

**The Catholic Parish
Christ the King & St Joachim**

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Fr Neil, Fr Thomas and Deacon Eugene would like to thank everyone for their support, gifts and prayers over the Christmas Season.

Happy Christmas to all!

Matthew 25 would be pleased to receive Christmas treats for the needy. The box is at the back of Christ The King church. All contributions appreciated.

Used stamps. Please hand in any use stamps over the Christmas period. They can be recycled and any money raised will go towards cancer research. There is a box at the back of Christ the King church.

Knights of St Columba wish to thank all for their participation in the Christmas Pointsettia sale. It was a great success - over 122 sold- which means we can make a substantial donation to Children with Cancer.

Diocesan Directories for 2020 are available at the back of the church. They contain information about priests, deacons, parishes, convents, schools and Mass times in our diocese. Price : £5.

Christmas Mass times

**Christ the King
24th December**

4.30pm Children's Xmas Liturgy
9.00pm First Mass of Christmas
11.30pm Midnight Mass (Divine Worship)

25th December
11.00am Mass

**St Joachim
24th December**

6.30pm First Mass of Christmas (with Children's liturgy)
25th December
10.00am Mass

Lumen Christi group: for those teenagers in Years 9, 10 and 11 wishing to explore the faith and perhaps seek Confirmation. Applications for the Retreat must be handed in by 31st December. The first meeting (with parents) is on Friday 10th January at 7:30pm at St Agnes.

Pantomime : This year's performance is Robinson Crusoe - a great story with all the traditional gags and lots of sing-along songs to gladden every heart. Performances will be on Saturday 25th Jan at 7.00pm, Sunday 26th Jan at 3.00pm. Tickets : £5 adults, £2 children under 14, on sale this weekend after Mass at Christ the King and St Jo's. Also by calling Chris and Julia : 01323.507712.

Parish lunch. There will be a lunch after the 11.30 Mass on January 5th; please come along and celebrate the Epiphany and the New Year as a parish. Lunch will be provided - chicken, jacket potato, side salad : £1.50. (£5 per family) Tea and coffee available. There is a list at the back of the church to sign up so we know the numbers.

Justice & Peace Assembly: 'Still No Room at the Inn?' How can we respond to the homelessness crisis today? Sat. 25th January, at the St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley (DABCEC). Doors open 9.30 am. Free event. Introduced by Bishop Richard, with Speakers from Turning Tides, Homelink, Crawley Open House, Life Housing, Caritas Portsmouth, and more. Stalls and stands. Drinks provided - bring own cup/ mug. Limited parking. Bookings at Rosie.Read@abdiocese.org.uk

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Sacramental Confession on Saturday 9-10am as well as either before or after most Masses; please ask Fr Neil or Fr Thomas

For enquiries for baptism, first communion, confirmation, and marriages please speak to either Fr Neil, Fr Thomas or Deacon Eugene and also ring the office. Tel. 01323 760048

Parish Hall Bookings
Enquiries: 01323 760048

website <https://christthekingchurch.org.uk>

Facebook page: Christ The King with St Joachim, Eastbourne

Banking Matters

For parishioners who would like to set up a monthly standing order with their bank to cover their regular offertory to the Parish our bank details are:

CTK - Sort Code: 40-05-20
Account No: 91127012

St. Joachim's - Sort Code: 40-05-20 Account No: 51077058.

Last Sunday's Offertory :
CTK. : £268.73
St Jo's : £200.48
Average Weekly Standing Order :
CTK : £180
St Jo's : £170

Mass Attendance :
CTK. : 184
St Jo's : 104

Eucharistic Adoration
St Joachim :
Wed 9-10am

Christ the King :
Thursday : 7-8.00pm
Fri : 1.00pm-7.00pm
Sat : 9-10am

| | Christmas Week | Mass Intentions |
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| Saturday December 21st | Confessions : 9-10am (CTK) 5.00pm Christ the King | Tony Crouch RIP |
| Sunday December 22nd | 8.00am. Christ the King 9.30am St Joachim | Private Intention Good estate of Denis Lineham |
| Fourth Sunday of Advent | 11.30am Christ the King 4.00pm St Agnes | McDonagh & Lyon families Divine Worship |
| Monday December 23rd | 10.00am Christ the King 7.30pm Our Lady of Ransom | Mass Divine Worship |
| Tuesday December 24th Christmas Eve | 7.30am Christ the King 4.30pm Children's Lit. CTK 6.30pm St Joachim 9.00pm. Christ the King 11.30pm Christ the King | Private intention Mass Marjorie Worsley RIP Midnight Mass (Divine Worship) |
| Wednesday December 25th Christmas Day | 10.00am. St Joachim 11.00am. Christ the King | Patricia McCardle RIP Patrick & Eileen Neville RIP |
| Thursday December 26th St Stephen | 10.00am. Christ the King | Holy Souls |
| Friday December 27th St John | 10.00am. Christ the King | Mass |
| Saturday December 28th Holy Innocents | Confessions : 9-10.00am (CTK) 5.00pm Christ the King | Mass |
| Sunday Dec 29th Feast of the Holy Family | 9.30am St Joachim 11.30am Christ the King 4.00pm St Agnes | Mass Peter Williams RIP Divine Worship |

We pray for :

Chris Gimmons, Don Wilkins, Mary Bateman, Thelma Kemp, Stuart McCarthy, Sheila Douds, Helena Sagnelia, Peter Sollis, Frankie Farrell, Daisy Kelly, Sue & Mick O'Driscoll, Eddie Burke, Rene Cook, Gill Cooke, Jan Blake, Sandra McMeekin, David Dwyer, Eileen Kehoe, Diana Smith, Pat Raper, Colleen Stock, Sr Mary Keiley, Charles El Mawas, Jane Hollands, Kirina Blaty, Moira Morrison
For the deceased. Patrick Bowker, recently dead, & for all our deceased relatives relatives & friends RIP



200 Club

Supports the Sisters of Mercy in Kenya, and The Infant Jesus Sisters in Nigeria

December Winners :
47 Corazon Felicitas (£50)
82 Eileen Neil (£50)
37 Eugene Adams (£25)
197 Marie Williams (£25)
65 Peggy Welsh (£25)
53. David Hellicar (£25)