridget and Kevin McGowan – R.I.P.
Sunday	14 th December	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	MASS 9.00am MASS 10.45am	Children of the parish For the sick people

PARISH PRAYER: Dear St Joseph, Patron of the Catholic Church and Guardian of this parish, watch over our community in Colliers Wood. Guide and challenge all who worship here to proclaim The Good News of your beloved adopted Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we offer these and all our prayers. Amen.

PRAYER TO SAINT PEREGRINE

O Saint Peregrine, you who have been called "The Wonder Worker" because of the numerous miracles which you have obtained from God for those who have had recourse to you, who for so many years you bore in your own flesh this cancerous disease that destroys the very fibre of our being, and who had recourse to the source of all grace when the power of man could do no more; you who were favoured with the vision of Jesus coming down from His Cross to heal your affliction, ask of God and Our Lady the cure of the sick whom we entrust to you (names of those for whom you are praying). Aided in this way by your powerful intercession, we shall praise God for His great goodness and mercy. Amen.



SAVE THE DATE! - ACTIVITIES & EVENTS COMING UP ON OUR PARISH

- Christmas tree/Church decoration 6th December 9am and 7th December after 10.45am Mass
- Christmas get together 13th December at 7pm at the Church Hall
- Christmas Raffle draw 21st December after 10.45am Mass
- Prayer group 27th December from 12pm at the Church Hall
- December Birthdays 28th December after 10.45am Mass

CHRISTMAS RAFFLES TICKETS ARE ON SALE

Christmas raffles tickets are now on sale. The prizes are: 1st £200, 2nd £100, 3rd £50 and much more. The draw is going to take place on the 21st December. We are collecting prizes for the draw, so if you have any new item or an used one in good condition, please come forward and bring you donation.

SPECIAL MASS TIMES FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS'

Please note the Mass times for the Christmas and New Years (Eve and Day):

24th December – Mass at 9pm / 25th December – Mass at 10am

31st December - Mass at 9pm / 1st January - Mass at 10am

PRAYER GROUP - DECEMBER 28TH

Next prayer group is happening on 28th December on the Church Hall from 12pm to 2pm. You're most welcome to join.

ST JOSEPH'S COLLIERS WOOD - 60TH ANNIVERSARY

Our parish is completing 60 years in September 2026. We are making efforts to collect names, pictures and any other material that represent the past and present of our parish to prepare a celebration next year. If you have been involved or know someone that has been involved and directly contributed for the benefit of our parish, please hand it to Father Agnelo or any member of the Parish Council.

REPAIR WORKS IN THE CHURCH

The heating systems are almost completed, the side cracks have been fixed, outside windows' frames have been painted and the flooring is nearly completed. The last to be finalised will be the balcony/choir, balustrades have been fixed and the glass will be installed soon. While we have been blessed by generous donations, we continue to welcome any financial support you are able to offer, large or small. These donations will be collected through our special donations envelops and box at the back of the church, in addition to the **Renovations** option available on the Dona machines.

100 CLUB

November draw will take place on the 27th December after 6pm Mass, good luck to all.

IMPORTANT: Those who paid by cash, cheque, or did a one-off payment need to renew the payment for another 12 months, please speak to any member of the Parish Council. Bank account details are below.

PARISH'S BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO DONATE VIA BANK TRANSFER

If you would like to donate to our parish by Bank Transfer, the Parish's bank account details are below:

Bank: National Westminster Bank Account Number: 16680294 Sort Code: 601441

For the credit of: RCAS COLLIERS WOOD

COLLECTION

We inform that £654.24 has been collected over the last weekend. The breakdown is £282.66 on 1st collections, £128.74 on 2nd collections and £242.84 through the Dona machines.

Rota for Readers						
Saturday 13th December 6pm	Fiona	Saturday 20th December 6pm	Joe			
Sunday 14th December 9am Rylan & Savita		Sunday 21st December 9am	Vincent & Rafael			
Sunday 14th December 10.45am Victoria & Cavin		Sunday 21st December 10.45am	Anneiston & Tony			
Wednesday 24th December 9pm	TBC	Saturday 27 th December 6pm	Michael			
hursday 25 th December 10am TBC		Sunday 28th December 9am	Rylan & Tiana			
		Sunday 28th December 10.45am	Telma & Pablo			