

Saint Anne's Chertsey - Parish Newsletter

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

14th January 2024

A Christian community inspired by the Salesian ideals of Saint John Bosco

Sunday Masses 8.30am & 11:30am

Peace Sunday 14th January

On 21st January First Holy Communion Groups enrol.

Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity commences on Thursday.

Last Week

Offertory Collection inc. Gift Aid:
£605.48. *Special Collection for
Palestine & Gaza relief: £240.97p*
Thank you for your generosity.

Crib Collection 2023-24

St. Anne's collected £258.11 for the
Catholic Children's Society.

Thank you all.

Sunday: Peace Sunday

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Refreshments are served after the
11.30am Mass.

Monday

9:30am Mass
6pm FHC preparation in Savio Centre
Group C (Fr. Graham)

Tuesday

9:30am Mass

Wednesday *St Antony Abbot*

No Mass: Church closed

7:30pm Legion of Mary meet in the
Savio Centre

Thursday

9.30am Mass, followed by
Exposition & Mothers' Prayers.
*6.30pm FHC preparation in Savio Centre:
Group B (Theresa) second session.*

Friday

9:30am Mass

Saturday

10.00am Mass, followed by Exposition
& Confessions
*FHC preparation in Savio Centre:
10.30am: (Pauline) second session.*

Mass Intentions

<u>Sun</u>	8.30am	People of the Parish
<u>Sun</u>	11.30am	Rosemary & Tony Ricci Int.
<u>Mon</u>	9.30am	Neal Lauron RIP
<u>Tue</u>	9.30am	Mary Fitzgerald RIP
<u>Thu</u>	9.30am	Angela Flanagan Int.
<u>Fri</u>	9.30am	Dec. Mems. Fitzgerald Family RIP
<u>Sat</u>	10.00am	Philip Ryan RIP
<u>Sun</u>	8.30am	People of the Parish
<u>Sun</u>	11.30am	Dec. Mems Kenny Family RIP

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Sat 20th January: 11am: Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word: with Bishop Richard at Sacred Heart Church, Cobham

Next Sunday 21st January 2024

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday of the Word of God

First Holy Communion Enrolment at both masses for Groups A & B & C

Prayers for Christian Unity Octave.

We welcome Fr Gerry Briody SDB on

Provincial Visitation in Chertsey during

21st-25th January

Thank you: for the comprehensive packing away of Christmas decorations on 7th & 8th January.

Thank you also: *for your presence in following Bishop Richard's webinar last Wednesday. This webinar is available on our Diocesan website..*

Prayers please:

For John & Barbara Mills and all our housebound parishioners.

For Jim Cummins~in hospital~ and Jane.

For Nora O'Brien RIP and for the comfort of the family. Funeral Mass 25th January

Prayers & Blessings:

for Stiphiya and Jithin, who celebrate the sacrament of marriage in Kerala, India on Thursday 25th January. Congratulations!

Forthcoming:

First Holy Communion Groups A B C enrol at the masses next Sunday 21st January

24th January: Feast of St Francis de Sales: *there will be 9.30am Mass.*

25th Jan: Co-operators' Meeting: 7.30pm

27th Jan: Justice & Peace Assembly

10am-1.30pm St Philip Howard Crawley

3rd February: Catenian Day of

Recollection at Ladywell, Godalming

10th February: Day of Reflection for

Ministers of the Eucharist 11-4pm at St Michael's, High Salvington, Worthing.



Synod Next Steps-Towards the 2024 Assembly: October 2024:

We are asked to submit our observations by May 2024.

<https://www.synod.va/en/synodal-process/the-universal-phase/towards-the-2024-assembly.html>

The four-page booklet or group questions are available from our Sacristy.

Gift Aid:

Please consider signing up for Gift Aid.

This becomes a significant source of extra income and supports the funding and development of our parish, each week, every week. I'm grateful for the application forms which are still coming in.

Baptism Preparation

I'm contacting families who have applied for their child to be baptised, to arrange preparation sessions during the later weeks of January. You must hand in an application form- you need to ask for one from Sacristy.

This Sunday is Peace Sunday

Each quarter we post the Newsletters from Pax Christi on the boards in Church Porch. Peace Sunday prayers from Pax Christi are available in the porch.

Marriage Applications: a gentle reminder

Our Diocese expect couples to give twelve months' notice, and only to agree dates for the Service and Reception with the parish priest. Thanks for remembering this.