



# Christ the Prince of Peace Newsletter

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## Deanery Website

[www.weybridgedeanery.org](http://www.weybridgedeanery.org)

## Mass Times

**Saturday (Vigil)** 6:00 pm

**Sunday** 9:00 am, 10:30 am

and 6:00 pm

**Monday - Wednesday** 10:00 am

**Thursday** 7:30 pm

**Friday** 12:00 noon

**Saturday** 10:00 am

## Holy Days of Obligation:

10:00 am and 8:00 pm

## Youth Mass:

6:00 pm 2nd Sunday of the Month

## Reconciliation Saturday:

10:30 am - 11:00 am

and 5:30 pm - 5:50 pm

**The Arundel and Brighton  
Trust is a Registered  
Charity No. 252878**

**Sunday 15th March 2020**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Cycle A (Sundays) and Year II (Weekdays)**

## Psalter Week 3

Many of us have been through years of education and spiritual formation of one kind or another. During those years we have had many teachers and spiritual guides. These worked hard at providing us with the waters of knowledge, waters drawn from their own or other people's wells. But we still thirsted. If only our teachers had helped us to find our own well, how much further on we would now be.

It seems that this is what Jesus did for the Samaritan woman. Every so gently he showed her that up to now she had been looking for the

right thing (love), but in the wrong places. Then he told her that he could give her the 'water' that would quench her thirst for love and meaning in life. Where was this water to come from? Surprisingly it was to come from inside herself. The spring was already there. It was just that up to now it had been hidden and blocked off.

Christ made people aware of their own emptiness, but didn't leave it at that. He showed them how to begin to fill this emptiness, not from without, but from within.

Oh, that we may find the inner well, the well that lies hidden under the moss in our hearts. Then we won't have to be running here, there and everywhere in search of spiritual nourishment. We will have an unfailing source inside us. We must believe that this well is really there.

Where is this inner spring? It is the life of God bubbling up inside us. The discovery of God is like a spring within us. A spring from which we can drink and refresh ourselves. A spring which bubbles up into eternal life.

*Fr Flor McCarthy SDB*

## Coronavirus Update – Instructions from the Diocese this week -

- Advise those most vulnerable (elderly, people with weakened immune systems and long-term conditions like cancer, diabetes and heart disease) to refrain from large parish gatherings and stay at home.
- Cease use of shared hymn books and missals which could help transmit the virus.
- Ask anyone with cold or flu symptoms to refrain from attending Liturgy, public events, nor attend the sacrament of reconciliation if symptomatic (They may have an ordinary cold but equally it is important to ensure a precautionary approach).
- Do not pass the collection plate around.

We remember to keep in our prayers all those affected by the virus and all who are suffering from any illness at this time.

*There is a thirst in every human heart.  
Each of us is like that lonely Samaritan woman.  
We are thirsting for something,  
Something that will satisfy all our longings.  
But often we search in the wrong places.*

*We draw water from many wells:  
The water of praise to quench our thirst for self-esteem;  
The water of success to quench our thirst for importance;  
The water of pleasure to quench our thirst for joy...  
But we still get thirsty.*

*Only God can give us what we are looking for.  
He alone can cause a spring to well up inside us.  
The water from this spring will sustain us*

## Eucharistic Adoration

**Monday** 10:00 am - 10:00 pm

**Tuesday** 10:00 am - 10:00 pm

**Wednesday** 7:00 am - 7:00 pm

**Friday** 11:00 am - 12:00 noon

**Saturday** 10:00 am - 12:00 noon

## Rosary

**Monday - Friday** 9.10 am

## Rosary Prayer Group

(in Polish) **Saturday** 7:15 pm

## Medjugorje Prayer Group

**Thursday** 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm

## Christian Meditation

**Tuesday** 9:00 am - 9:40 am

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## Catholic Schools in the Parish

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If you would like to receive the parish weekly newsletter by e-mail, please sign up via the parish website

[www.cpp.org.uk](http://www.cpp.org.uk)

Standing Order and Gift Aid Forms for your offering to the parish are available on the website.

Please complete and give in to the Parish Office.

## CONFIRMATION 2020

The next session for the young people is this **Tuesday 24th March at 7.30 pm** in the hall.

For more details e-mail [cppconfirmation@gmail.com](mailto:cppconfirmation@gmail.com)

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020

The next meeting for the children is **Thursday 19th March at 5.30 pm** in the hall.

For more details e-mail [cppfhc@gmail.com](mailto:cppfhc@gmail.com)

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 24th March	Lent Reconciliation
Friday 27th March	'A Tour of Big Ben' - in aid of TCP
Friday 3rd April	CAFOD Lunch
14th -18th April	Family pilgrimage to Belgium
Sunday 19th April	Divine Mercy Sunday
29th May - 4th June	Camino
15th - 23rd September	Holy Land Pilgrimage

## SUGGESTIONS OF THINGS TO 'TAKE ON' IN LENT AND EASTER

- Eucharistic Adoration: Mondays & Tuesdays 10 am - 10 pm, Wednesdays: 7am - 7 pm
- Fridays at 11.15 am: Stations of the Cross followed by Mass at 12 noon followed by 30 minutes of Eucharistic Adoration.
- Weekday Mass

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We are in need of more Adorers for Mondays, 7 - 8 pm. If you could help, please contact Mary in the parish office.

We have also been advised that sometimes people are arriving very late for their scheduled hour, which is causing anxiety to those who are due to leave, who feel they can't do so until their replacement arrives.

## THE JOURNEY TO 2030

*'The earth, our home, is beginning to look more and more like an immense pile of filth... Many things have to change course, but it is we human beings above all who need to change... A great cultural, spiritual and educational challenge stands before us, and it will demand that we set out on the long path of renewal'. Laudato Si, Pope Francis*

This week's suggestion: Water: turn off the tap while you clean your teeth. Try turning off the shower while you lather up. Rinse after.

Ciaran Pantlin is to be baptised here this weekend.  
Please keep him and his family in your prayers.



I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

## PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

## OTHER EVENTS & NOTICES

### GRANDMOTHERS' PRAYERS

A prayer group, based on Mothers' Prayers, will be held in the Fr Charles Room starting on Wednesday 18th March from 11 am - 12 noon. If you would be interested in joining this group, please see Mary in the Parish office for a booklet.

### MASS WITH THE KNIGHTS & DAMES OF THE EQUESTRIAN ORDER OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE OF JERUSALM

**Saturday 21st March, 11 am:** All parishioners are very welcome to this Mass, with principal celebrant Fr Gerard Hetherington, KCHS. The Order is a charity which supports the Christians in the Holy Land by prayers, financial aid and pilgrimages.

### MOTHER'S DAY CAKE SALE

**Sunday 22nd March:** After the 9am and 10.30am Masses - come along and buy delicious cakes and buns in aid of The Clubhouse Project.

### LENT RECONCILIATION SERVICE

**Tuesday 24th March, 7 - 9 pm.** A number of visiting priests will be available.

### 'A TOUR OF BIG BEN'

**Friday 27th March, 7 pm:** in the parish hall –with Tim Redmond. Tim has worked for several years as a guide within the Palace of Westminster specialising in tours of Big Ben. Tickets at £15 (including cheese and a glass of wine) are available from the parish office and the evening is in aid of The Clubhouse Project. There will also be a raffle and proceeds to St James' Church, who suffered a break in recently and we would like to give them our support.

### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

**Sunday 19th April, 2.15 pm:** Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation, **3 pm:** Divine Mercy Chaplet, following by Mass at **3.15 pm** (celebrant Fr Andrew Ebrahim SDB). For more details please email [wey.medj@gmail.com](mailto:wey.medj@gmail.com)

### PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

**September 15th - 23rd:** Staying in Jerusalem and at the Sea of Galilee. Cost £1,950 (approx. per person sharing). It is always expensive to go to the Holy Land but a great thing to do at least once in our lives. For more details e-mail [carmennarbona57@gmail.com](mailto:carmennarbona57@gmail.com)

## PARISH NOTICES

### REPOSITORY NEWS

First Communion and Confirmation cards are now on sale in the Repository. There is also a good selection of religious cards and objects. Do come in and have a look around.

### CAFOD

Many thanks to those who gave so generously to the CAFOD Lenten Fast Day collection - over £1000 was raised.

### FHL BOXES

Please could you return these over the coming weeks - either to the parish office or to the Sacristy after weekend Masses. Thank you for those who have already returned theirs.

### ALL OUR YESTERDAYS SERVICE

**Tuesday 17th March, 2.30 pm:** at St James' Church, Weybridge. An informal service lasting 30 minutes which ideal for those with dementia, their carers and anyone who likes tea and cake. Everyone welcome as there are many lonely people and the social time after the service is just as important as a remembrance of times past.

### AN INTRODUCTION TO TAIZÉ FOR YOUNG ADULTS (16-24)

**Tuesday 17th March, 7 pm:** At Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall, Hampton Court Way, Thames Ditton KT7 0LP - over a simple shared meal, 2 volunteers from the Taizé community in France will talk about their life and about the international meetings of young people held there every week through the summer months. All welcome but please let us know you are coming and any dietary needs : [office@olchurch.org.uk](mailto:office@olchurch.org.uk)

### MUNCH WITH MOZART (and other great composers)

**Wednesday 8th April, 12.30 pm:** Monthly organ recital at the United Reformed Church. Bring your sandwiches, relax and listen to the music. Free entry with retiring collection in aid of Parkinsons. Tea & Coffee available. **For your diary:** The next recitals are 13th May, 10th June, 8th July, 12 August and 9th September.

### IGNITE: Teenage Retreats

**8th - 10th May** at Worth Abbey. Ignite retreats are faith filled, fun packed weekends for teens held at Worth Abbey. They are all about getting to know God better whilst having lots of fun and making friends. Expect talks, discussion, silly activities, games, sports, drama, yummy food and lots of laughter. The retreats are run by myself (Jess) and a great team of young adults. For further info email [Jsmith@wellspringbrighton.org.uk](mailto:Jsmith@wellspringbrighton.org.uk) To book email [toc@worth.org.uk](mailto:toc@worth.org.uk)

### PILGRIMAGE OF REPARATION & CONSECRATION

**Saturday 18th July:** at the Church of Our Lady of Consolation & St Francis, West Grinstead, RH13 8LT with Fr Terry Martin. 12 noon Mass followed by personal consecration to Our Lady. 1 pm - lunch (please bring packed lunch), 2 pm Rosary, 2.30pm Exposition, 3 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3.30 pm Benediction, 4.15 Departure. Opportunities for confession in the afternoon.

### OCCASIONAL ACCOUNTANT NEEDED

**St John's Seminary, Womersley**, is looking for an accountant - possibly one day a month or 3 days a quarter - to consolidate the income/expenditure of its Book-keeper/Finance Office in line with the annual budget. The Seminary Financial year runs from August to July and the accounts are audited externally in September. Remuneration negotiable. For further details please contact Mgr Gerry Ewing at [vice-rector@womersley.org](mailto:vice-rector@womersley.org)

### ST CHARLES SCHOOL

If you shop at M&S and spend £20 on food, they are giving a gardening kit - if you get one and don't need it, the school would be very happy to receive any. Follow this link for more information: [https://www.marksandspencer.com/c/food-to-order/little-garden?intid=gnav\\_Food\\_ThisisnotjustFood\\_LittleGarden](https://www.marksandspencer.com/c/food-to-order/little-garden?intid=gnav_Food_ThisisnotjustFood_LittleGarden)

# Mass Times, Intentions and Diary for the Week Ahead

	MASS TIME	MASS INTENTIONS		DIARY
SATURDAY 14th March	10 am	Theodora Sarmiento RIP	7 pm	St Patrick's Night Celebration (Hall)
	6 pm	Deceased relatives of the Doyle & Chambers families		
SUNDAY 15th March THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT <i>Exodus 17:3-7; Romans 5:1-2,5-8; John 4:5-42</i>	9 am	Charles Gal RIP		
	10.30 am	People of the Parish		
	6 pm	Intentions of Michael Olele		
MONDAY 16th March	10 am	Mark Hatton RIP	10.am - 10 pm 10.30 am	Eucharistic Adoration Tea/Coffee in the Canon Francis Room: all welcome.
TUESDAY 17th March <i>St Patrick, Bishop, Missionary</i>	10 am	Liam Hare RIP	10 am - 10 pm 8 pm	Eucharistic Adoration SVP (Hall) No Chess Club this week
WEDNESDAY 18th March	10am	Jill Davies RIP	7 am - 7 pm 11 am	Eucharistic Adoration Grandmothers' Prayers (Fr Charles room)
THURSDAY 19th March <i>St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	7.30 pm	Intentions of the Gonzalez family	5.30 pm	First Communion children (Hall)
			7.30 pm	Gospel Choir (Hall)
			8 pm	Medjugorje Prayer Group
FRIDAY 20th March	12 noon	Paul Littleton RIP	11.15 am 12.30 - 1 pm	Stations of the Cross Eucharistic Adoration
SATURDAY 21st March	11 am	Ita Evers RIP		<b>No Reconciliation:</b> (Mass at 11 am this morning with the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre)
	6 pm	Vocations		
SUNDAY 22nd March FOURTH 'LAETARE' SUNDAY OF LENT <i>1 Samuel 16:1,6-7,10-13; Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9:1-41</i>	9 am	People of the Parish		Cakes sale in aid of TCP after 9am & 10.30am Masses.
	10.30 am	Rima Varniene & Sarunas Varnas RIP		
	6 pm	Paul Littleton RIP		

## 24 HOURS FOR THE LORD

A few years ago Pope Francis called upon each Diocese to hold 24 hours adoration during Lent. This year Holy Name Parish, Esher, have offered to host this time of prayer in our deanery. The address of the church is - The Holy Name, 42 Arbrook Lane, KT10 9EE. Adoration will begin on Friday 20th March at 6:00 pm and continue through the night until 6:00 pm Saturday 21st March. The theme this year is *'Yours sins are forgiven.'*

## NEW LOOP EQUIPMENT

We have installed a new loop device in the church which should help people who use the loop system to hear more clearly. Various tests indicate that the best sound is available to those who sit near the centre of the church

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

**FRIDAY MORNINGS AT 11.15 am IN THE CHURCH  
FOLLOWED BY 12 NOON MASS & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 12.30 - 1 PM** Members of the following parish groups will lead the Stations of the Cross

Friday 20th March

Friday 27th March

Friday 3rd April

Catenians & Readers

SVP - St Vincent de Paul

Justice & Peace & FHL

(Friends of the Holy Land)