

## Our Lady Help of Christians



22<sup>nd</sup> January 2023

*Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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*Baptism minimum 2 months notice required;*

*Marriage minimum 12 months notice required*

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**WELCOME** back to Monsignor Tony Barry who is celebrating the Masses this weekend. On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January we will welcome back Fr John Garry who will be with us during February.

**PARISH WALK.** The Parish Walk will take place next Thursday the 26<sup>th</sup> January. We meet outside the church after mass at 10.30. Newcomers are welcome. If you have any questions call Gill Luff on 07710 722056 or email her on [gill.luff@btinternet.com](mailto:gill.luff@btinternet.com).

**SENIORS LUNCH.** We are having a Seniors Lunch on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 1pm. in the Parish Hall. If you would like to come along please sign the sheet in the Narthex or call Pat Atkins 01932 340425 or Gill Luff on 01932 343684. It will be lovely to see you but for catering purposes please let us know if you are able to join us.

## Mass Times and Intentions

### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

#### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sat. 6pm Mass** – Evelyn & Vernon DeCruz

**9.15am Mass** – Parishioners

**11am Mass** – The Carvalho Family RIP

### Week 23<sup>rd</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> January

#### Monday

**7pm Mass** Lourenco Gomes RIP

#### Tuesday – St Francis de Sales

**10am Mass** The Rodrigues Family RIP

#### Wednesday – The Conversion of Paul

*Adoration 10am - 10pm*

#### Thursday – Ss Timothy and Titus

**10am Mass** Hugh & Philomena

McAnearney RIP

#### Friday – St Angela Merici

**10am Mass** The O'Reilly & McAnearney

Families RIP

#### Saturday – St Thomas Aquinas

**10am Mass** Alan & Kathy Luff RIP

*Adoration & the Rosary follow Mass*

**Confession:** Saturday after morning Mass

*and at 5pm or by appointment*

### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January

#### Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sat. 6pm Mass** – Andreas Pillai and

Mary Angela Andrew RIP

**9.15am Mass** – Parishioners

**11am Mass** – Bernard Philpot RIP

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE UNWELL:

Charles Hoar, Theresa Mills, Clive Stanbrook, Hugh McManus, Bridie McManus, Anita Bradley, Vivian Phillips, Carmela Tomkins, John Drew, Brian Kirby, Kerrie Mitchell, Suzanne Kassir, Joanne Bosanquet, Tim Buckell, Thomas Larkin, Valli Alimon, Margaret Smith, Christopher Brown, Margaret Merriweather, Kevin Luddington, Victor McGrath, Ann Struthers, Robert Hernandez, Edith Keirnan, William Simmons, Marie McMahan, Patricia Bygrave, Amy Macanlalay, Thomas Hazell, Margie Oliver, Mark Fitzpatric and Cathy Fahy.

*Please let the Parish Office know if anyone would like to be added to / taken off the list.*

### WIDOWED & SEPARATED LUNCH at

The Comodor, 2-4 Oyster Lane, Byfleet KT14 7DU on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 12.30. To book please contact Pat Wray on 01932 347674 or Janet Catterick on 01932 344848.

### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

will take place on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 2.30pm in Arundel Cathedral with Bishop Richard. If you are in School Year 10 or older and would like to receive this Sacrament, the application forms are in the narthex. Many thanks If you have already applied. The programme will begin on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 4.45pm in the hall.

**CRAFT CLUB.** The knitted blankets and toys are now being transported to Ukraine by the charity Hope and Aid Direct. If you would like more information or would like to make a donation their website is [www.hopeandaiddirect.org.uk](http://www.hopeandaiddirect.org.uk). The Craft Club in February will meet on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February.

### CHURCH CAR PARK RENTAL

**RENEWALS.** Please collect your renewal permit from the Parish Office. Any queries please to John Drew: [farleydrew35@gmail.com](mailto:farleydrew35@gmail.com) or 01932-988459.

### ANNUAL JUSTICE & PEACE ASSEMBLY

with the theme: Hungry for Change. Bookings are still open for Saturday 28 January 9.30-1.30pm at The Philip Howard Centre, Crawley RH10 6RP. To find out about and book events hosted by the Diocese please visit the diocese website events calendar: <https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events>

**CRIB OFFERINGS** will be donated to the Catholic Children's Society A&B Crisis Fund providing emergency grants to support children and their families in our diocese who are facing a crisis in their lives. Funds can be donated either via the wall box by the crib or [online](#). Every single penny donated will be given out via these grants. By tradition the crib remains in the church until Candlemas, 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb.

**ART CLUB** will next be meeting on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 12 noon.

**DAY OF REFLECTION FOR MINISTERS** led by Bishop Richard for Ministers of the Eucharist: **change of date – now Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March** (was Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February) at Christ the Prince of Peace, Weybridge, 11am-4pm. Sign up online: [Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Eucharist \(18-Feb-2023\) · ChurchSuite Events](https://www.churchsuite.com/events/day-of-reflection-for-ministers-of-the-eucharist-18-feb-2023).

Arrival is from 10.30am for refreshments and please bring a packed lunch. Any queries to: [Catherine.Christmas@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Catherine.Christmas@abdiocese.org.uk).

**FCJ SISTERS** (Faithful Companions of Jesus) Vocations Weekend for Women for women in their 20s and 30s “Discerning God's Call in your life” on 3-5 Feb in London. Welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on Saturday for the day. For more information contact Sr Lynne fcj at [fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com](mailto:fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com) or visit the website [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org)

**For Parish Centre Enquiries or Hall Bookings** contact Chris Geary  
[ourladyshallbookings@outlook.com](mailto:ourladyshallbookings@outlook.com)

**Wednesday Adoration**  
[olwbadoration@outlook.com](mailto:olwbadoration@outlook.com)

**St Thomas More Preschool Enquiries**  
email Rhoda  
[rhoda@stthomasmoreschool.co.uk](mailto:rhoda@stthomasmoreschool.co.uk)

**ADORE.** Online spiritual mini-retreat morning 28 Jan 10am-1pm "Called to be Missionary Disciples". Guest speaker is Charles Whitehead KSG. Starts with Mass at 10am. Further details online and how to register: <https://www.altonrenewal.com/programme>

**CHILWORTH ABBEY STUDY DAY** Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> ‘The Mystical Union of Christ and the Church’. Mass, 9am, Talks 10.15am-3.30pm. Bring a packed lunch and a friend if possible. For more details see <https://www.chilworthbenedictines.com/join-our-catholicism-study-days-every-second-saturday-of-the-month>

**CHRISTIAN UNITY 2023.** Be-Longing: Praying for Unity amidst Injustice.

Fr Bryan Massingale, one of the world's leading Catholic social ethicists and scholars in racial justice, reminds us of his hope and challenge:

“Social life is made by human beings. The society we live in is the result of human choices and decisions. This means that human beings can change things. What humans break, divide and separate, we can with God's help, also heal, unite and restore. What is now does not have to be. Therein lies the hope and the challenge.”

**CELEBRATE ST DAVID'S DAY** with The Passage on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at St Paul's Knightsbridge. Hear an inspiring mix of traditional Welsh music, as well as some popular classic tunes in a stunning venue. The London Welsh Male Voice Choir will be joined by special guests Eiry Price [soprano] and John Ieuan Jones [baritone]. All proceeds from this event will go directly to The Passage, helping to provide essential support for those who have experienced homelessness, and preventative action to support those at risk of becoming homeless. Further information / tickets are online: <https://passage.org.uk/get-involved/events/st-davids-day-concert/>

**FARNBOROUGH HILL SCHOOL** Open Afternoon for Prospective Parents 1.30pm Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February. To book a place, please visit the school's website: [www.farnborough-hill.org](http://www.farnborough-hill.org) or phone 01252 545197.

**ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE** to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 15 March. £699pp sharing, includes flight, all transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Special St. Patrick's Day Celebrations. Single supplement £150. Contact Patricia on 01268 762278 or 07740 175557 or [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com).

#### **PRAYER FOR PROTECTION**

Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God thrust down to hell Satan, and all wicked spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

<b>26<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	<b>Parish Walk, outside church, 10.30am</b>
<b><u>2<sup>nd</sup> Feb</u></b>	<b>Craft Club, STM room, 10.30am</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Catenian Meeting, Hall, 7.30pm</b>
<b><u>3<sup>rd</sup> Feb</u></b>	<b>Art Club, STM room, 12 noon</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Seniors Lunch, Hall, 1pm</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Confirmation Meeting, Hall, 4.45pm</b>
<b>11-12<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Woking Foodbank Collection</b>
<b>13<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Ecumenical Morning Prayer, St John's, 9.30am</b>
<b>11<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	<b>First Communion meeting, Church, 3pm</b>
<b>13<sup>th</sup> Mar</b>	<b>Ecumenical Morning Prayer, Church, 9.30am</b>
<b>13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Sacrament of Confirmation, Arundel Cathedral, 2.30pm</b>