

## ST. LAWRENCE OF CANTERBURY R C CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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## SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

**21ST NOVEMBER 2021**

Entrance Antiphon: *How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.*

Communion Antiphon: *The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord will bless his people with peace.*

All Masses are live streamed through our parish webcam.

The Sacrament of Penance is available on Saturday mornings from 11am - 11:30am in the Church or by prior appointment.

If you would like to book a mass intention, please contact Jeanette in the parish office.

The Church will remain open after Mass until 1:30pm on Tuesday to Saturday for Private Worship.

The Repository in the Church Hall will be open on Sundays after the 8:30am Mass until 12noon and on Wednesdays during the coffee morning. Christmas cards and other gifts are now available in the Repository. Handmade candles by Lucia will also be on sale.

Mass Envelopes for the Holy Souls are available at the back of the church. Please place the envelopes with the names of your loved ones in the basket at the altar.

Have a blessed week.

**Fr. Paul**

## **SYNOD AND SYNODAL PROCESS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SOUTHWARK**

An invitation is extended to 'all of the baptised' to contribute on three principal themes: Communion, Participation and Mission. For Info visit: <https://www.synod.va/en.html> & <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/synodal-church/>. Tony and Pat Slonecki led this process and we are most grateful to them for giving their time to this endeavour.

## **SYNODAL PROCESS IN OUR PARISH**

We would like to thank all the parishioners who attended the two sessions in the hall last week, for taking part in the discussions and for your contribution to the Synodal Process in our Parish. Pat and Tony Slonecki.

Alternative ways to submit contributions and Websites to find out more information: [www.rcaos.org.uk/synod](http://www.rcaos.org.uk/synod) [www.aec.rcaos.org.uk/synod](http://www.aec.rcaos.org.uk/synod) Email: [synod@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:synod@rcaos.org.uk)

In writing: Synod Submissions, c/o Archbishop's House, 150 St George's Road, London, SE1 6HX. Further resources from the Synod Office in Rome is available at [www.synod.va/en.html](http://www.synod.va/en.html) in different languages. Resources from the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales is available at [www.cbcew.org.uk/synodal-church/](http://www.cbcew.org.uk/synodal-church/)

## **CONFIRMATION APPLICATION FORMS**

The Confirmation Programme for children in Year 9 and above will be starting on the 8th January 2022. For an application form please see Fr. Paul after Mass.

The deadline for returning the completed application forms is Sunday 19th December.

## **VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR MANAGING THE MAINTENANCE OF THE PARISH**

**PROPERTY** - We are looking for a retired Building Surveyor/Facilities Manager or someone with Health & Safety expertise to assist us with managing the maintenance of the parish property. If you are able to volunteer can you please contact the parish office on Telephone: 020 8300 2480 or Email: [sidcup@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:sidcup@rcaos.org.uk).

## **DBS CHECKS**

As per the Diocesan Safeguarding Policy all returning and new volunteers in various parish ministries who require a DBS, need to have a current check that has been issued within the last 3 years or are signed up to the update service. Are you a volunteer in any of our Parish Ministries? If so, can you please collect the forms from Jeanette at the Parish Office in order to have your DBS checks redone.

## **DEATH NOTICES**

Funeral for T/L Mary Josephine Ryan will take place on Thursday 25th November at 11am followed by cremation at Kemnal Park Crematorium.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

## **NOVEMBER MASSES IN THE DEANERY**

**1. For deceased clergy of the deanery** on Tuesday 23rd November at 12 noon at St. Stephen's Church, 26 Deepdene Road, Welling DA16 3QL.

**2. For bereaved parents/siblings remembering a child** on Thursday 25th November at 7pm at Our Lady of the Rosary, 330A Burnt Oak Lane, Blackfen DA15 8LW.

## 2ND COLLECTIONS

The 2nd Collection last Sunday was for the Archbishop's Fund. Today is National Youth Sunday and the 2nd Collection is for Catholic Youth Services to support youth work in the diocese and beyond especially the Southwark Catholic Youth Service.

## 100 CLUB WINNERS

MONTH	£75	£50	£25	£10
AUGUST	G. O'Sullivan	M. Sharkey	M. Atkinson	G. Thrift
SEPTEMBER	S. Sadlier	J. Willsden	E. Armfield	F. Baseley
OCTOBER	D. Butters	M. Dwyer	E. Armfield	A. Maxted

## KNITTING SALE

There will be a sale of knitted toys, ladies and children items in the hall after all the morning Masses on Sunday 28th November and Sunday 5th December.

## SUNDAY COFFEE MORNINGS

The coffee mornings after the 8:30am and 10:00am Mass on Sundays have re-started. Please come along. Volunteers are needed to run the coffee mornings. If you are able to help please speak to Michael in the hall after Mass.

## EDUCATION COMMISSION

Do you have skills to offer as a Governor or Trustee in the Catholic Schools in Southwark? Could you spare a few hours a month? The education commission for the R C Archdiocese of Southwark needs local people from its parishes to volunteer as foundation governors or trustees/directors in catholic schools and academies.

For further information and to apply for these roles please visit the link below:

<https://www.rcaoseducation.org.uk/could-you-become-a-governor>.

## SYCAMORE

An informal course about the Christian faith and its relevance for life today. Explore your beliefs, share ideas, meet people and think about questions that really matter. For further information visit: <https://www.sycamore.fm/>.

## CHRIST THE KING ST. MARY'S - CHRISTMAS TOY APPEAL

CTK's annual Christmas Toy Appeal aims to make Christmas magic for the children in our local community, by providing them with a gift they may otherwise not have had. With your support, CTK hopes to make Christmas magic for even more children this year. Please bring your toys to the Parish Office, labelling the present with the age it is appropriate for by Wednesday 8th December. Thank you for supporting our annual toy appeal. CTK St. Mary's Team.

## NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

The Passage, a Christian Charity working with homeless people, is holding a fundraising concert at the Royal Festival Hall on Thursday 25 November on the theme Bohemian Rhapsody, featuring popular works by Dvořák, Mahler and Smetana. The performers includes Andrei Ioniță, Cello; Anush Kovahannisyanyan, Soprano; Streetwise Opera; Toby Purser, Conductor; and the Orion Orchestra. Full details and booking at <https://passage.org.uk/night-under-the-stars-2021/> or telephone 020 75921856.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

**Saturday 20th November (Vigil Mass) Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.**

6.30pm

Bridget Monaghan RIP

**Sunday 21st November**

**Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.**

8.30am

Deceased members of the Pinto Family

10.00am

Charmaine German RIP

11.30am

Nora Sanchez RIP

**Monday 22nd November**

**Saint Cecilia , Virgin and Martyr**

9.30am

Felix Gray RIP

**Tuesday 23rd November**

**Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr**

9.45am

Raymond Ellis RIP

**Wednesday 24th November**

**Saints Andrew Dũng-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs**

9.30am

Rosaline Varnes RIP

**Thursday 25th November**

**Feria**

9.30am

Sean Cronin RIP

11:00am

Funeral Mass of Mary Josephine Ryan

**Friday 26th November**

**Feria**

9.30am

Benjamin Manansala RIP

**Saturday 27th November**

**The Blessed Virgin Mary**

9.30am

Anthony Beak RIP

Collection	14th November	2nd Collection	
Cash	£292.63	Archbishop's Fund	
Gift Aid	£306.00	Cash	£40.00
Total	£598.63	Gift Aid	-
Monthly Standing Order	£4254.00	Total	£40.00

Please pray for the sick of our parish who are at home and in hospitals and especially for the souls of the faithful departed during this month of November that they may rest in peace.

***You are good and do good; teach me Your statutes.***

***Psalms 119:68***