

Saint Anne's Chertsey - Parish Newsletter

24th December 2023: Fourth Sunday in Advent and Christmastide begins.

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

Christmas Eve Mass 8.30am and 11:30am. **Midnight Mass please be seated by 11.30pm.**
Crib Collection for the Catholic Children's Society. Christmas Morning 8.30am and 11.30am

This Sunday is Christmas Eve

The Fourth Sunday of Advent.
8:30am Mass & 11.30am Mass
11.30pm: Carols followed by
12.00pm: **Midnight Mass**

Christmas Day ~Monday

8:30am Dawn Mass
11.30am Daytime Mass

St Stephen's Day ~Boxing Day

Tuesday ~Public Holiday~ Feast Day
10.30am Mass.

St John Apostle & Evangelist

No mass on Wednesday: rest day.

Thursday 28th December

The Holy Innocents
9:30am Mass. *No adoration today.*

Friday 29th December

St. Thomas of Canterbury
9:30am Mass

Saturday 30th December

10.00am Mass.
No exposition & no confessions

Sunday 31st The Holy Family

Masses 8.30am & 11.30am.



Mass Intentions 24th -31st December 2023

Sun 8.30am Patrick & Annie McDonagh RIP

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

Sun 12.00 midnight: People of the Parish

Mon 8.30am People of the Parish

Mon 11.30am People of the Parish

Tues 10.30am Phelim Dolan RIP

Thu 9.30am Fernando & Dina Gattoni RIP

Fri 9.30am John Cox RIP anniv

Sat 10.00am Catherine Sykes RIP

Sun 8.30am Veronica & Alan Hutchins

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

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The parish is part of the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton: Registered Charity No. 252878

Monday 1st January 2024
Mary, Mother of God Solemnity

10.30am Mass

Tuesday 2nd January 2024

SS Basil the Great & Gregory

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9:30am Mass

Wednesday 3rd January 2024

Feria in Christmastide: *no mass*

Thursday 4th January 2024

Feria in Christmastide:

9.30am Mass

Friday 5th January 2024

Feria in Christmastide:

9.30am Mass

Saturday 6th January

Feria in Christmastide:

10.00am Mass

**Mass Intentions 31st December-7th
January 2024**

Sun 8.30am Veronica & Alan Hutchins

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

Mon 10.30am Dorothea Gray Int.

Tue 9.30am Ken & Barbara Greaney Int.

Thu 9.30am Alex Ryan Int.

Fri 9.30am Philip & Chloe Huynh RIP

Sat 10.00am Sick & Housebound Int.

Sun 8.30am Brian & Pat Barnes Int.

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

The Epiphany of the Lord:

Sunday 7th January

8.30am Mass & 11.30am Mass

The Baptism of the Lord

Monday 8th January 2023

9.30am Mass

The Christmas season ends, and Christmas decorations are removed at the Baptism of the Lord.

A big thank you

for all those who contribute to the care of our church and our parish community throughout the year and especially at Christmas time.

Confirmation Applications
please return your application form to the Sacristy, by Sunday 31st December 2023- thank you!



Bishop Richard has written a new Pastoral Plan for the Diocese which will be released in the New Year: 'The Word Who is Life: The Call to Mission'. As society becomes more secular our parishes must be ever-clearer beacons of light guiding people to Christ. The new Plan highlights how our community of faith can embrace this important time of renewal, forging diocesan parishes into communities of saints and strong, lively, and welcoming schools of discipleship. The Pastoral Plan will be released on the diocesan website

on **Tuesday 2 January**: www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/pastoral-plan with hard copies available to read in each parish.

Bishop Richard met with members of Clergy earlier this week and will be hosting a Pastoral Plan Webinar for people across our diocesan community on **Wednesday 10 January at 7.30pm**. Please use the following the link to join the webinar: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86457734895>.