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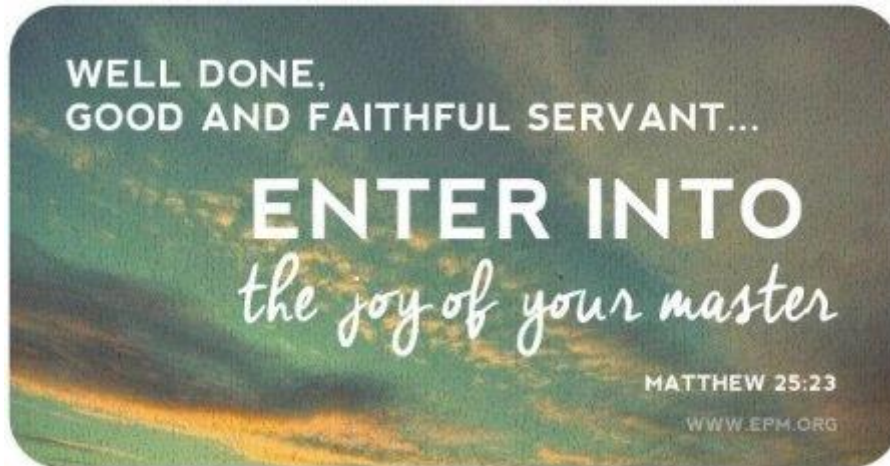
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Sunday 19th November 2023

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A



Christ the Prince of Peace (Weybridge)

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 18th November Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 32	9:10 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	The Rosary Reconciliation (Vigil) Evening Mass Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Hoskins and Crowley Families
Sunday 19th November Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>World Day of the Poor</i>	9:00 am 10:30 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	Morning Mass People of the Parish Morning Mass Ralph Catwell R.I.P. And Raymond & Lynda Clarke R.I.P. Confirmation: Session Three (for Candidates) Evening Mass Sam & Marie Ramasawmy R.I.P. Confirmation: Mass of Enrolment
Monday 20th November Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 33	9:10 am 10:00 am	The Rosary Morning Mass Intentions of Sally Bennett And John Pinto R.I.P. Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 12:00 noon
Tuesday 21st November Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8:40 am 10:00 am	St. George's Junior 'Christ the King' School Mass In Thanksgiving NO Rosary Eucharistic Adoration until 9:00 pm
Wednesday 22nd November St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Pepper Families And Chris Glover R.I.P.
Thursday 23rd November Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 33	9:10 am 10:00 am	The Rosary Funeral Mass for Anthony Docherty R.I.P. NO Evening Mass And NO Medjugorje Prayer Group
Friday 24th November (Day of Abstinence) St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs (Martyrs of Vietnam)	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Intentions of Tim & Jennifer Simpson
Saturday 25th November Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 33	9:10 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	The Rosary Reconciliation (Vigil) Evening Mass In Thanksgiving

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LIVE STREAMING

Please go to the parish website www.cpp.org.uk/ to join us for live streamed Masses and prayers. You can also catch up on streamed Masses by going to our channel on YouTube *cpp weybridge*

The live streamed Mass this Sunday will be at 10:30 am

We also live stream Mass from Monday to Friday, and the rosary Monday to Saturday.

SECOND COLLECTION

Retiring Collection today for Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund

(Diocesan Gift Aid envelopes may be used)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 25th November - *Advent Wreath Making Workshop*

Monday 27th November – *Talk: Understanding the Mass*

Friday 1st December - *Royal Holloway Advent/Christmas Concert*

Wednesday 6th December – *Talk: How to Pray Well*

Tuesday 12th December – *Advent Reconciliation*

Parish Bank Details For Online Contributions

Name: RCD A&B CPP Weybridge

Sort Code: 40 - 05 - 20

A/C No: 8107 7201

Please put in a reference when contributing e.g. Collection, Mass Stipend, Parish Charity: MOM (Momentum), KIMBO (Project Kimbo)

Any queries, please e-mail: weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk

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Your parish has gifted you with full access to the entire library of Word on Fire's feature-length films, and short engaging series through Word on Fire Digital. Click the button below to browse all titles and watch on-demand.



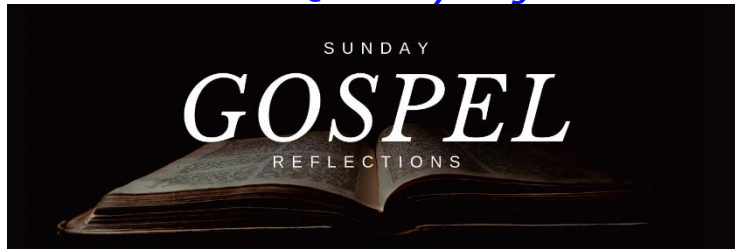
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Sunday, November 19, 2023 / Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time / Matthew 25:14-30

Friends, today's Gospel is the parable of the talents. I want to share the interpretation of Fr. Robert Schoenstene, the best I've ever heard. He says that in ancient times a single talent might represent as much as fifty pounds of silver or gold.

This heaviness would have brought to the mind of a Jewish reader the heaviest weight of all, the *kabod* of Yahweh. The *kabod* was to be found in the temple, resting upon the mercy seat within the Holy of Holies. Therefore, what was heaviest of all was the mercy of God, which abided in infinite abundance in the temple.

So the talents are a share in the mercy of God, a participation in the weightiness of the divine love. But since mercy is always directed to the other, these "talents" are designed to be shared. They will increase precisely in the measure that they are given away.

Buried in the ground, hugged tightly to oneself, such a talent necessarily evanesces. And this is why the master's seemingly harsh words should only be read as an expression of spiritual physics: the divine mercy will grow in you only inasmuch as you give it to others.

Bishop Robert Barron

Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word

Saturday 20 January 2024

Bishop Richard will lead a day of reflection and formation for Ministers of the Word at Sacred Heart Church, Cobham, 11-4pm. Including Lectio Divina and Mass, plus talks on Sacred Scripture, the Liturgy of the Word, the Lectionary, and practical aspects of the ministry.

Please register using the link [Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word \(20-Jan-2024\) · ChurchSuite Events](#)

Nursery applications for St Charles Borromeo Nursery School are now being accepted

Please could all applications be submitted by the 31st January. If you have a child who will be 3 years old by next September and you would like them to attend the St Charles Nursery, please complete the Nursery Application Form found online at www.stcharlesb.surrey.sch.uk.

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Please note that your child does not have to be a baptised Catholic in order to attend the Nursery. If you have any queries or require more information, please contact Alison McDonald in the school office on 01932 842617

School Admissions Policy

Every seven years, our parish primary school, St Charles Borromeo, is required to consult on its admissions policy. The time has come for it to do so again. The school has let the parish know about this consultation and now we are letting you, the parishioners, know. Full details on the consultation can be found here: <https://tinyurl.com/scb-admissions>



A Prayer for Peace

Lord Jesus Christ,
You are the true King of peace.
In You alone is found freedom.
Please free our world from conflict.
Bring unity to troubled nations.
Let Your glorious peace reign in every heart.
Dispel all darkness and evil.
Protect the dignity of every human life.
Replace hatred with Your love.
Give wisdom to world leaders.
Free them from selfish ambition.
Eliminate all violence and war.

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Glorious Virgin Mary,
Saint Michael the Archangel,
Every angel and saint:
Please pray for peace.
Pray for unity amongst nations.
Pray for unity amongst all people.
Pray for the most vulnerable.
Pray for those suffering.
Pray for the fearful.
Pray for those most in need.
Pray for us all.

Refugee Tales London Walk

25 November 10.45am-4pm

Join a 7 mile walk in solidarity with refugees, asylum seekers and people who have been held in immigration detention. The itinerary includes the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park & River Lee, navigating to Springfield Park, Clissold Park and Gillespie Park, before ending at Finsbury Park station. See the full walk programme [here](#). **Book your place on this walk here** Cost £6.13.

**Christ Prince of Peace
Annual Christmas
Carol Concert**

Proceeds shared
between Momentum
Children's Charity
and Royal Holloway
Founders Choir

*The Royal Holloway
Founders Choir
and Brass Band*

FRIDAY, 1ST DECEMBER, 7:00PM
DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM
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Mulled Wine and Homemade Minced Pies Included!	Tickets Adults £10, Students £5 under 12's Free
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To book tickets email
cpppastoralassistant@gmail.com
and pay online

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Reference - MOM Carol Concert

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Confirmation 2024

The next session for candidates for confirmation will take place **this Sunday 19th November at 5:00 pm** in the parish hall – followed by Mass of Enrolment at 6:00 pm in the church.

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CPP Encounter Course: Growing in our Faith

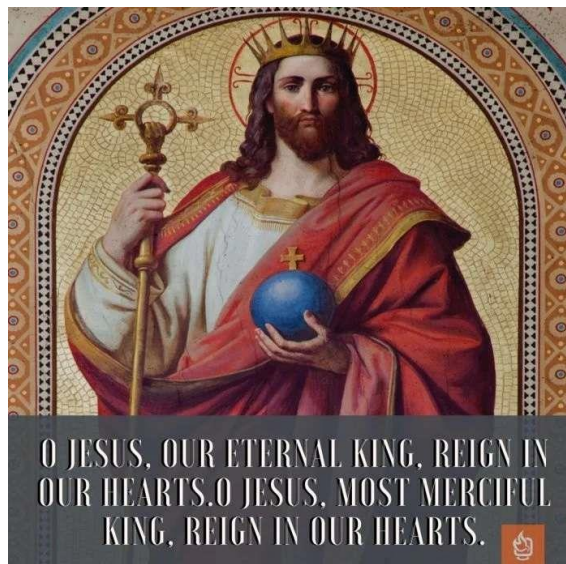
All parishioners are welcome to attend our next talk on **Understanding the Mass** which will take place on **Monday 27th November at 7:30 pm** in the parish hall. Our speaker will be Fr. Con.



Invited

The Diocese of Arundel & Brighton are delighted to be hosting a series of short films to help you prepare this Advent. Each episode will take you on a journey through the themes of the Advent readings, and there are a great selection of guest speakers. They are also offering the opportunity for you to join an online small group where you can watch and then discuss the films with others, growing in fellowship and praying with like-minded people.

Simply visit www.abdiocese.org.uk to find out more.



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International Mass - Feast of Christ the King

Parish Feast Day Sunday 26th November 10:30 am Mass

To celebrate our parish feast day our 10:30 am Mass will have an even more international flavour, with hymns and prayers in various languages.

After Mass we would like to have cakes and deserts from different parts of the world. If you would like to stay for this part of the celebration, please bring along something sweet from your country to share!

Catholic Children's Society

CHRISTMAS GIFT APPEAL

WE WOULD BE SO GRATEFUL IF YOU CAN DONATE NEW:

- Clothes, socks, hats, gloves, hot water bottles
- Tea sets, dolls, dressing up costumes
- Art sets, crafts, stationery, science sets, magic sets, books
- Sports equipment (particularly footballs)
- Lego, building sets, Play-Doh, train sets
- Cuddly toys, blankets, baby dolls
- Toiletries, jewellery, technology, board games
- Gift vouchers e.g. (One4all, Love2Shop, Amazon, Argos, supermarkets etc.)

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Catholic Children's Society Christmas Gift Appeal

If you would like to donate a new toy to a child who otherwise receive a gift this Christmas, please **bring your gift to Mass on the weekend of 2nd / 3rd December** (1st Sunday of Advent).

Please see this poster for items that would be suitable.



Thank You from Friends of the Holy Land

Last weekend the parish donated £1,262 for the Olive Wood hand crosses. That means we can give 315 crosses to the sick, prisoners and those in need.

It also helps Christians in the Holy Land who make the crosses.

