



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

Christ the King

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

Sundays: Cycle B Weekdays: Year I 21 November 2021



It's lovely to end the liturgical year with the feast of Christ the King. We can look back and rejoice in Christ the new-born King in Bethlehem, worshipped with royal gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh from the magi. He is King over the temptations of the devil in the desert. He is King over sickness and demons in His miracles. He is King over sin and death in His glorious Cross and Resurrection. Ascended into heaven, at the Father's right hand He is King over the whole world. Indeed, He is King of the universe, since all things were made through Him (John 1:3).

And He is King over each of us too because He is our Lord and our God, and because we are created through Him and for Him (Col 1:16). But in a special way He is our King because He is our Redeemer: He has purchased us from everlasting death with His precious blood.

He must reign in our minds through perfect faith in His teachings, through a love of the Scriptures, and a desire to grow continually in knowledge of God. He must reign in our wills through complete obedience to His law. He must reign in our hearts through loving Him above all things, and loving one another as He has loved us. He must reign in our words as we share His Good News with others. He must reign in our lives as we follow His vocation wherever He chooses to lead us.

May God bless you all,

Fr Stephen

This Week

We welcome into our Catholic Parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism **Edward Mugridge**.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Catherine Newton**, a resident at Dene Place, West Horsley, who died on Thursday 11th Nov and remember her family at this time too. Her funeral is on Monday 29th Nov at 3.30 pm at OLOS – it is NOT a Requiem Mass.

Special Collection this Week – Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund. 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. 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.

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

Coming Soon

Parish Events



Autumn Walk.

THIS 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.

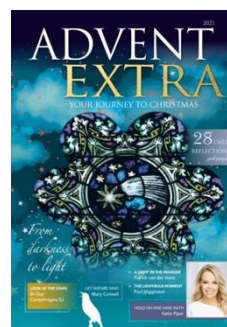


Christmas Carols Around the Tree.

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

General

Synod Discussion. The deadline for responses is **THIS** Sunday 21st Nov so if you would like to be involved, please ensure you email or hand back your completed form by then. Thank you.



Advent Extra. The theme this year is 'From darkness to light' and celebrates the Light of the World, who transforms even the darkest moments, in articles and daily reflections. £2 a copy. Please put your money in the slot marked either books or (news)papers. Thank you.

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.

Advent Resource – Come Lord Jesus, Come!

Introducing the CELEBRATE@home Advent resource. Ideas range from ways to mark Advent with a virtual Family Advent calendar, Advent Family Box and Advent Challenge for Catholic Marriages, to ways to use your Nativity set and manger, to books, music and films to share with your family. Just follow this link <https://www.celebratetrust.org/celebrateathome>

“My Funeral Mass Instructions”. A great way to make it easier for your relatives when the time comes. Copies of this leaflet are available at the back of the church, priced £1 each. Please put your money in the slot marked (news)papers. Thank you.



Kayleigh Kopiciek One of the students who, some years ago, was part of our Confirmation programme has been recognised by the YMCA for her commitment to mental health - she developed an on-line programme for use during the pandemic. A number of our parishioners voted for her in the YMCA poll and she won. Congratulations Kayleigh!

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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.

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.

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://comeandsee.org/advent>

Results

Do and Raise Group’s Advent Calendar - the raffle, drawn last Sunday (14th November) raised a staggering total of just over £500 for The Passage in Westminster. The winning ticket was held by a friend of Christine Fahey who lives in Ireland. Thank you everybody who contributed.

Shoebox Appeal - an amazing 310 boxes were collected by Children in Distress on Wednesday: 42 from Cranmore, 79 from the Parish and 189 from St Teresa's.

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

Christ the King

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
Monday	22 Nov	Noon	HS	Alf Wiggins - Wellbeing
Tuesday	23 Nov	9.15 am	OLOS	Fr Robert Ellis - RIP
Wednesday	24 Nov	9.15 am	HS	Marie Grummitt - RIP
Thursday	25 Nov	9.15 am	OLOS	Bernardette Baker - Private
Friday	26 Nov	6.00 pm	HS	Breda & Connor Murphy - Wellbeing
Saturday	27 Nov	10.00 am	OLOS	Celebrant's Intention
Saturday Vigil	27 Nov	6.00 pm	OLOS	Joe Hughes - RIP
Sunday	28 Nov	9.00 am	OLOS	Michael Donovan - RIP
Sunday	28 Nov	11.00 am	HS	People of the Parish

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

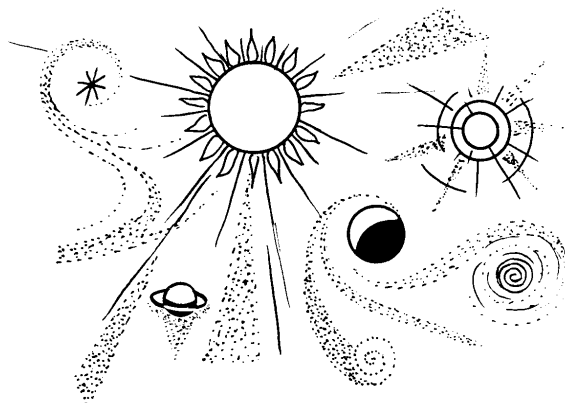
Saturdays

11.00-11.45 am HS, Fetcham

5.00-5.30 pm OLOS, Effingham

Next Sunday: 1st Sunday of Advent

Jeremiah 33:14-16 | Psalm 24:4-5.8-9.10.14.R.v1 | 1Thessalonians 3:12 – 4:2 | Luke 21:25-28. 34-36



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

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