

# CORPUS CHRISTI, TRING

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A Page 125 in the Parish Mass Book

<u>First Reading - Isaiah 49:3, 5-6:</u> I will make you the light of the nations so that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth. The Lord said to me, 'You are my servant Israel, in whom I shall be glorified'.

<u>Responsoríal Psalm: Psalm 39:2, 4,7-10</u>: Here I am Lord! "I come to do your will"

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-3: May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you grace and peace.

Gospel: John 1:14, 12: Look, there is the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world.

<u>The Mass readings for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A</u> inspire us to think about the call to holiness and the need to declare that Jesus has died for our redemption. In the first reading, we hear of the "Servant Songs". The Psalm is a prayer of both thanksgiving and lament. The second reading evokes the call to holiness. The Gospel recalls the public actions of John the Baptist to identify Jesus as the Lamb of God. John the Baptist recalls the baptism of Jesus and that he saw the Spirit descend upon Jesus.

As Fr. Sean is away this weekend, Fr. Benedict will be celebrating the following Masses:

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> – 6.00 pm Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> – 5.00 pm Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> – 9.00 am & 10.30 am. N.B. <u>Fr. Sean will be back on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> morning, he will say Mass at 12.00 Noon</u>

<u>Mass Intentions – January</u>			<u>Síck Líst</u> The Síck and the Housebound in our parish – We pray especially for: Winifred Winstone, Elizabeth Le Juge de
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	5.00 pm	Thanksgiving	Segrais, Dhoon Casstells, Patrick Rice, Alison Marshall, Laurence Sherwood, Phyllis Edwards, John Tilcock, Michael Glencross, Nora Proctor, Alice Perry, Paul Donnelly, Andrew Reilly.
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	Eileen Gallaghar	
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am 12.00 Noon	Felicity & Elizabeth Anderson Marilyn Yarborough R.I.P.	
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Andrew Reilly	We pray for all who are recently deceased and their grieving families.
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Margaret Demidecki Anni.	If you wish to add a name to our sick list or the deceased list, please let Annabelle know
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Baptism: Tom Gerad Mongan	
	6.00 pm	Fr. Geoffrey Eneh R.I.P Anni	Stipend for Masses & Ton Up Club
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup>	5.00 pm	Nora Procter Int.	When paying for either a Mass Intention or your yearly Ton Up Club subscription on line, please can you put either Mass Intentions or Ton Up Club in the reference box. This will make it easier for me when I am reconciling the bank as to which nominal code I need to use.
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00 am	James Grealish	
	10.30 am	Private Intention	
As Fr. Sean is away from Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January, Fr. Benedict will be saying a Mass on Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> at 10.00 am, if you wish to have a Mass Intention on this day please let me know.			Many thanks, Annabelle.

Parish Priest – Fr Sean Thornton:<u>Seanthornton@rcdow.org.uk</u> Administrator: Annabelle Halliday: <u>tring@rcdow.org.uk</u> Office Hours: 9.00 am – 12.00 Noon – Mon, Wed & Fri 9am – 1.00 pm

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### Ministries for the weekend of Saturday/Sunday

<u>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> 5.00 pm</u> Reader: L Fabre Eucharistic Minister: J Brown

<u>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup></u> 9.00 am Reader: Paul Kelly Eucharistic Minister:

10.30 am Reader: N. Anderson Eucharistic Minister:

Sausage Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January – It's that time again! Delicious Sausages in a bap, excellent coffee and good company. Please join Margaret, Paul and James after the 9.00 am Mass and 10.30 Mass.

<u>Choir</u> – Tom would like to have a meeting with the people who are interested in joining the Choir, Tom was thinking next Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> at 7.00 pm in the Church. Please think about joining, Tring Parish love to sing and we do it well. Tom will be playing for the Sunday Masses this weekend; why not have a chat to him if you are thinking of joining.

Teacher of Maths (September 2023) Teacher of History (September 20023) Humanities Teacher / Cover Teacher (September 20023)

I would be grateful if you could post the link somewhere in your next newsletter: <u>https://strichardreynolds.org.uk/whole-college/vacancies-2/</u>

<u>Caroline Burmaster</u> is planning to attend the CAFOD session in North London on the afternoon of 1st February and would be very pleased if anyone else would like to travel with her. Please let me know if you would like to join Caroline and I will get her to contact you.

### Parish Safeguarding Representatives (PSRs) -

Sue Wright PSR: tringsg2@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

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### Church Offerings

If you are a weekly plate giver, would you please consider setting up a Standing Order.

Our bank details are as follows. Please do include your name as your reference. Thank you for your continued generosity and support to our parish, it is greatly appreciated.

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Standing Order Forms are at the back of the Church, if setting one up please remember to tick the Gift Aid box.



## Children's liturgy

Children's liturgy will be held in the hall during the Sunday 9 am Mass. The children listen to a reading, have a discussion and do a related craft activity. We go from the church to the hall before the start of mass and return for the offertory. Suitable for ages up to eight years old. Thank you, Ide Powell.

#### Mass Intentions

If you would like to book a Mass intention, please call the parish, e-mail, or see Annabelle. The Diocesan suggested offering is £10. Many thanks.

Mass envelopes are at the back of the church, please make sure your phone number is on the envelope. Many thanks.

#### <u>Dates for your Díary:</u>

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January – Sausage Sunday after the 9.00 am & 10.30 Mass.

The date below is free for a Mass Intention

Articles for the Newsletter - Please send any pieces for the Newsletter by Wednesday to tring@rcdow.org.uk

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