

St Joseph's and Holy Family
ADVENT, CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR 2025-2026

Sunday 30th November – First Sunday of Advent

6.00 pm (Vigil), 9.00 am, 10.00 am (HF), 11.00 am and 5.30 pm

Blessing of the graves at Brooklands Cemetery 2.30 pm

ADVENT TAIZE SERVICE

at St. Joseph's - 7.00 pm

Refreshments in the Parish Centre after the Service for CAFOD

Monday 1st December

Christmas Concert at Bridgewater Hall – 7.30pm

Friday 5th December

Blessing of the Crib outside the Town Hall in Sale - 7.00 pm

Come along and joyfully sing traditional carols

Saturday 6th December

Confessions - 11.00 am -11.50 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -11.00 am–11.50 am

Holy Mass at St Joseph's - 12 noon

Sunday 7th December – Second Sunday of Advent

6.00pm (Vigil), 9.00am, 10.00am (HF), 11.00 am and 5.30 pm

***(A retiring collection will be taken at all Masses for
Christmas flowers for St Joseph's & Holy Family)***

Wednesday 10th December

Toy Mass at St. Joseph's – 9.30 am

**All the staff and children of the school donate a new toy
to make Christmas wonderful and special for other children**

All Welcome – Why not also bring a Toy!

Saturday 13th December

Day of Recollection for all Eucharistic Ministers 10.00 am–2.00 pm

Confessions - 11.00 am–11.50 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - 11.00 am–11.50 am

Holy Mass at St Joseph's - 12 noon

Sunday 14th December – Third Sunday of Advent

6.00 pm (Vigil), 9.00 am, 10.00 am (HF), 11.00 am and 5.30 pm

Monday 15th December

Service of Carols and Nine Readings at St Joseph's - 7.00 pm

**After the Carol Service join Father Woolley in the Parish Centre
for Christmas Drinks and Mince Pies!**

Why not come and hear once again the beautiful story of Christmas

Saturday 20th December

Three hours of Confessions – 9.00 am – 11.50 am
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – 9.00 am – 11.50 am
Holy Mass at St Joseph's - 12 noon

Sunday 21st December – Fourth Sunday of Advent
6.00 pm (Vigil), 9.00 am, 10.00 am (HF) and 11.00 am

CHRISTMAS EVE – Wednesday 24th December
Morning Mass at St Joseph's – 9.30 am
Cleaning & Decorating the Churches ready for Christmas
ALL WELCOME! – 10.00 am

Vigil Mass for Christmas at Holy Family - 4.00 pm
Vigil Mass for Christmas at St Joseph's - 6.00 pm

CHRISTMAS DAY – Thursday 25th December
MIDNIGHT MASS 12 midnight at St Joseph's
9.00 am and 11.00 am at St Joseph's and 10.00 am at Holy Family

BOXING DAY – Friday 26th December - St Stephen, First Martyr
Holy Mass at St Joseph's – 9.00 am

Saturday 27th December
NO CONFESSIONS
Holy Mass at St Joseph's - 12 noon

Sunday 28th December – Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph
6.00 pm (Vigil), 9.00 am, 10.00 am (HF), 11.00 am and 5.30 pm

New Year's Eve Wednesday 31st December
Holy Mass at 7.00pm at St Joseph's

NEW YEAR'S DAY – Thursday 1st January 2026
Feast of Mary Mother of God – Holy Mass at HOLY FAMILY – 10.00 am
Celebrate the New Year with light refreshments after Mass

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2026!

Sunday 4th January – Second Sunday of Christmas
6.00 pm (Vigil), 9.00 am, 10.00 am (HF) and 11.00 am and 5.30 pm

Tuesday 6th January – Epiphany of the Lord. (Holy Day of Obligation)
9.30 am, 9.30 am (HF), 12 noon & 7.00pm

Friday 9th January

NEW YEAR FISH and CHIP Supper in St Joseph's Parish Centre – 6.30 pm
£12 - Fish and Chips with mushy peas, tea, bread and butter, and Great film!

Father Stephen Woolley, Fr Jim Robinson
& Deacon John,
wish everyone a very Holy
and Happy Christmas and Peaceful 2026