



**Newsletter**

**Diocese of Arundel & Brighton 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2020**

**THIS SUNDAY 22, Christ the King, Year A**

(Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17; 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28; Matthew 25:31-46)

11.15am: For the deceased members of the Knights of St Columba

**MONDAY 23, Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 34**

(Revelation 14:1-3, 4b-5; Luke 21:1-4)

No Mass

**TUESDAY 24, Mem: St Andrew Dung -Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs**

(Revelation 14:14-19; Luke 21:5-11)

10.00am Mass: Emma Hiles RIP

**WEDNESDAY 25, Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 34**

(Revelation 15:1-4; Luke 21:12-19)

10.00am Mass: Henry Granville XIV Duke of Norfolk RIP

**THURSDAY 26, Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 34**

(Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9A; Luke 21:20-28)

10.00am Mass: Olivia Louise Warde RIP

**FRIDAY 27, Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 34**

(Revelation 20:1-4, 11—21:2; Luke 21:29-33)

10.00am Mass: Nora Dewey RIP & Kitty Myerscough RIP

**SATURDAY 28, Our Lady on Saturday**

(Revelation 22:1-7; Luke 21:34-36)

10.00am Mass: Robert Gillies RIP

**NEXT SUNDAY 29, First Sunday of Advent, Year B**

(Isaiah 63:16B-17, 19B; 64:2-7; 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:33-37)

11.15am: For the People of the Parish

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**Canon David Parmiter  
Cathedral Dean**

**Rev. Mr. David Clifton L.Th  
Deacon (Retired)**

**FINANCIAL MATTERS: Thank you for your recent contributions.**

**SECOND COLLECTION** this weekend was due to be for PACT (Prison Advice and Care Trust). You can either drop donations into the Cathedral office or donate online at <https://www.prisonadvice.org.uk/>

### **THE CATHEDRAL LIVE STREAM**

Please follow the link on the Cathedral website to follow the live stream Mass [Click here for parish website.](#)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR Monsignor Barry Wymes** who died on 30<sup>th</sup> October. His funeral will take place at The Holy Name, Esher and will be live-streamed as follow: Reception of the body 26 November 10.30am, the church will remain open for private prayer. Vigil Mass 26 November 6pm, Funeral Mass 27 November 12 Noon. Esher Parish website: <https://www.holynamesher.org.uk/> Live-Stream: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCyuXPRHhBAamEda4oinLpw>

### **“LOVE IN A BOX” 2020:**

THANK YOU! 90 boxes were collected from the Cathedral on Monday morning for delivery to children in Moldova for Christmas

### **BISHOP RICHARD IS OFFERING A SERIES OF ADVENT TALKS**

from the Cathedral. The programme will run for four weeks, focusing on a number of different themes:

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November: Advent – Waiting  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December: John the Baptist - Witness  
Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December: Gaudete - Rejoice  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December: Mary – Openness

Each evening will begin at 7pm and be live streamed on the diocesan website <https://abdiocese.org.uk/> (also available on the Cathedral website) It may be possible to attend December’s talks in person - further details will be shared when known.

**ZOOM PARISH COFFEE** has re-started at 10.30am on a Sunday morning. Details of how to join have been sent to parishioners with the newsletter mailing this week. If you don’t receive this and would like to join the zoom coffee, e-mail: [arundel@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:arundel@abdiocese.org.uk)

### **WINTERSHALL - THE NATIVITY WINTER WALK!**

This will take place from 18 – 21 December 2020. There will be no Nativity Play this year. We are very excited to invite you to a safe, interactive event so you and your family can experience the ‘real’ Christmas story, while walking through the undulating fields and woodland of Wintershall meeting the Nativity characters and animals along the way. This is a socially distanced walk with pre-booked timeslots, following government guidelines on Covid-19. Book at <https://www.wintershall.org.uk/nativity-winter-walk>

**CHRISTMAS IN MEMORIAM** An opportunity to remember your loved ones this Christmas by bringing a poinsettia to help decorate the Cathedral. Please leave your poinsettia (preferably in a planter) in the baptistery from the end of November for arrangement.

**THE BISHOPS OF ENGLAND AND WALES** have issued a statement on the IICSA report, which can be read at: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/statement-on-the-publication-of-the-iicsa-report/>

### **CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS OF THE DIOCESE (20-30 SOMETHINGS)**

Our Youth and Young Adults’ Advisor would like to invite anyone who is interested to join a focus group which will meet virtually to discuss the needs and desires of young adults in the Church, and, if you would like, be involved in coming up with some creative ways to meet those needs. If this sounds like a project you would like to be a part of, please contact the Youth Service Secretary Rosie at [rosie.read@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:rosie.read@abdiocese.org.uk) or 01293 651161

**WALK WITH ME** Advent Meditation booklets available in the Cathedral for £1.00. There is a box to put your money in.

**FRIENDS OF ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL ADVENT VESPERS** which was due to take place on 29<sup>th</sup> November is cancelled.

**REVISED OPENING HOURS** Due to the latest lockdown regulation from Government, we are unable to come together for collective worship. However, we are permitted to keep the Cathedral open for private prayer, therefore the opening hours will be as follows:

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	10.30am – 4pm
Wednesday	10.30am – 4pm
Thursday	10.30am – 4pm
Friday	10.30am – 4pm
Saturday	10.30am – 4pm
Sunday	12.30pm - 4pm

Mass will be said daily Tuesday – Saturday at 10am and will be live-streamed. Mass on Sunday will be celebrated at 11.15am on live-stream.

### **COMING INTO THE CATHEDRAL FOR**

**PRIVATE PRAYER** To enable the social distancing rules to be followed, groups (except those in one household) must not gather inside the building. Entry to the Cathedral will be through the North Door (facing London Road under the tower) and exit via the West Door.

Please sanitise your hands on entry with the gel provided, observe the distancing rules and follow the one-way system.

Please either use the QR code or complete a form so we know who was in the Cathedral.

**FACE COVERINGS** It is still mandatory to wear a face covering in church unless you fall under the exempt categories. A covering may be a mask, shield or scarf, whatever is most comfortable.

**CATHEDRAL SHOP** hopes to re-open after the lockdown on 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

**‘WELCOME DESK’** Canon David and Gus will spend time on a Saturday afternoon (2-4pm) at a ‘Welcome Desk’ by the north door of the Cathedral to be available to anyone who comes in and needs a chat.

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**  
**Solemnity of Christ the King, Year A**

Christ, our King, has destroyed death and opened up for us the way to the Kingdom of God. We pray for our world:

For our bishops, priests and deacons: that they may be faithful in prayer and compassionate in mercy as they lead and serve the flock entrusted to them.

**Lord in your mercy...**

*We pray for ministers that are working hard to develop an outline of what set of restrictions the UK may face in December after lockdown. Let us remain hopeful that decisions made will be for the good of all people.*

**Lord in your mercy...**

We pray for our world and the environment: that the nations of the world will also look after the earth and its vulnerable peoples.

**Lord in your mercy...**

For the young people within our communities: that they may discern the face of Christ in those around them and be swift to feed the hungry, refresh the thirsty and visit the needy.

**Lord in your mercy...**

For all who have died and for all who mourn; that the dead may walk with the saints in the kingdom of heaven and those who grieve be comforted. We pray especially for Mgr Barry Wymes and Cynthia Boshier.

We pray for the deceased brothers of the Knights of St Columba who have died in the last year:

From Crawley: Bro. Douglas Smith, Bro. Joe Tuke and Bro. Peter Harwood from Chichester:

Bro. Mark Grabowski; from Bognor Regis: Bro. Derek Hogg; from Guildford Bro. Terence Nagle

Members of Honour Most Reverend Archbishop Michael Bowen and Rev Fr. David Rea

We pray for all those who are sick for whatever reason, that they might find healing and full recovery. We pray for Fr Martin Jakubas, Paul Rumball, Lizzie Bennett, Martyn Ford, Lee Ward, Guy Russell, Richard Crosby, Benita Marshall, Jean Marc Fritz, Michael Winter, Pat Burton, Bernard Sanderson, Nick McMenemy, Caroline Philips, Pauline Rodmell, Rachel Fielding, Irena Ray-Crosby, Philip Wood, Julie Quantrill, Maizy Stratford, Virginia Stewart, Gerard Lally, Craig Paterson, Joe Jenner, Naomi & Jason Lewry and all in the local hospitals and hospices, the Priory or in their own homes.

We ask Our Lady Queen of Peace to pray with us and for us as we say: **Hail Mary..**

Christ, Alpha and Omega, hear us invoking your help. Sustain us in grace that we may enter your reign when all is complete, for you live and reign forever and ever. **Amen**

**THE FAITH COMPANION** is now online only. Digital copies and subscriptions are available at <http://www.thefaithcompanion.co.uk> or call 01403 754808.

**HOLY DUSTERS** will not be able to meet under the current lockdown arrangements.

**THE ARUNDEL MUSEUM** is carrying out an extensive visitor survey, available until 30<sup>th</sup> November, for the local townsfolk and would like to hear your views. You can find the survey via their website at: <https://arundelmuseum.org/events/arundel-museum-wed-like-to-hear-from-you/> or via this direct link: [Museum Survey](#)

**A & B NEWS** The diocesan newspaper which started life in 1965 as a magazine is no longer being published. A less frequent replacement is planned sometime next year. If you have e-mail and have not already signed up for the weekly diocesan newsletter, you can do that at <https://abdiocese.org.uk/> scroll to the bottom of the page and sign up or you can access it though following the Diocese on Facebook and Twitter. There are lots of interesting resources signposted as well as up to date news from the Diocese and beyond.

**ALTON DAY OF RENEWAL (ADoRE)** Saturday 28 November 10.00-12.45 mini conference for spiritual renewal with Mass, Adoration, praise, prophecy, and an inspiring talk "Do whatever He tells you" from Catholic evangelist Ros Powell.

Please register in advance for Zoom by following this link: [bit.ly/ADORENOV20](https://bit.ly/ADORENOV20)

For more information go to the ADoRE website [www.altonrenewal.com](http://www.altonrenewal.com)

**PRAYER FOR HEALTH STAFF**

Wondrous God, author of life,  
you fashioned us in your likeness  
and breathed into us the life which is your own.

Be with those whose special care  
is the health of mind and body.

Fill their hearts with awe for the life which is your gift  
and sustain them daily in your service,  
that their hands may bring to others  
the comfort of your healing touch.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

**PRAYER FOR THOSE AFFECTED**

Merciful God, come to the help of your people.

Be our shelter in this time of peril  
and strengthen the bonds of our community.

Bring healing to all who suffer  
the ravages of disease  
and assist those whose skill and art  
can put an end to this affliction.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

**SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

**PRAYER OF ST ALPHONSUS**

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this Holy  
Sacrament of the altar.

I love you above all things  
and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.  
Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,  
come spiritually into my soul  
so that I may unite myself wholly to you  
now and forever. Amen.