

Our Lady Help of Christians Church



12th April 2020:

Easter Sunday

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Baptism minimum 2 months notice required;

Marriage minimum 12 months notice required

**Mass continues to be celebrated in
Church without the congregation
The Church is locked until further notice**

LIVE STREAMING of the celebration of Mass can be followed by joining the parish Facebook group by using this link: www.facebook.com/groups/601691940164754/. Mass readings and morning and evening prayer can be found on the website: <https://universalis.com/>. If you subscribe £19.99 you can then set it for Arundel & Brighton Mass readings, etc. Otherwise there is a month's free trial.

FR ALEX is available for emergency visits. His contact details are above. He is available at the end of the phone if you just wish to chat.

All Masses & Services are Private
/ available online

Palm Sunday 5th April

All Masses are Private

Sat. 6pm – Lilyana Suriat-Vera RIP

9.15am – In Thanksgiving

The Counter Family

11am – Parishioners

6pm – Evening Prayer & Benediction

Week 6th – 11th April

Monday

7pm Private Mass Alan Phillips RIP

7.30pm Adoration & The Rosary

Tuesday

10am Private Mass Peter Martins RIP

7.30pm Adoration & Evening Prayer

Wednesday

10am Private Mass Michael McDermott RIP

7.30pm Adoration & The Rosary

Maundy Thursday

8pm Private Mass Joe Hogan RIP

Good Friday

12 noon Way of the Cross for Children (short service)

3pm **Celebration of Our Lord's Passion**

7.30pm Maria Desolata Way of The Cross

Holy Saturday

10am **Święcone:** Blessing of Easter Food Baskets - *online service, please do not come to the church*

8pm **Private Mass: Easter Vigil**

First Mass of the Resurrection – Parishioners

Confession: by appointment

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9.15am – Rose DeCruz RIP

11am – Joan Luddington RIP

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE UNWELL:

Patricia Stafford, Anne Daly, Thomas Larkin, Tom Simonis, Timothy and Pam Crowley, Fr Anthony Hale, Valli Alimon, Margaret Smith, Christopher Brown, Margaret Merriweather, Mary McDonagh, Kevin Luddington, Victor McGrath, Ann Struthers, Robert Hernandez, Edith Keirnan, William Simmons, Marie McMahan, Jayne Collins, Patricia Bygrave, Amy Macanlalay, Thomas Hazell, Neville Williams, Margie Oliver, Mark Fitzpatric, Cathy Fahy, and Hannah Kingerley.

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

BREDA HOAR R.I.P. Please pray for Breda and for her family and friends. The funeral will be at Richmond Cemetery at 12 noon on Wednesday 8th April.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, THE ROSARY AND LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be taking place online, please join our Facebook group.

MASS INTENTIONS – if you would like Father to say Mass for a special intention please contact Fr Alex or the parish office. Your donation / Mass stipend can be made by bank transfer or at a later date by cash / cheque.

SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL have set up a community helpline: 0300 200 1008 (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm) to direct you to services that can help during the coronavirus pandemic. The website link is: <https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/people-and-community/emergency-planning-and-community-safety/coronavirus/community-support/need-help>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION. Confession is offered by appointment and hygiene and social distancing requirements will be observed.

ONLINE SERVICE FOR BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD BASKETS: Holy Saturday at 10am a short online service of “**Święcone**” will be streamed on the parish Facebook page. Please do not come to the church. The Blessing of the Easter Food Baskets is for everyone not just the Polish/Eastern European.

VOLUNTEERS. Due to the uncertainties and difficult times we are all currently facing, particularly seniors who it is recommended should self-isolate, can you help? If you have a DBS check, are in good health and under the age of 70 or if you are in need of help or assistance, please ring either Gill Luff (01932 343684) or Pat Atkins (077519 67533) or Vernon DeCruz (01932 343737) or email: v.decruz@btinternet.com. Thanks.

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

BAPTISMS, FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION, SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION & MATRIMONY. These celebrations are now postponed until a time that allows for families and friends to gather safely within our church. We will provide further information when available.

FUNERALS. The funeral service should take place at the graveside or at a crematorium, subject to the conditions laid down by the cemetery or crematorium authorities. Mass can be celebrated in memoriam when congregations are allowed to gather.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK. No pastoral visits should be made to people who are self-isolating until the isolation period ends.

ONLINE GIVING. From the Diocese concerning giving:
www.justgiving.com/campaign/parishoffice
Please read the guidance carefully as to how you specify our parish. Thank you.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND 19-23 OCT 2020: Cost £603 includes flights, insurance, 4 nights bed & breakfast and evening meal. Single room supplement £72. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to register your interest or a book place.

PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIMES OF PANDEMIC

O Mary,
you always brighten our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother,
you know what we need,
and we are confident you will provide for us as at Cana in Galilee.
Intercede for us with your Son Jesus, the Divine Physician,
for those who have fallen ill,
for those who are vulnerable,
and for those who have died. Intercede also for those charged with protecting the health and safety of others and for those who are tending to the sick and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who took upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows,
so as to lead us, through the Cross, to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

Under thy protection we seek refuge, O Holy Mother of God.
In our needs, despise not our petitions, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

Thursday Adoration – olwbadoration@outlook.com

**For Parish Centre Enquiries / Hall Bookings – contact Chris Geary
01932 348878 5-7pm Mon-Fri**

**For St Thomas More Preschool Enquiries - email Rhoda
rhoda@stthomasmoreschool.co.uk**



PRAYER SHEET FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Prayers to be said during Mass times if you are unable to watch on Facebook:

Start with the sign of the cross.

Act of Penance:

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

We pray... (Pause for Silent Prayer)

Almighty and merciful God look with compassion on our affliction, and so lighten your children's burden and confirm our faith that we may always trust without hesitation in your fatherly providence. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit One God for ever and ever. Amen

Please use the Sunday readings available online (e.g. <https://universalis.com/>) or if you have a Sunday missal.

The Lord's Prayer

As God's family we pray as Jesus himself taught us:

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

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Finish with the sign of the cross.