

Executive Manager Update – Carmel Phillips – 15/12/2020\

Hello to the JPC Community

Well what a year it has been. Such a different year to normal. Thankfully things are improving and I hope that you are all well and that you are able to visit with family and friends through Christmas. Thank you to all of the community members that attended the ONLINE Christmas Rally for JPC. It was lovely to see you and enjoy some fun games together.

I wanted to let you know about Mass for the future.

- Mass will continue at St Patrick's Cathedral every Sunday at 11am with interpreters. You can watch on Channel 31 (44)
- Mass for you at home is going to continue. Very exciting. This is on every Sunday at 6am on Channel 10 with Interpreters
- JPC Mass will start again here at the centre from the third Sunday of February – 21 Feb. You can come to JPC on 21 Feb for the 11am Mass. There may be new rules about staying for lunch afterwards and how to move around the centre. We will talk about this in the new year with you.

I want to congratulate the staff on all the work that they have achieved this year. They have worked really hard to stay in contact via technology with the community. I also want to thank the community for your commitment to staying in contact with us. Thank you for your kind feedback, your smiling faces and your support. We look forward to a fantastic year in 2021.

Social groups will be returning to the centre in mid to late February next year and we will contact you with more information after the break.

The staff will be having holidays and the centre will be closed from this Wednesday 16th December until we re-open on Monday 1st Feb. Please understand that the staff need a break to rest and build up their energy and also to be with their families as it has been a big, challenging year for everyone. However, if you have an emergency, please contact us via text so that we can assist.

Have a lovely and safe Christmas and we look forward to seeing you next year 2021.