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Christ the King, Year A

A warm welcome to anyone who is visiting our parishes this weekend and a special welcome to Fr Simon Chinery and Fr Bernard Scholes, who are celebrating Masses at Corpus Christi and Sacred Heart in my absence.

This Thursday we will be celebrating a Remembrance Mass at Sacred Heart. Both books of remembrance will be by the altar. All parishioners from both parishes are welcome.

If you haven't already seen it, there is a flyer detailing the Christmas Mass times and opportunities for Confession available at the back of Church. Please do take one.

Fr David.

We pray for:

The Sick and the Housebound in our parishes – We pray especially for John Bottali, Una Furlong, Rita Laverty, Adeline Lewis, Peter McDonald, Lana Ridley, Jeremy Blood, Susy Duxbury, Doug Mitchell, Shirley Blood, Patrick Foster, Christine Rickard, David Holden, Barbara Dixon, Georgette Regamey, Angela Gannon, Wendy Hinds, Michael Hornsby, Lily Butler and Molly Sunderland. May they receive healing and peace.

The Recently Deceased and Anniversaries—We pray for those who have recently died including: Sandy Byron, Derek Faulkoner, Denis Murray, Sheila O'Neill and those who anniversaries occur at this time, including Marie Tree-Brooker and John-Claude Bauy May they rest in peace.

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Parish Notices

Remembrance Mass - This Thursday 30th November at 7.30pm there will be a Mass of Remembrance at Sacred Heart Church for those loved ones who have gone before us. We will pray for all Holy souls, especially those in our books of Remembrance, that they may rest in peace. All parishioners from both parishes welcome!

Altar server training will be held at Sacred Heart on 2nd December at 2.00pm for existing servers and anyone new who has made their First Holy Communion. Please email Nicole in the office if you wish to attend.

St Thomas More Christmas Bazaar this weekend (Sunday 26th November), 12pm – 3pm. Please come along and support our school!

Corpus Christi Youth—Power Hour! For all in School Year 7 upwards, next Sunday (3rd December) with an hour of pizza, dice games and hot chocolate. Free entry. 2-3pm. For more info see Pete, Youth Worker. (Meets at Corpus Christi Church Hall).

Walk with Me—A Journey of Prayer through Advent 2017 is available at the back of both churches for £1. Please pick up your copy.

Darshan McGregor. Thank you to all who have purchased the Advent Prayer Calendar for Darshan. All proceeds will be going to help his family. If you would like to make any further donations then see the fundraising page online www.gofundme.com/darshanfightscancer Please pray for Darshan and his family.

Parish Diaries—Corpus Christi 2018 diaries are available at the back of the church.

Westminster Yearbooks 2018—are available at the back of both churches. Cost £4.50 or £5 (for ringbound). Please pick up your copy.

Do you support Catholic schools and the right of Catholics to send their children to them? Then we need you to make your voice heard. The Government is making a critical decision on whether to overturn the admissions cap which prevents Catholic schools from allowing all Catholic pupils to attend. They have acknowledged that this policy discriminates against Catholics and promised to abandon it; now we need you to tell them not to u-turn on their promise to Catholics. Visit <http://catholicnews.org.uk/>

Christmas Choir— We are putting together a choir to lead the music at the Christmas Masses at Sacred Heart (5pm on Christmas Eve and 9am on Christmas Day). The first rehearsal will be on Sunday 10th December at 7.30pm, the second Thursday 21st December at 7.30pm. If you are here at Christmas and would like to get involved, please email Jane Lavin janellavin@yahoo.co.uk to let her know which Mass/es you would like to sing at, by Monday 4th December.

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Christmas Community Concert on 2nd December 2017 from 7pm to 9pm at Victoria Hall, Akeman Street, Tring in aid of 'AgeUK Dacorum'. Featuring a choir from Dundale Primary School. Admission by ticket (purchased in advance). Price £5, under-16s £2.50. Tickets available from Beechwood Fine Foods, 42 Frogmore Street, Tring.

Carol Service in aid of the Hospice of St Francis on Sunday, 3rd December 2017 at 4pm at the Sacred Heart Church. Our final rehearsal is on Tuesday 28th November at 7.45pm. Please do come along on 3rd December to support our local hospice. AS well as our choir, the choirs from our schools, St Thomas More and JFK will be singing! Refreshments in the hall afterwards.

Attention all Seniors - Please sign up now for the Seniors' Christmas Lunch. The lunch will be held in the Sacred Heart Church Hall, 12pm-3pm, on Saturday 9th December. Sign up sheets at the back of the Sacred Heart or contact Pat Tonge on 01442 384899.

Service of Reconciliation—11th December at 7.30pm there will be a Service of Reconciliation at Sacred Heart where there will be an opportunity for Confession.

Christmas Decoration Workshop, Weds 13th December at 7.30pm at Corpus Christi. A choice of making door wreaths or table centre pieces, the cost will be £5. We will have refreshments of mulled wine, mince pies, coffee & teas. Please contact Annabelle: annabelle_halliday@hotmail.com or 07736 669019 for information.

The Passage is raising funds through the Big Give from 12pm (midday) Tues 28th November - 12pm Tues 5th December to support its work with homeless people this winter. **Double your Donation, Double your impact.** This is a matched giving scheme for online donations. For more information ring Andrew Hollingsworth 020 75921855 andrew.h@passage.org.uk

We need your Children! To take part in this year's Nativity to take place on Saturday 23 December 5.15pm before the 6pm Mass at Corpus Christi. It's fun, it's exciting but also it reminds your child what Christmas is really about! Please talk to Tricia if you would like your child to take part.

Memory of My Father—An art exhibition by Sacred Heart Parishioner, Jack Murray. The Brewery Shop, Berkhamsted 28th November-10th December. An exhibition inspired by the idea of a memory showing things that affect all our lives—family, love, history and war. Please come along.

Mass Times W/C 26th November 2017 (Christ the King)

Sat 25th Nov	10-10.30	Sacred Heart	Confessions
Sat 25th Nov	5.15pm	Corpus Christi	Confessions
Sat 25th Nov	6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Sun 26th Nov	8.30am	Sacred Heart	Patricia Saint RIP
Sun 26th Nov	10.15am	Sacred Heart	Holy Souls
Sun 26th Nov	12.00pm	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Mon 27th Nov	10.00am	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Tues 28th Nov	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Peggy Brampton RIP
Wed 29th Nov	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Lit of Word with Holy Communion
Thur 30th Nov	10.00am	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Fri 1st Dec	10.00am	Sacred Heart	People of the Parish
Sat 2nd Dec	10-10.30	Sacred Heart	Confessions
Sat 2nd Dec	5.15pm	Corpus Christi	Confessions
Sat 2nd Dec	6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Anna Donnelly RIP
Sun 3rd Dec	8.30am	Sacred Heart	Kathleen Murray RIP Anniv
Sun 3rd Dec	10.15am	Sacred Heart	Stanislaw Pawlowicz RIP Anniv
Sun 3rd Dec	12.00pm	Corpus Christi	People of the Parish

Parish Ministries 2nd/3rd Dec	6pm	8.30am	10.15am	12.00pm
Word	S Wright P Milton	V Uffindell	J Baker	
Eucharist	O Conway M Todd	M Millar L Waite J Dent	P Baker M Capes A Griffiths	
Counters	V Uffindell	A Furlong		

Last Week's Collection:

Sacred Heart: Loose £ 359.21 Envelopes £522.75 **Corpus Christi:** Loose £171.98 Envelopes £179.25, Building fund £39 **Thank you for your continued generosity, Fr David**