

18th Sunday in Yr B		Mass Intentions
Saturday 4th August	10.00am Our Lady of Ransom	
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time	5.00pm Christ the King	Ian Platt RIP
Sunday 5th August	9.30am St Joachim 11.30am Christ the King 4.00pm St Agnes	Dermot Neilan RIP Vera O'Sullivan RIP (Brady)
Monday 6th August <i>The Transfiguration: Feast</i>	10.00am Christ the King 7.30pm Our Lady of Ransom 12 noon Our Lady of Ransom	Mary Maloney RIP
Tuesday 7th August <i>Sixtus II & Companion Martyrs</i>	10.00 am St Agnes 12 noon Our Lady of Ransom	
Wednesday 8th August <i>St Dominic Pr</i>	10.00am St Joachim 12 noon Our Lady of Ransom	
Thursday 9th August <i>St Teresa of the Cross. Mrt. Feast</i>	7.00pm Rosary & Adoration 8.00pm Christ the King	Claire Barnsdale RIP & Family (Chandler)
Friday 10th August <i>St Lawrence Deacon, Mrt</i>	12.00noon Christ the King 12 noon Our Lady of Ransom	
Saturday 11th August	10.00am Our Lady of Ransom	
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	5pm Christ the King	For the People of the Parish
Sunday 12th August	9.30 am St Joachim 11.30am Christ the King 4.00pm St Agnes	Priest's Intention Ted O'Callaghan



The Tree of Life

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Sacramental Confession is available either before or after most masses. please ask Fr Neil.

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Tel. 01323 760048

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Facebook page: Christ The King Catholic Church

First Holy Communion

We will be finalising our list of candidates for 1st Holy Communion program. This is the last call.

The Catholic Parish Christ the King & St Joachim

3 Princes Road,
Langney, BN23 6HT

106 Brodrick Road,
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18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr B

Responsorial Psalm: *The Lord gave them bread from heaven.*

Readings at Mass: *Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15, Ephesians 4: 17, 20-24, John 6: 24-35*

“What must we do if we are to do the works that God wants?.....believe in the one he has sent.”

Dear friends,

‘Do not work for food that cannot last,’ Jesus says. Paul in similar vein tells us not to go on living aimless kind lives but put aside our old self that follows illusory desires.

This insistent message of self negation is a call to wake up and not be fooled any longer by the false messages that promise us that somehow material things, relationships, power or control alone will feed the deepest desires of our souls. Our faith asks us to let go of the illusion that we as individuals are the final arbiters of what is right or wrong, true or false. This is not to deny the value of our consciences but that we transform our consciences by the renewing of our minds in the revelation of the eternal truth in Jesus.

Therefore the ‘work of God’, in the first instance, is not feeding the poor, sheltering the homeless, welcoming the stranger, visiting the prisoner and sick, but believing in the one he has sent, Jesus. This doesn’t mean those works of mercy are unimportant, as the sheep and goats in Matt 25 reveals. but after the first and greatest commandment we are to love the Lord our God, believe in him and feed on the true bread from heaven. Only then will we be able to know how to best love our neighbour as ourselves.

Blessings Fr Neil

Readings for next Sunday

1 Kings 19: 4-8, Ephesians 4: 30 - 5: 2, John 6: 41-51

200 Club

Supports the work of **Sisters of Mercy at Mutomo Hospital, in Kenya, and The Infant Jesus Sisters School in Nigeria.**

June Winners of £25 each are:

**171 - Deane Smith
168 - John Bowens
42 - D. Roberts
210 - Patricia Merideth**

July Winners

**82 - Eileen Neil
179 - John Carmody
79 - M. Muldoon
5 - Robert Jobbins**

Offertory

CTK £369.34
St Joachim £171.32
Thank you!

Mass Attendance

CTK 228
St Jo's 94

Can anyone help support the tea and coffee after the vigil mass on Saturdays?

Please speak to Fr Neil.

A New Church cleaning Rota is out and at the back of the Church to collect. We are always happy to add new names to the list!

People we have been asked to pray for:



At Home: Celia Clancy, John Yuill, Chris Grimmon, Mary Bennett, Pat Quigney, Kath Jermak, Don Wilkins, Roy Dare, Mary Bateman, Thelma Kemp, Stuart McCarthy.

Those ill: James Douds, Helena Sagnella, Peter Sollis, Frankie Farrell, Daisy Kelly, Sue + Mick O'Driscoll, Eddie Burke, Rene Cook, Jan Blake, Mary Bacon, Philip Edwards, Mick Cordingley, Robert Langley, Gill Cooke, Katharine Neville.

In Hospital/Hospice:

Sandra McMeekin, David Dwyer, and Eileen Kehoe

If you know of someone who would like their name to appear in the above prayer lists, please give Fr Neil or Deacon Eugene their name, address, and phone number, and include your own contact details.

Those who have died:

Micheal Brady, Ernest Worsley, Valerie Danneman, Ann Inniss, Frances Mulligan

The Third Annual CMA Youth Conference Catholics in Healthcare: Building a Culture of Life: Saturday 29th September, St Aloysius' Catholic Church, Euston, London 1:30pm - 5:30pm

The Catholic Medical Association invites all young (18-35yrs) Catholics in healthcare (doctors, nurses, medical students, nursing students, pharmacists etc) to the Third Annual CMA Youth Conference. Speakers and a panel will explore the meaning of the culture of life in relation to healthcare and how to live by that culture in our professional and personal lives.

There will be a small fayre to showcase the work of lay and religious organisations related to healthcare and tea and coffee will be provided during the break.

Entry is by donation (suggested donation: £5, payable at the door). Please be generous in order to enable the continued work of the Catholic Medical Association's Committee for the New Evangelisation (CMANE). The CMANE supports young Catholics in healthcare. Register at: buildingacultureoflife.eventbrite.co.uk or [facebook.com/CMAEnglandandWales](https://www.facebook.com/CMAEnglandandWales)

Hospital Patients and Visitors

If you would like to see the hospital chaplain, please ask a nurse to contact the Chaplaincy Office or phone Eastbourne District General Hospital 01323 - 417400 Ext. 4145 or 4600 or St Leonards - on - Sea Conquest Hospital 01424 - 755255.

For a Chaplaincy visit in advance of a hospital stay, please contact Fr. Neil or Deacon Eugene.

There is a Catholic Mass held in the hospital chapel at Eastbourne (2nd floor, next to Michelham Ward) every Friday at 3:00pm. Members of the public are also welcome to attend this Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration at Christ the King & St Joachim

Following your excellent response to the appeal for new members to join the Apostolate, Eucharistic Adoration will take place in both churches as follows:

St. Joachims; Wednesdays from 9.00am to 10.00am.

(Starting July 11th).

Christ the King; Fridays from 1.00pm to 7.00pm (starting July 13th).

Christ the King; Saturdays from 9.00am to 10.00am.

Contact Christine: 487883

Matthew 25 Mission

The food box is now under the table on the Lady chapel side of the church.

There will be CDs and DVDs on sale in support of the work of Matthew 25.

Help in the Parish

After many years of great support to this parish Frank Hennelly is stepping down from doing the hall bookings. It's will be impossible to replace Frank but we do need one or two people who are willing to pick up the reigns from Frank - it is part of a vital ministry for the community.

Please speak to Fr Neil or Deacon Eugene.

Missio Red Boxes at St Joachim

If you have a red box which needs emptying please bring it in during June and July. Do not leave any boxes in the porch of the Church. Please make sure your name and address are on the box. Many thanks Tony McWall

Missio Red Boxes at Christ the King

Thank you for your generous donations, which have amounted to £1012.84 for the year. All mission boxes are available from the table in the church entrance. Many Thanks, Tony Blackwell.

Christ the King's Choir

We are looking for members of the worshipping community to join and support the choir. If you are interested introduced yourself to those already in the choir and sit behind them for a couple of weeks. Once you are happy with what is involved then you can slot in alongside the present choir members.

Fr Thomas Mason will official start in the parish on the feast of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 15th August. It is also a day of obligation so there will be two masses in the parish, 10am at St Joachim's, after which there will be a Bar-B-Q, and 7.30pm mass at Christ the King. Can we have a simple welcome party for Fr Thomas Mason after the evening mass, please?

