



ST ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A Warm Welcome to all Parishioners and Visitors

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sundays: Cycle C Weekdays: Year II Sunday 23rd October 2022**



‘The Pharisee stood there and **said this prayer to himself...**’

*‘I thank you God, that I am not like the rest of mankind, particularly that I am not like this tax collector here!’*

The `Pharisee goes on to list all the great things he can think of about himself, whereas the Tax collector, if you can say nothing else about him, at least he is honest. *‘Be merciful to me, a sinner!’*

This week we ask ourselves the question: Who am I like?

P.S. This Covid is really getting me down. I feel tired and not like doing much. It has been nearly 14 days now and I will be so pleased when I get over this. It’s my first experience of Covid and I hope my last. FJ.

God bless you all,

*Fr John*

### ROSARY AND BENEDICTION

There will be Rosary and Benediction each Sunday in October at 3.30pm.

### SVP CHRISTMAS CARD



SVP Christmas cards will be on sale from this weekend 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> October after all Masses. Cash or cheque will be accepted.

### PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2023

Applications for 2023 Confirmation programme will start next weekend 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> October 2022. The applicant will need to collect a form from Fr John at Saturday evening or Sunday Morning Mass and return at Mass the form with a copy of your baptismal certificate.

**The Closing date is Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

(The minimum age for Confirmation is 14 years – School Year 10 or above)

### BEREAVEMENT

Are you struggling with bereavement or loss? Would it help to have someone to talk to? We have bereavement supporters trained to listen, support, and accompany people experiencing grief. **Call Joanna Stewart on 01737 355523 or Paula Thomas on 07710 099682**



### ST ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN DAYS FOR ENTRY TO RECEPTION IN SEPTEMBER 2023

St Anne's Catholic Primary School Open days for entry to Reception in September 2023 are as follows:  
Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 10 - 11.30 am.  
Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 9.30 - 11.30 am.  
There will be a brief talk from Miss Renaut, headteacher at the start of each open morning. All are Welcome.

### THE CHOSEN

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022



THE CHOSEN is a drama TV mini-series depicting the life and teachings of Jesus as seen through the eyes of the people who met with and those who followed him. To date some 400 million people worldwide have watched via various streaming platforms some or all of the episodes comprised in this multi season production, each series is financed through crowd funding schemes.

The Chosen Team have granted us the right to show these series to any interested parishioners who would prefer to watch these as a group. We propose to begin viewing on the 28<sup>th</sup> October by showing the First Series (comprising 8 episodes in total) in the Hall Annex. One episode will be shown each week (usually 30 minutes to one hour long) and will include subtitles. It will be shown on Friday mornings after the tea and coffee gathering held following Friday Mass. Please come and join us- you will enjoy it and not only that-IT'S FREE!!! (Andy and Flick Saunders 01306 887649)

### THE CO-WORKERS OF MOTHER TERESA KNITTING FOR CHARITY

The Co-Workers of Mother Teresa are meeting this Wednesday **26<sup>th</sup> October** from 2 - 4pm in the Annexe. All are welcome.

### CATECHISTS' DAY – SATURDAY 19 NOVEMBER 11-4PM – WORTH SCHOOL

A day of formation, reflection, and conversation for current catechists and those interested in exploring this ministry. If you are involved or interested in working with Children's Liturgy, Baptism, First Holy Communion and Reconciliation, Confirmation or RCIA, you are very welcome to come along. Please sign up at: [Catechists' Day \(19-Nov-2022\) - ChurchSuite Events](#) E: [Jon.Harman@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Jon.Harman@abdiocese.org.uk) for more information.

### THE INEFFABLE MYSTERY OF GOD

**A Study Day** on Episode 3 of Bishop Robert Barron's 'Catholicism' course is being presented at Chilworth Abbey on Saturday, November 5th, 2022: **The Ineffable Mystery of God**. Begins with Mass at 9 a.m. and concludes around 3.30 p.m. Come to all or part of the day as it suits. Please bring a packed lunch. Tea and coffee provided. See their website for details: [chilworthbenedictines.com](http://chilworthbenedictines.com)

### POLITE NOTICE

After each Sunday Mass (and Saturday Vigil) please can we ask that you replace the hymn books back at the end of each bench and either take your missalettes home with you or place them back in the tray in the Church porch. This will keep our Church nice and tidy. Thank you.

### SVP FOOD COLLECTION FOR THE LOCAL FOODBANK

For the Food List: Go to our website at <http://www.stannsbanstead.comfor an updated list, or visit> <https://epsomewell.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

**This Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October – World Mission Sunday (Missio) Gift Aid Envelopes available.**  
World Mission Sunday



The second collection today, coordinated by Missio, the Holy Father's charity for world mission, will be a great help to missionaries who work in an impoverished area of Ethiopia. Through vocational training programmes run by the Kidist Mariam Centre the amazing team are trying to bring communities together to build hope for a better future. Thank you for your support of Missio, which strives to share with all the hope that only Jesus can bring to our world.

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October – Jesuit Missions Appeal.  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November – Retired Priests Fund (Gift Aid)

### CHILDREN' RIDDLES



- 1.What illness do martial artists get?
- 2.What is green and short and goes camping?
- 3.What did the dentist say to the golfer?

### MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS COURSES

Saturday 29 October 2022, 10-3pm St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley RH10 6RP or Sat 5 Nov, 10-3pm St Martha's Hall, Little Common, Bexhill on Sea TN39 4SL

This mental health awareness course is for anyone involved in ministry in their Parish. Ideal for catechists, ministers of bereavement, those involved with the ministry of welcome - in fact, any role that requires you to work with people.

If you wish to discuss your engagement with this course before booking please contact Lizzie Wakeling, Diocesan Advisor E: [Lizzie.Wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Lizzie.Wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk).

### RACE NIGHT UPDATE

**Thank you** to everyone who attended and helped to make last Saturdays Race Night a tremendous success and through your generosity and donations, the night itself raised **£2,267.42**.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH WHO ARE SICK

Helen Guinness	Freda Griffiths
Karen Murray	Maureen Reilly
Indira Louis	Ashlee Rodgers
Christian Requena	Gillian Doherty
Wendy Counsell	Joshua Anderson
Damian Poole	Guilherme Guedes
Allan Norman	James Joseph
Michael Monaco	Edmund Louis
Josie Monaco	Michael Ashman
Helen Kershaw	Jake Brauer
Jane Scargill	Susan Smith
Jonathan Lewis	Spencer Thorpe
Cyrus Pascoe	Peter Baikie
Eileen Graham	Arthur Harding
Amy Grey	Cathy Paxton
Trish Nathan	Sean Gilligan
Gillian Wooldridge	Catherine Roberts
Vanessa Lewis	

Mass Intentions			
Saturday	22 Oct	6.00pm	Harry Roberts RIP
Sunday	23 Oct	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	Angela McDonald RIP
		<u>3.30pm</u>	<u>Rosary &amp; Benediction</u>
Monday	24 Oct	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	25 Oct	6.00pm	Peter Raw RIP
Wednesday	26 Oct	9.30am	Tom & Mary Makinson Wellbeing
		<b>10am to 12pm</b>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday	27 Oct	9.30am	Martin Dyer RIP
		<b>10am to 12pm</b>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday <i>Ss Simon and Jude, Apostles</i>	28 Oct	9.30am	Peter Raw RIP
Saturday	29 Oct	6.00pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	30 Oct	8.30am	Iris Lee RIP
		10.00am	Barbara Cocks RIP
		<u>3.30pm</u>	<u>Rosary &amp; Benediction</u>

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Confession Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 10.00am to 10.45am

Saturday October 29<sup>th</sup> 10.00am to 10.45am



**CONTACT DETAILS**

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Riddle Answers: 1. Kung Flu. 2. A boy sprout. 3. You have a hole in one!