



Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church

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Feast of the Holy Family

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Dear Friends,

As you read this the Holy Season of Christmas is over and yet it leaves its imprint on all our lives and always will. I hope you had a family friendly time and if there were tensions before for any reason that you at least made an effort to resolve them. To be at peace with family and friends is not only a gift but something to treasure and it makes life worth living.

Today we celebrate the Holy Family of Nazareth. Is it not ironic in this day and age when we hear of friends and well-known persons in social media having children outside of marriage that we judge them as if we are righteous and they are not. As followers of Jesus, we should not judge. "Judge not and you will not be judged, condemn not and you will not be condemned". We may pretend, but we cannot walk in the shoes of even people we think we know.

- ❖ We congratulate our Bishop, The Right Reverend Richard Moth who has been chosen by Pope Leo to be the next Archbishop of Westminster.
- ❖ Many thanks for your kind Christmas offerings which will be divided between 3 charities.
- ❖ Connect Counselling Service would like to thank you for your very generous donation following their recent appeal. With your help they can continue providing accessible and affordable counselling in the local area..
- ❖ Friends of The Holy Land thank all parishioners for £2132.53 raised for Christians in the Holy Land at a time when they desperately need help. Please continue to remember their work in your prayers.
- ❖ First Saturday Devotion of Reparation at 1pm, Sat 3rd January in the church. All welcome

God Bless you all and a very happy New Year to everyone

Fr John

Please pray for all those who have died recently:

Belen Dunlop, Pat Looby, Jenny Mauree, Colleen Welsman

May they rest in peace.

Please pray for all those who are sick at this time:

Marie Bellizzi, Neil Brackley, Millie Bridger, Josie Cash, Anthony Cheah, Teresa Connell, Pat Conroy, Ray Cookson, Cathy Cowan, Ray Corry, Eddie Cummins, Sue Cummins, Mary Curd, Mary Dixon, Maggie Duncan, Desmond Fleming, Leo Gibson, Maureen Harker, Ian Harrison, Michele Haygreen, Mary Higton, Alan Jenkins, Ian Joseph, Mary Kearney, Shelley Kimmel, Shirley Livera, Elizabeth MacDermott, Anne MacKenzie, Georgia Mackinlay, Luz Martin, Didier McGaw, Patricia McMahon, Joyce Monserrat, Jasmine Moorehead, Louise Moorehead, Maura Morris, Saura Perez Olmos, Adrei Penkov, Valeria Penkova, Aurora Ramirez, Zofia Reynolds, Kathleen Sampson, Moira Sced, Sherry Small, Ralph and Pauline Smith, Godelieve Vandersloten, Jean Watkins, Deborah Wright
and all those named on the noticeboard in Our Lady's Shrine.

Mass Intentions

Sat 27 th Dec	6.00pm	Cepta McGrath RIP (B&T Proud)
Sun 28 th Dec	8.30am	Archangel D. Bacalor RIP (Francis and Thelma)
	10.30am	Brenda Welsh RIP (Anniv.) (B. Connelly)
	5.30pm	Mary Hazelwood RIP (Anne Hoolan)
Mon 29 th Dec	7.30pm	Liturgy of The Word & Holy Communion
Tue 30 th Dec	10.00am	Thanksgiving (Maxi Jose)
Wed 31 st Dec	10.00am	All Parishioners
Thu 1 st Jan	10.00am	Giovanna Campora RIP (2 nd Anniv)(Simona Rosa Craig)
Fri 2 nd Jan	10.00am	All Parishioners
Sat 3 rd Jan	1.00pm	First Saturday Devotion of Reparation
	6.00pm	Patricia Looby RIP (Josephine Hayes)
Sun 4 th Jan	8.30am	Dionisia De Vera RIP (Thelma Bachelor)
	10.30am	Evelyn Abellera RIP (2 nd Anniv)(Gelena Valdez)
	5.30pm	Tony and Monica Grace (Thanksgiving) (Louisa)

Retiring Collections

3rd/4th January
PCF Third World & Charities

Collections for Weekend 20th/21st December 2025

Offertory Collection	£820.05
Gift Aid Collection	£102.00
Standing Orders (Weekly Average)	£1192.00
Total	£2012.05

Crib Offering to Support the Catholic Children's Society's A&B Crisis Fund

The Catholic Children's Society (CCS) helps families in our diocese who are facing a crisis in their lives. Through their A&B Crisis Fund, they provide immediate support when families need it most. For example, helping a newly bereaved family put food on the table, or simply providing a child living in poverty with a warm winter coat. There are many more vulnerable families in need of support and our parish will be donating our crib offering to support this important work. You can donate at the crib or via the CCS website: www.cathchild.org.uk/crib

Bible Alive and Day by Day Booklets

The January edition of the *Day by Day* (50p each) and joint January/February issue of the *Bible Alive* (£2 per copy) are now available on the table in the Church porch.

Applications for St Augustine's School

Applications for Reception Year places for the 2026-27 academic year at St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School, serving the Catholic parishes of Camberley & Bagshot and Frimley, should be submitted by Thursday 15th January 2026. For further information on admissions and how to apply, please visit: www.staugustine.surrey.sch.uk

Vocation to Teaching in our Diocesan Schools

If you are interested in hearing more about the vocation to teaching in Catholic schools and what it involves, Dave Legrand, Diocesan Secondary RE Advisor, will be running an online event on Tuesday 13th Jan, 5.30-6.30pm. This event is suitable for anyone considering a career change or simply interested to find out more. To book a place visit: www.abdiocese.churchsuite.com/events/vqrcnwzi

Deaf Community Mass

The next deaf community Mass is at 1pm on Saturday 3rd January at St John the Evangelist Church, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 2PJ.

Message From The Hope Hub: Thank you so much for supporting the Hope Hub this year. Our services are busier than ever. The items we are most in need of are: tinned meals (such as macaroni cheese, chilli con carne), pot noodles, tinned meat, sugar, coffee and thermal clothing. At present we have plenty of pasta, rice and baked beans