

ST JOSEPH, UPTON UPON SEVERN, WITH OUR LADY AND ST ALPHONSUS, BLACKMORE PARK

This parish forms part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No. 234216

Parish Priest: Fr. Nazarius Mgungwe (01684 574250 – resident at St Joseph's, Malvern)

Fr Hugh Sinclair (retired – 01684 592602 – resident at St Joseph's, Upton)

Deacon: Rev'd. Seán Duffy (07913 163696)

The Parish Account name is: *Blackmore Park and Upton*

St Joseph's Church, 9 School Lane, Upton upon Severn, Worcs. WR8 0LA.

Our Blessed Lady and St Alphonsus, Blackmore Park, Hanley Swan, Worcs. WR8 0EA

Hospital Chaplains: Worcester Royal, Newtown and South Bank: 01905 963712

Parish Website: stjosephupton.co.uk

Confession: Fr Hugh hears confessions before 4pm Mass on Saturdays; or by appointment

Mass Times:

Sat 14 Feb	4.00pm	Blackmore Park	Hazel Prodger – R.I.P.
Sun 15 Feb	9.00am	Upton	Raymond Duffy – Int
Tues 17 Feb	11.00am	Blackmore Park	Requiem Mass for Ann Waldron – R.I.P.
Weds 18 Feb	10.00am	Blackmore Park	
Weds 18 Feb	7.00pm	Upton	
Thurs 19 Feb	10.00am	Blackmore Park (Exposition from 9.15am)	
Fri 20 Feb	9.30am	Upton	
Sat 21 Jan	4.00pm	Blackmore Park	
Sun 22 Feb	9.00am	Upton	

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

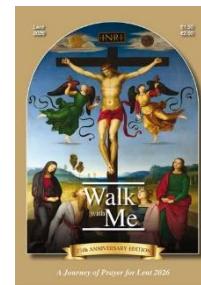
Ash Wednesday

1st Sunday in Lent

Please pray for **Ann Waldron – R.I.P.** whose Requiem Mass will be offered on Tuesday at 11am at Blackmore Park

The Season of Lent begins this week with **Ash Wednesday**.

To help us prepare for Holy Week, you can pray the **Stations of the Cross** after Mass each Thursday and Friday; share in the **Lenten Lunches** each Friday – beginning this week at the Baptist Church; join in a series of reflections on **The Beatitudes – a Way of Christian Living**; and use the **Walk With Me** booklets – available at the back of the Church. There will be two **Penitential Services**: at St Wulstan's on 15/03 at 3pm; and at St Joseph's, Malvern on 27/03 at 7pm – with the opportunity for individual confession.



“Walk With Me”

Booklets available at the back of the Church - £1.50 voluntary contribution

Our Lenten Lunches begin this Friday (20/02) at the Upton Baptist Church and continue every Friday to the 27/03, thus:



- **20/02 – UBC at UBC**
- **27/02 – SS P&P – Church Room**
- **06/03 – St Joseph at Church Room**
- **13/03 – SS P&P – Church Room**
- **20/03 – St Joseph – Church Room**
- **27/03 – UBC at UBC**



Come and enjoy a bowl of soup and a bit of bonhomie! The Collection at the Lunches this year is for: **Friends of the Holy Land**

The series of five Lenten Reflections – **The Beatitudes – A Way of Christian Living** – will begin at St Joseph's, Malvern, on Tuesday 24th February and make their way each week around the Cluster via, St Joseph's, Upton (03/03); St Wulstan's (10/03); Blackmore Park (17/03); and returning to Malvern on Tuesday, 24th March – refreshments at 6.30pm for a 7.15pm start – concluding at 8pm.

Please pray for the sick of the Parish and all who are housebound; and for the needs of the **Malvern Hills Food Bank** – listed on the noticeboard and at <https://malvernhs.foodbank.org.uk/support-us/donate-food> As always, donations can be left at the back of the church, or dropped off at our local distribution point, Upton Baptist Church; or at the Malvern site – details on the website.



Health & Safety: If at any time you come across anything which is a danger to the public, in either of the Churches or grounds, please contact our Parish Health & Safety Representative Mark Fisher (07960 077117) or, if he is not available, Deacon Seán. Thank you.

Emergency contacts: Anne Rasile 01684 310317; St Wulstan's, Little Malvern 01684 574658; St George's Worcester 01905 963712

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance & the National & Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Kevin Douglas. He can be contacted at: sg.stjoseph.malvern@rcaob.org.uk / 01886 832468 or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk, if you have any concern.