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PARISH CHURCH MASSES	
<b>Masses for week commencing 19/20 November 2022</b> <b>Mass for this week: (week 34)</b>	
<b>Sat. 19th November</b> 11:00 OLSP Holy Matrimony Aaron Mattin & Noemi Szuromi 6:15pm OLSP Vigil Tom Warren	<p><b>BAPTISMS</b> – These are usually celebrated on a Sunday at 3:00 pm. Parents are asked to contact Fr. Jack.</p> <p><b>MARRIAGE</b> – Marriage arrangements should be made with Fr. Jack at least 12 months before the marriage date and prior to any social planning. To arrange for marriage preparations please contact Fr. Jack.</p> <p><b>MASS INTENTIONS</b> – Have a Mass said for a departed loved one, or someone who is sick, or to celebrate a family occasion. Use the brown envelopes at the back of the church. Please do it two months in advance if you want a specific date.</p> <p><b>R.C.I.A. RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS</b> – Persons interested in learning of the Catholic faith, and any adult person who wishes to receive Baptism, Eucharist or Confirmation. If you need information regarding this please contact Fr. Jack.</p> <p><b>VISITATION OF THE SICK AND ELDERLY</b> - Please keep us informed so that we can be attentive to those who are ill at home or in the hospital.</p> <p><b>NEW PARISHIONERS</b> – Our Parish Family invites all its members to share fully in our spiritual and social life. If you change your address or telephone number please tell Fr. Jack. Please also consider registering online at: <a href="http://www.eastgrinsteadcatholicparish.com">www.eastgrinsteadcatholicparish.com</a> after which you will receive the newsletter by email each Saturday.</p> <p><b>PRAYING FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK</b> - We would like to pray by name for any members of our parish family who are sick. If you or a loved one would like to be included in the Bidding Prayers you are warmly invited to contact Fr Jack or Sue Faulkner 07462394964 <a href="mailto:suzu.faulkner@icloud.com">suzu.faulkner@icloud.com</a> at Our Lady and St Peter and Fr Jack or Nicky Daines 01342 870358 <a href="mailto:raymondaines@btinternet.com">raymondaines@btinternet.com</a> or Mary Watson 01342 836344 <a href="mailto:mbwatson@hotmail.co.uk">mbwatson@hotmail.co.uk</a> at St Bernard's.</p> <p>Prayers will be included for those who are suffering from a long-term illness as well as those who have a short-term illness or are taken ill suddenly. If you are requesting prayers for a loved one please ensure that they have given their permission for their name to be included.</p> <p><b>LIVESTREAMING</b> - We are pleased to have livestreaming of our services. Typically, this will be the 9am Sunday Mass at Lingfield and 10:30am Sunday at East Grinstead. Other masses and special services will be streamed as advertised in this bulletin.</p> <p><b>REQUESTS</b> - for livestreaming of weddings, funerals and baptisms should be made to Fr Jack or Jonathan Jenkins <a href="mailto:jamjenkins64@gmail.com">jamjenkins64@gmail.com</a>  <a href="http://www.eastgrinsteadcatholicparish.com">www.eastgrinsteadcatholicparish.com</a> to join us online.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Donate to The Catholic Parish of East Grinstead and Lingfield here:</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Scan me with your Phone</p> </div>
<b>Sun. 20th November - Christ the King</b> 9:00am St Bernard's Monica Cantwell RIP 10:30 OLSP Margaret Casbolt (1st Anni)	
<b>Mon. 21st November - Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> 9:30am OLSP Jack Murphy (Health)	
<b>Tues. 22nd November – St Cecilia Virgin, Martyr</b> 9:30am OLSP Michael Apthorp RIP	
<b>Wed. 23rd November - Feria</b> 9:30am St Bernard's Steven Bonner RIP 7:30pm Holy Hour at St Bernard's	
<b>Thurs. 24th November - St Andrew Dung-Lac Priest Martyrs of Vietnam</b> 9:30am OLSP James Fitzpatrick (foundation)	
<b>Fri. 25th November - Feria</b> No public mass 11:00am Adoration, leading into, 12 noon Rosary OLSP	
<b>Sat. 26th November</b> 6:15pm Vigil Mass OLSP Fatina O'Neill RIP	
<b>Sun</b> 9:00am St Bernard's Jim Fitzpatrick RIP 10:30 OLSP	
<b>LINGFIELD – St. Bernard's</b> Sun. 9:00am	
<b>Reconciliation (Confession)</b> East Grinstead: Saturday 10:30 – 11:00 am and 5:30 – 6:00 pm	

**Collection** for Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund (gift aid)

**Enquiries concerning Baptisms and Weddings.**

I am usually available to take enquiries on Saturday mornings, from 10am to 10:30am at Our Lady and St Peter's. Or call me to arrange a suitable time.

**Confession/Reconciliation.** This is an essential part of our spiritual lives. As always I am available after mass on weekdays. Also on Saturday Morning from 10:30 to 11:00 and evening from 5:30 to 6:00. You may also phone me for an individual appointment if you wish.

**St Bernard's Forum** will be meeting at 7:30pm in the Church Hall, St Bernard's on Tuesday 22nd.

**ADORATION/HOLY HOUR AT ST BERNARD'S LADY CHAPEL** - Contact Mary Watson 07512 203744 or Nicky Daines 07941 360104.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION** - This week there is a special collection in support of the ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL MAINTENANCE FUND, our Mother Church. Please use your violet Gift Aid envelope to enhance your offering by 25% straight away. Thank you. Next week, we have a special collection in support of our Parish SVP - St Vincent de Paul - branches who provide so much support to the needy within, and beyond, the Parish. This collection does not attract Diocesan Gift Aid.

**THANK YOU** - to the donor of a generous gift in support of efforts for Ukraine. It has been gratefully accepted.

**EAST GRINSTEAD CATENIANS.** The East Grinstead Circle of the Catenian Association will meet on Monday, 21st November at the Dorset Arms, meeting in the bar from 7.30pm ahead of the meeting at 8pm. Members are also reminded of the dinner on 9th December and Carols on 11th. The Catenian Association is a Catholic social group which supports members and the wider community through fellowship, faith, family, fun and fundraising. Events are open to members' wives, families and friends. To find out more on the Catenian Association, please call John Drury on 07793 588700 or visit <http://www.egcats.co.uk>

**“CONFIRMATION 2023** - Young people in the current Year 10 and above - are warmly invited to find out more about the Confirmation Preparation Programme in our parish, which will start in mid January. Further information and an application form can be found on the Parish website <https://eastgrinsteadcatholicparish.com/confirmation/>, or are available by emailing [confegparish@outlook.com](mailto:confegparish@outlook.com).

**AUTUMN CHARITY FEAST 2022 - Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November;** Thai Lounge, Lingfield (Next to Tarana Lingfield)

[www.thailounge.co.uk](http://www.thailounge.co.uk) – Thai Food - 01342 837770 (Live Music).

Please Book Early to Reserve Your Place. Please arrive 6.30pm for 7pm start for all restaurants.

**3 Course Meal for £20.00 per head, just £6.00 will go to the following 6 Charities:**

CRAWLEY OPEN HOUSE, THE EAST GRINSTEAD FOODBANK, CRAWLEY PRISON FELLOWSHIP, YOUNG EPILEPSY, BEING NEIGHBOURLY, EAST GRINSTEAD & DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

**COME TOGETHER**, and enjoy a glass of mulled wine and mince pie whilst sharing the experience of creating a Christmas Wreath.

**St. Bernard's hall, Lingfield, Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November 7.00pm – 9.00pm.** Limited places, for more information contact Mary 07512 203744 or Nicky 07941 360104.

“**SVP** - The second collection on the weekend of 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> November 2022 is for the work of the SVP Conferences at St. Bernard's and Our Lady & St. Peter, in helping those in need. Please be as generous as you can; as you will be all too aware, the current economic crisis is causing more and more poverty, inflation, increasing fuel bills, spiralling food prices and rising mortgage rates. Whilst everyone is affected, those who are already struggling and those with fewer financial reserves will be especially impacted in the months ahead. Many thanks in anticipation of your generosity.”

**SOUP AT ST BERNARD'S ON SATURDAY 26TH NOVEMBER** - Soup will be served at 12.30pm at St Bernard's on Saturday 26 November as is now tradition for the last Saturday of the month. Everyone welcome.

**CHILDREN'S ADVENT AFTERNOON** - St. Bernard's, Lingfield, Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2.30pm – 4.30pm --Craft and fun activities with Children leading a short Advent liturgy to conclude. For children aged 4 years plus, 2-3 year olds accompanied by an adult. For more information ring Nicky Daines 07941 360104.

**COP27: Stop the cop out** - a year ago, the COP 26 climate talks made some progress, but it wasn't enough so COP27 will be held in Egypt from 6-18 November in order to ensure world leaders take urgent steps to get back on track. Hundreds of CAFOD supporters have already emailed the Prime Minister. Please send your email at [www.cafod.org.uk/cop27campaign](http://www.cafod.org.uk/cop27campaign). You can join CAFOD for a live report from Egypt and on 27 November there will be an assessment of the outcomes. Register at [cafod.org.uk/online](http://cafod.org.uk/online) talks. Details at [cafod.org.uk/rosary](http://cafod.org.uk/rosary)

**WANTED** - Volunteer Teacher for 3 months in Chitwan, Nepal (220km south of Katmandu) to teach primary school children in Sielehswor Adrs school. Accommodation and food provided. Please contact Mr Pandi, Ghurka Restaurant. 07774518908.

**SVP WINTER APPEAL FOR THE HOMELESS BASED AT CRAWLEY OPEN HOUSE** - Once again we are asking you to sponsor a £25.00 Sleeping Bag with waterproof cover for those who cannot be accommodated during the cold weather. Thank you for your generosity.

Payment: Please send a Cheque/cash or Direct Debit Transfer.

**Cheque made out to:** St Vincent de Paul Society'  
Send or give to (Cash OK)  
The Treasurer  
Londesborough Hse  
Tilburstow Hill Rd  
South Godstone RH9 8LB

**Direct Transfer to:** St Vincent de Paul Society  
NatWest, Lambeth North  
Acc No: 46085335  
Sort Code: 60-60-04  
Ref: Winter/GA (if gift aided)

**“THIS DECEMBER COME AND JOIN** - Hale & Hound, Charlotte Hale (née Blackledge) who will be running **two** luxury traditional wreath making classes. Where you will learn how to create and decorate your own door wreath and enjoy some complimentary refreshments and home-made mince pies. Let's get into the festive spirit and decorate your front doors with that extra 'Oomph' this Christmas! **Dates - Saturday 3rd December 10-12pm & Sunday 11th December 2-4pm. For full details and booking please contact: Email - [haleandhound@yahoo.com](mailto:haleandhound@yahoo.com) or Tel – 07714037730”**

**REFUGEE WELCOME CRAWLEY** - are looking for qualified teachers of English who can help with Syrian, Afghani and Ukrainian refugees. Please email [rwchair@gmail.com](mailto:rwchair@gmail.com) if you can help.

**URGENTLY NEEDED FOR REFUGEES WELCOME CRAWLEY** - winter waterproof warm jackets - medium, trainers (size 41,42 and 43), medium and small jogging bottoms, T shirts, sweatshirts and jeans, All in good condition please. Leave in bags at the back of churches with the contents clearly labelled on the outside. Also, mobile phones and bicycles in good condition required. Thank you. Further information from Sue Joy. 07821379064.

**CRAWLEY OPEN HOUSE** - As the new Resource Centre is now open men's winter clothes are welcome (T shirts, trainers and joggers) plus blankets, sleeping bags.

**EG FOODBANK** - please spread the word to people you may know who are facing increasing financial difficulties, that the Foodbank based at the Jubilee Centre (JC) in Charlwoods Road is there to help and will offer a warm welcome to those who come along for assistance (Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 1pm-3pm). In addition to providing food (voucher system in place), it works alongside the Citizen's Advice Bureau and Christians against Poverty, to provide advice on debt, fuel poverty and benefits.

The EG Foodbank - celebrates its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary in December and during that time 237,968 kgs of food have been distributed, 16,000 people fed and 6626 food vouchers issued. Volunteers are needed for a variety of tasks. Food donations - Christmas tubs of chocolates, biscuits, iced cake slice, and puddings (medium size) 300/440g, cooking oil 1 ltr bottles, instant mash potato and jars of peanut butter. Bring to church, drop at JC, or donate at Sainsburys and Waitrose. Put the **Bank the Food** app on your mobile phone as a reminder when you shop. [www.eastgrinstead.foodbank.org.uk](http://www.eastgrinstead.foodbank.org.uk) Tel. 07856 864251.

**CAROL SERVICE AT ST BERNARD'S** - save the date. This year we are introducing a new carol service, to be held at St Bernard's church, Lingfield, at 7.30pm on Thursday 22 December. All parishioners are encouraged to attend. After the service SVP Lingfield will be serving hot punch and mince pies in the church hall.

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM** - We are planning a parish pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham next spring 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> May 2023. To confirm our booking we need to have an idea of numbers as soon as possible so if you are interested please contact: Nicky 0132 870358 or Eileen 01342 317424