

# Christ the King

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2019

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## Liturgies in the Cathedral

The Cathedral is open daily from 0730-1830

Mass Intention

<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November</b> OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, UNIVERSAL KING. SOLEMNITY	0900 · Mass 1100 · Solemn Mass 1730 · Mass	Holy Souls Young People of the Parish Pro Populo
<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b> Feria <i>34<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time</i>	0730 · Mass 0940 · Morning Prayer 1000 · Mass	Whitlam Family Whitlam Family
<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November</b> Feria	0940 · Morning Prayer 1000 · Mass 1830 · Sung Vespers 1900 · Sung Mass	Rex, Otter & Jasper Ghosh <i>(Second Birthday)</i> J. McLean
<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November</b> Feria	0730 · Mass 0940 · Morning Prayer 1000 · Mass	Persecuted Christians Kim Lomonosoff
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November</b> Feria	0940 · Morning Prayer 1000 · Mass 1900 · Mass	Dorren Sellar Holy Souls
<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November</b> Feria	0730 · Mass 0940 · Morning Prayer 1000 · Mass	William & Kathleen Kelly Mascarenhas Family
<b>Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November</b> S ANDREW, APOSTLE. FEAST.	1000 · Mass 1030 · Adoration & Benediction 1800 · Mass	Francis Cushing Leila Moore
<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent	0900 · Mass 1100 · Solemn Mass <b>1430</b> · Mass (Extraordinary Form) <b>1600</b> · Sung Vespers & Benediction 1730 · Mass	Pro Populo For a good Advent Private intention <i>To inaugurate the Year of the Word</i> Holy Souls

Confessions: Tuesday 1930-2000 · Saturday 1030-1100, 1715-1745, 1845-1900 · Sunday 1645-1715  
The Rosary is prayed in the Walsingham Chapel after the 1000 Mass Monday to Friday

**Mass Intentions:** If you would like a Mass said in the Cathedral, please pick up an envelope from the back.

**Prayers for the sick:** Canon Paul, Fr John Warrington, Peter Warrington, Paul Horan, Liam McKenna, Philippa Barnes, Anthony Preston, Nancy Horner, Joan Marshall, Wood Family, Eleanor Bray, Lily Reid, Joe Heaney, Nina Strivens, Mary Ward, Dianne Yeadon, Chris Gillham, Peter Willets, Justina Adamska, Reece Sales, Nicholle Sales, Amanda Caistor. If you would like your name or that of a relative added to the list, please take a GDPR form from the back of the church; do be aware that if it is for a relative he or she must give consent themselves.

**Going into hospital?** Please inform the ward clerk, who will make sure that the chaplaincy knows that you are in hospital and need to see a chaplain.

Last Week's Collection: - £2,556.81 Thank you.

This Weekend's Retiring Collection for the Diocesan Youth Service

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**This weekend is the feast of Christ the King.** This feast highlights Christ's kingship not only in heaven, but also in the here and now: the social reign of Christ on earth. He reigns as King of our hearts and our choices, but also of all nations and states, of all peoples and races: all power and sovereignty belong to him. By our prayers and through our actions, may Christ be made really visible in our world today.

**Next Sunday is the First Sunday of Advent.** At 4pm on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December, there will be a celebration of Vespers and Benediction to launch the **Year of the Word** in our diocese. This year will enable us to reconnect with God through his wonderful gift to us of the Bible.

**Our 127 children and young people in our First Holy Communion & Confirmation Programmes** will formally 'sign up' for these sacraments at all the Masses this weekend. They will also participate in the Masses in a special way, helping with reading, collecting, and welcoming. Please pray for all our young people and children preparing to receive these sacraments of initiation. There will be a cake stall after all the weekend Masses to help raise funds for our catechetical programmes. Please support our children's efforts by buying and enjoying their cakes.

**POSADA** – The tradition of passing the statue of Joseph, Mary and the donkey from house to house is back for Advent this year. The list is available on a laptop near to the cake stall, only 12 dates left to fill – please join us and be part of this wonderful tradition of welcoming the Holy Family into our homes as we prepare for Christmas. Please sign up by Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November to allow sufficient time for the list to be published and circulated. The list is kept securely because of GDPR, so if you can't find the list email Jo Graham at stjohnfhc@gmail.com to book your Posada date.

**Christmas Giving** – Please could you bring in items of festive non-perishable food to mass on the first two Sundays of Advent (1<sup>st</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> December). Children's Liturgy will be making hampers which the SVP will give out to people in need in the parish at Christmas.

#### **The World's Big Sleep Out - December 7th**

The Diocesan Youth Service and Caritas are working together to host our own sleep out event as part of 'The World's Big Sleep Out.' This is an international campaign that invites people to sleep out in solidarity with those experiencing homelessness and displacement, and raises money for homeless charities. For more information, to take part in our Diocesan organised event, or to donate, please see [www.rcdea.org.uk/youth](http://www.rcdea.org.uk/youth)

**Crib Festival at Our Lady of the Annunciation RC Church, Ugate, Poringland** on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>, Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 10.30am to 4pm and Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December 10.30am to 3.30pm followed by a children's Carol Service followed by refreshments for the children. Coffee, tea & cakes available throughout each day & soup lunches from 12-1.30pm each day. **FREE ENTRY!**

**Census forms** – If you are new to the parish or have not registered your details there are (green) parish census forms at the back of the Church. Please fill them in and return them to the office or to one of our priests.

**The St Nicholas Fair** this year will be held on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December between 10.30 -17.00pm. If you are interested in having a stall please contact Karen in the admin office [admin@sjbcathedral.org.uk](mailto:admin@sjbcathedral.org.uk) or 01603 724380

**The Cathedral Shop** now has a sale the 'New Yearly Missal' & Diocesan Year Book', also Advent Calendars & Candles, together with many other Christmas items, why not come and browse.

**Charity HCPT Pilgrimage** – Next Easter once again the young people of Norwich and its surrounding parishes will be travelling with the charity HCPT in Group 716 to Lourdes. They will be helping deliver a week of enjoyment, spiritual enlightenment and song to thousands of disabled and disadvantaged children from across the work, all the while developing their own team skills. Information [group716@hcpt.org.uk](mailto:group716@hcpt.org.uk)

**Baby and toddler group** on Thursdays 11am-midday in the Narthex Hall. Free admission. Contact Gabriella if you want to know more [g.notaricosta@gmail.com](mailto:g.notaricosta@gmail.com)

**St Francis Catholic Primary School** has vacancies on its governing body, and so they are seeking **new governors** to engage with this important and dynamic role in the life of the church. Please contact Susan Wilkinson (the Chair of Governors) at [chair@st-francisofassisi.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:chair@st-francisofassisi.norfolk.sch.uk)

**Reader Rota** – The next rota (Advent-Pentecost) is currently being prepared. If you need to make any changes to your availability or the mass you read at please contact Deacon Patrick as soon as possible via Cathedral House or [Eileen@limacher.org.uk](mailto:Eileen@limacher.org.uk)

**Volunteering in Jamaica** – Fr Michael will again be taking a group to volunteer with the "Missionaries of the Poor" in Jamaica next January. Anyone who may be interested in joining him please ring 01603 664118 .

**Knights of St Columba Quiz Night in aid of our Seminarians.** We are holding another 'mad quiz' and cuisine night on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm in the Hall. Tickets available from the Cathedral Shop £8 for adults and £4 for children. A choice between Chicken & Chips or Ploughman's for adults and Chicken Nuggets & Chips or Ploughman's for children included. The evening will include a madcap quiz a 'roll for a Bottle', 'Blind Raffle' and prizes can range from the best to the silliest. **Book early** so we know the number of meals. Thank you.

**Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages April – October 2020.** 7 Night stay and airport shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for £266 per person sharing. Call us for further info to book the date to suit you. Contact 02032398662 or [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com)

**Free Canon Inkjet colour printer MX410.** 01603 811881

**Save the date: Thursday December 5<sup>th</sup>** at 7.30pm in the Narthex. Rob Hardie a Secular Franciscan from North Walsham parish will speak about his experience working with the homeless community in Norwich.

The **Young Adults Group** will meet this week on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30 pm in the Lady Chapel, followed by a talk, prayer and a social. Those aged between 18 and 35 are welcome.

The **Journey in Faith** meeting will take place on Thursday at 7pm in the Narthex.