



Parish of Effingham and Fetcham
Our Lady of Sorrows and Church of the Holy Spirit

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A Very Warm Welcome to Parishioners and Visitors

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sundays: Cycle B Weekdays: Year I 14 November 2021



Today's second reading says that, by virtue of His one single sacrifice on the Cross, Christ has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom He is sanctifying. The only problem is we don't seem to be perfect just yet!

But Jesus' one single offering is not *simply* an event in the past—over and done with one Friday afternoon 2000 years ago. It *is* a historical event, but also something more. Jesus never loses His priesthood; He is a priest for ever, and He lives for ever to intercede for us with His Father (cf. Heb 7:21-25). So Jesus' sacrifice also endures for ever. That's how the Mass is a sacrifice. It's the very same sacrifice that Jesus offered once and for all on Good Friday afternoon, but seen in its eternal aspect; not receding further and further into history, but powerfully real and effective here and now for you and me. "This is my body, which will be given up for you."

That's why we offer the Mass for a particular intention. It is always offered for all the living and the dead, and in a special way for those attending, but most particularly for some specific intention. This means that when Jesus died on the Cross for all of us, His intention was not just vague and general—love is never vague and general. He offers Himself personally and particularly for each one of us and for our particular intentions. And throughout history He is achieving the eternal perfection of all whom He is sanctifying.

May God bless you all,

Fr Stephen

This Week

We welcome into our Catholic Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Madison Mae Webb

Special Collection Next Week – Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund. Arundel Cathedral is the mother church of the Diocese and the church of its chief pastor, the Bishop. The heavy expenses for its upkeep have to be shared by the parishes of the Diocese. Please Gift Aid your donation if you are able, using the appropriate Gift Aid envelope. If you are signed up to the Parish Gift Aid Scheme, please use the purple-coloured envelope - or if not, use the white-coloured one for a one-off donation. Please remember to fill out your details on the envelope. Thank you.

November – The Month for Holy Souls

If you would like, please take an envelope from the back of the church, fill in the enclosed sheet with names of those for whom you would like prayers, then return the envelope and place in the special box provided. Any money you enclose with go towards Holy Souls Masses throughout the year. Thank you.



First Holy Communion

Our new programme will be starting in January 2022. If you would like to enrol your child, please pick up a yellow form from the back of the church (or click on the link https://www.effinghamandfetcham.org.uk/uploads/4/0/8/9/40894629/fhc_applicationform_v2022.pdf to print off a copy). Please complete it and return it with your child's baptismal certificate to either Fr Stephen or Deacon Ian after Mass **by Sunday 5th December**. Thank you.

Coming Soon

Parish Events



Autumn Walk.

On Sunday 21 Nov, 2pm. Meet at the Percy Arms, Chilworth for a gentle stroll. Get to

know others on the walk or in the pub afterwards.



Christmas Carols Around the Tree.

On Sunday 12 Dec, 4pm. Festive carol singing, mince pies and mulled wine immediately after. Bring a torch!

General



Do & Raise group are going to be raffling their handmade Advent Nativity calendar in aid of The Passage charity, <https://passage.org.uk>. They will be selling tickets again **THIS** weekend (13/14th Nov).



Christmas Shoebox Appeal: Final Collection.

Mary and Michael Agius will be collecting any final shoeboxes for the annual Children in Distress Christmas Appeal **THIS**

WEEKEND AFTER ALL MASSES. Any boxes not handed in must be at 98 Woodlands Road, KT23 4HH by Monday 15th November.



MISSIO Red Boxes. Calling all Red Box holders at Our Lady of Sorrows – please would you leave your box on the shelf by the Sacristy

for counting by the end of November at the latest. If you are unable to get to church, please contact Penny Osborne on 01372 453088 to arrange collection. Many thanks.

Five Bible Studies on the Advent Sunday Gospels

Mauro Iannicelli will break-open the forthcoming Advent Sunday Gospels with in-depth teaching and stimulating questions. As a result, you will experience Sunday Mass in a new way!

Five Wednesdays: 24 Nov | 1 Dec | 8 Dec | 15 Dec | 22 Dec (7-8pm). Free of Charge | LIVE sessions on YouTube.

For more information or for registration, please click on the following link: <https://eur02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fcomeandsee.org%2Fadvent&data=04%7C01%7CEffingham%40abdiocese.org.uk%7C34badfd0fe544046315808d9a2e8a774%7C2bf5dbc217ef4efca1c9ab2dc4edefd0%7C0%7C0%7C637719942385875146%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljojMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6IjEhaWw%7CilCjXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&data=DncgN7i9U4gmus%2BFvM%2Ff%2Fi%2Bez08IreDkH DrcRHw1eCQ%3D&reserved=0>

Station Mass For those who have Died

This last year has been a very challenging time for everyone, especially when our thoughts and prayers turn to those we have lost, whether through the time of the pandemic or before. With these challenges in mind, you are warmly invited to join your Deanery Station Mass this November for the intention of those lost. Join Bishop Richard as he offers Mass for your intentions, for your friends and loved ones. In our deanery of Epsom and Redhill the Mass

will be THIS Friday 19th Nov at 7.30pm, Sacred Heart Caterham.

Wintershall's The Nativity Journey “is an unforgettable experience, bringing the true meaning of Christmas to life for the whole family”. Runs from 16th Dec. For more information or to book tickets www.wintershall.org.uk or call 01483 892167.

Parish Diaries 2022. There are a number of diaries available at the back of each church. If you would like to give a donation, please just place your money in the slot for books or papers. Many thanks.

Recent Collections

The following amounts were donated to these second collections. Thank you for your generosity.

Prisoners' Sunday (PACT) - £783.73

World Mission Sunday MISSIO - £601.31

Help Feed People in Need

Food donations for those needing support can be left in the box in the porch of each church, for onward distribution. Many thanks

Please pray for all those in our Parish who are sick:

Marie Bliss	Jim Morgan
Michael Boulvard	Paddy Payne
Pauline Boulvard	Maureen Rennison
Sue Brackenbury	Piers Ripley-Duggan
Christopher Browne	Allison Roberts
Amy Chapman	Jean Rowlandson
Maggi Cooke	Yolande Sharpe
John Donovan	Karen Silver
Mary Doran	Mary Skilton
Mary Hefford	Jenny Smith
Derek Knott	Margaret Summers
Tessa Knott	Pat Turton
Noreen Landers	Simon Turton
Joanna Mills	Andrea Vaughan
Janet Morgan	Alf Wiggins

This Week's Masses and Intentions

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Vigil	13 Nov	6.00 pm	OLOS	Beatrice Vella - RIP
Sunday	14 Nov	9.00 am	OLOS	People of the Parish
Sunday	14 Nov	11.00 am	HS	Bertha Wetherall - RIP
Monday	15 Nov	Noon	HS	Deceased Members of Legion of Mary - RIP
Tuesday	16 Nov	9.15 am	OLOS	John Barker - RIP
Wednesday	17 Nov	9.15 am	HS	Michael Thomas – RIP
Thursday	18 Nov	9.15 am	OLOS	Brian George Woodruff - RIP
Friday	19 Nov	6.00 pm	HS	Charles Copelin - RIP
Saturday	20 Nov	10.00 am	OLOS	Celebrant's Intention
Saturday Vigil	20 Nov	6.00 pm	OLOS	Margaret Newman – RIP (100 th birthday on 18.11.21)
Sunday	21 Nov	9.00 am	OLOS	Terry & Bill McManus - RIP
Sunday	21 Nov	11.00 am	HS	People of the Parish - RIP

HS = Holy Spirit, Fetcham OLOS = Our Lady of Sorrows, Effingham

All Masses from OLOS are live-streamed on YouTube at "Effingham and Fetcham Catholic Parish" <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFLGeHumF6yae4QGCSVg0UA>

Eucharistic Adoration – Thursday mornings, from the end of Mass to 11.00 am.

Confessions

Saturdays

11.00-11.45 am HS, Fetcham
5.00-5.30 pm OLOS, Effingham

Next Sunday: Christ the King

Special Collection next week: Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund (Gift Aid)

Daniel 7:13-14 | Psalm 92:1-2,5. R.v1 | Apocalypse 1:5-8 | John 18:33-37



Please get Newsletter items to the Parish office by 10.00am Wednesday

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