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**Feast of Christ the King - Last Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**November 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**First Reading.** 2 Samuel 5:1-3: All the tribes of Israel choose David as their king.

**Responsorial Psalm.** 121: "I rejoice when I heard them say: 'Let us go to God's house'".

**Second Reading:** Colossians 1:12-20: The Son holds all things in unity and reconciles everything in heaven and everything on earth.

**Gospel.** Luke 23:35-43: Jesus promises the gift of the Kingdom to the criminal who believes in him.

**Intentions for the Masses celebrated this Weekend**

Saturday	6:00 p.m.:	<b>Dawn and her son, James, O'Sullivan RIP</b>
Sunday	10:00 a.m.:	<b>Mrs Helen Comber RIP</b>
	11:30 a.m.:	<b>Philip Anderson RIP</b>

**Saints of the Week**

Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> November:	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November:	Saint Cecilia
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November:	St Clement I, Pope
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> November:	Saints Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> November:	Saint Catherine of Alexandria
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> November:	Blessed Delphine of Glandèves

**The Beatification of Father Joseph Ambrosoli mcccj, Priest and Doctor**

We are extremely pleased to announce that a fellow Comboni Missionary, the late Father Joseph Ambrosoli (1923-1987), will be beatified in the Mission of Kalongo in Northern Uganda on the morning of Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Joseph was born on July 25<sup>th</sup> 1923, the sixth of eight children, who qualified as a doctor and surgeon and then entered the Comboni Missionaries at twenty-eight years of age on October 18<sup>th</sup> 1951. After his Ordination to the Priesthood on December 1955, Father Joseph spent thirty-one years running the General Hospital and Midwifery School that he had founded in Kalongo. He distinguished himself for his unshakable faith witnessed in his work as a doctor and surgeon, exercised with great gentleness of spirit and admirable charity. He died on March 27<sup>th</sup> 1987 of renal failure amidst a brutal campaign of terror waged by LRA rebels while waiting to be evacuated by helicopter for dialysis in the larger Mission Hospital of Lacor in Gulu. We offer our thanksgiving to the Lord for the wonderful example of service and holiness that Father Joseph embodied in his everyday life lead following the footsteps of Saint Daniel Comboni.

**Condolences**

We would like to express our sincerest condolences and deepest sympathies to Brendan, Kevin, Kerry and all the Fitzmaurice Family on the passing of their beloved wife and mother, Teresa who slipped away at home, fortified by Holy Communion, early in the morning of Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022. May she rest in peace and rise in glory. The Requiem Mass will take place on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at 11:00 a.m.**

Sincerest condolences are similarly in order to the Hooey Family on the passing of Anthony's brother, Mike, at Frimley Park Hospital in the early evening of Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2022. May Mike rest in peace and rise in glory. The Requiem Mass will take place on **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at 10:00 a.m.**

## Mass Offerings

A Mass is very special and sacred. Whatever the reason it may be offered, for a particular Intention, in thanksgiving or for the Eternal Repose of a Soul, it is always important to remember that these Intentions offered to God as prayers of intercession and/or thanksgiving, in and through Christ's Passion and Death made present to us in the Sacrifice of the Holy Mass. We, as a Community gathered in the name of the Lord, pray for the Intention, the Deceased, those who are ill, or those facing various difficulties or challenges. We also offer a prayer of thanksgiving to God for the experience of God's loving grace helping us through a particularly challenging event or circumstance of life. If you would like to offer a Mass, please fill out an envelope available at the back of the Church and hand it to one of the Fathers.

## November - The Month of the Faithful Departed

The Fathers in the Community in Sunningdale are offering **Mass** every day during the Month of November for all our dearly Departed "who have gone before us marked with the Sign of Faith". If you would like a particular remembrance for any of your deceased parents, relatives or friends, please write their names on one of the white forms provided in the Church Porch, and place it in the basket near the altar. Many thanks.

## Nativity Scene

We would like to invite the children, young and older, to contribute in making a *Belén*, this is a larger traditional *Nativity Scene* which is commonplace in Spain. It does not just focus on the Holy Family, the Shepherds, the Angels and the Three Wise Men in the Stable, it includes all that was taking place around the miraculous birth of *Baby Jesus*. For example, there were women washing clothes, farmers working in the fields, chickens, sheep, cows, cats and dogs, ... all going about their normal activities.

The children taking part in the Liturgy each week will be creating the figures of the *Holy Family*, but all the other figures can be created by anyone who wishes. As soon as you have made your figure or model, please bring it back to the Church where we can see where it will fit in to the *Belén Nativity Scene*. We will invite the children who have made figures to come forward at the *Family Mass on Christmas Eve* and explain what they have made and why their model is important to the scene.

Some **modelling clay** is available for you to take away for creating your model. If you could make the figures about five centimetres in height that would be perfect. A list of items to make are below with two photographs of Nativity Scenes done in this way.

**List of suggested models:** Farmyard animals - Farm machinery - Crops to put into fields - Carts - Sheds - Animal Shelters - Trees - Palm Trees - Bushes - Flowers - Houses - A Marketplace with Stalls of fruit and vegetables or other things for sale - Men, Women and Children of the Town of Bethlehem.



## The Sacred Heart Christmas Celebration 2022

We are pleased to invite you to our Christmas Party “**Step into Christmas**” on **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December** in the Church Hall after **6:00 p.m. Mass**. The theme of this year’s event will be the ‘International Community’, celebrating the diversity of nationalities in the Sacred Heart Church Community itself. To add to the fun everyone is invited to wear something that in some way reflects their own nationality. There is a brochure at the back of the Church with plenty of simple suggestions, so please do have a look. You are encouraged, if at all possible, to come in your **national dress** and there will be a competition for the most striking or innovative costume. There will be Prizes! To complete the international theme, we are asking for some **national desserts** to be contributed from various countries. If you are willing to help with this, or in helping to organise the event, it would be much appreciated and you are requested to contact a Member of the Pastoral Team. **Tickets are now available at the price of £25 per person.** Last year we had over ninety attending and we are looking to fill every table in the Church Hall again for what will be a great night!

### FUND-RAISING APPEAL

As a Community of Faith traditionally very aware of the needs of the Missionary Church overseas, we considered it very apt to have accepted a request from Fr. Melaku Tafesse mcccj, a Comboni Missionary (Verona Father) from Ethiopia working out of our Community in Leeds, to support the completion of a **Montessori Kindergarten and Primary School** near **Nekemte** in **South-western Ethiopia**. This is an ambitious year-long project to educate children of school-going age in a very rural area and, in so doing, to improve their chances in life and help alleviate the poverty in which they and their families live. We are hoping to raise £125,000 which is about half the total amount that will be required to complete the School. Thank you all for the warm welcome you gave Fr. Melaku last weekend and for the evident enthusiasm with which the Appeal for the completion of the School in Nekemte was received. Grateful thanks indeed to all who have already donated and to those who have pledged to donate by the end of March next year. As this Appeal will run over the coming year, we would ask you to consider whether you are able to make a pledge to donate in the future. There are ‘pledge sheets’ ranging from **£25 to £200 plus** available from any Member of the Pastoral Team after Mass each day. Other ways to donate are by *Bank Transfer* or *Cheque* (made payable to ‘The Verona Fathers’) or by *Standing Order* or by *Cash*. Details of these methods of donating can be found on the reverse of the *Appeal Leaflet* that Fr. Melaku distributed last weekend. If you do not receive a leaflet, these are available from Fr. Julio or a Member of the Pastoral Team.

### The Vision of the Church

Inspired by the great commission of Christ to the Apostles before He ascended into heaven, we want to “go out into the world and make disciples” (Matthew 28:19). The following are the values we hold at heart, and we want to promote: missionary outreach, a welcoming attitude, regular prayer life, team work, service and the joyful celebration of the Sacraments.

### The Sacred Heart Church Website

We encourage you to visit the website for the Sacred Heart Church in Sunningdale which you can find at: <https://www.sacredheartsunningdale.com> It is very encouraging to receive your feedback so that we can continue to improve our service to you. If you know of anyone from the Sacred Heart Church who would like to receive our Newsletter and updates, please do not hesitate to send us their e-mail address so that they can be added to our mailing list, always though after asking their consent. For those who do not have access to a computer or to the internet, we can always send a copy of the Newsletter and the Sunday Missalette by post, and so we would be obliged if you could pass on your/their name and address, and if appropriate, after asking the person’s consent.

### Weekly Appointments

- **Taizé Prayer Meetings:** We are holding a prayer service every Friday following the spirituality of *Taizé* which is characterized by silent contemplation of the Word of God and inspired by *Taizé* Chants. The Prayer will take place after the 6:00 p.m. Mass and will last for one hour.
- The **Sacred Heart Church Newsletter** is sent via e-mail every **Saturday** morning.

- Two **attachments for the Sunday Eucharist** are sent via e-mail on **Saturday** afternoon, namely: The Weekly Newsletter; And the Sunday Liturgy with **Mass Readings and Prayers**.
- There is **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** on **Wednesdays** from 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. with **Benediction** at 12:15 p.m.
- The **Lectio Divina Prayer Meeting** that takes place over ZOOM on **Thursday evenings** starting at **8:00 p.m.** will resume after the Advent and Christmas break on January 12<sup>th</sup> 2023.
- **Study Group:** The next Study Group Session will take place **23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022**. The topic of discussion is *Faith, Healing and Reconciliation*. We use a supporting text from the novel: "The Shack" by William Paul Young. All are welcome to enjoy interesting discussions to discover and deepen the understanding of our Faith. Please, join this very topical discussion through Zoom: Meeting ID: 998 270 0200. Find this reference at: <https://www.sacredheartsunningdale.com/study-group>
- **Confessions:** Every Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and on call. *Just ring the bell at the main door to the House!*

### **Mission Intention for November 2022: Children Who Suffer.**

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

### **Services to our Faith Community**

**Church Cleaning Roster:** November 26<sup>th</sup> **Jeanette, Michael, Chanelle Czugala**

*We would like to invite volunteers to join the Ministry of the 'Holy Dusters' to help the Community in this important task of cleaning and tidying the church to the delight of all. Volunteers can contact Mrs. Jenny Dias at: [jenniferdias@btconnect.com](mailto:jenniferdias@btconnect.com) or by telephone on **07973 724404**.*

**Reading Ministry:** November 26<sup>th</sup> **6:00 p.m.: Jo Smith**  
 November 27<sup>th</sup> **10:00 a.m.: Valerie Pike**  
 November 27<sup>th</sup> **11:30 a.m.: Harvey Martin**

**Flower Rota:** *During the Season of Advent as is traditional there will be no flower arrangements in Church. Volunteers for the coming year, however, can contact Mrs Siobhan Burn on mobile telephone 07833 968869.*

### **Collection**

Thanks are in order for the **£862.19p** received in the Sunday Collection over last weekend's Masses. We would like to warmly thank all those who continue to contribute to the upkeep of the Church through the Sunday Collection and/or a regular **Bankers/Standing Order**.

### **Prayer Requests for this Week**

"The Lord is near to those who call on Him,  
 who call trustfully upon His name" (Psalm 145:18)

For the **Fitzmaurice Family** on the loss of Teresa after a short illness.

For the **Hooey Family** on the loss of Mike at Frimley Park Hospital after a short illness.

For Philippa and all the **Anderson Family** after the loss of Philip, for courage in faith and hope.

For the **Gracey Family** after the loss of Lionel, for courage in faith and hope.

For the good health of **Mr. Barry Newnham** who is presently at the Farnham Rehabilitation Centre.

For the good health and well-being of **Mrs Edna Baldwin**.

For **Anne and Ian Robertson** on their Fifty-Fourth Wedding Anniversary which fell on October 12<sup>th</sup>. They would like to praise and thank the Lord God for all the many blessings they have received down the years.

For the well-being of **Orest Petrusiak** and Caroline.

For **David**, recovering from major surgery.

For the well-being of the **Mate Family**.

Prayers are requested for the wife and children of **Mr. Thomas (Tom) Murphy RIP** on the great loss of her beloved husband and their Father.

For **Mrs. Teresa Ancona** and her family on the loss of her husband Cecil last 11<sup>th</sup> April 2022.  
For the health of **Mrs. Mellita Taylor**.  
For the health of **Ms. Isabella Schmidt**.  
For the well-being of **Mr. Bill Sox**.  
In thanksgiving for the recovery of **Mr. Sean Smyth**.  
For the well-being of **Mr. Ian Robertson**.  
Prayers are requested for **Mrs. Elizabeth Somapala** and her Family.  
For the well-being of **Sabrina** and her Family.  
For **Simon** and **David Rawlins**, their **Father and Families** on the passing of their Mother, Teresa Ann (Terry) Rawlins.  
For the **Viaje Family** on the loss of Jose, Father of the late Elvira Bucu RIP.  
For the return to full health of **Mr. Charles Pinsent**.  
For the **Griffith Family** on the death at an early age of Paul RIP.  
For the **Hughes Family** on the very unexpected death of their dear brother, Paul.  
For **Mrs. Nina Tresillian** and her family on the untimely death of her daughter Annabel at the age of 38. Annabel was buried from the Assumption of Our Lady Church in Englefield Green 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022.  
For **Fr. Martin Devenish** and his **Family** on the unexpected death of Edward James.  
For the recovery from a recent operation of **Mr. Toni Perera**, brother of Mrs. Sharmi Wieck.  
For **Mr. Michael Burn**, Siobhan's husband, and their Family on the loss of his Mother Wynne.  
For **Mrs. Margaret Mills**, the sister of Harvey Martin who has been diagnosed with cancer.  
For **Adrian** and **Amanda** and the well-being of their family.  
For the good health and recovery of **Mrs. Christine Hambley**.  
For the good health of **Mrs. Julie Erdmann**.  
In thanksgiving for the recovery of **Mrs. Nicky Pardo**.  
For the good health of **Sandy**.  
For **Mrs. Shelagh Johnston** and her family and her Family on loss of their beloved Terry.  
For **Cidalia**, and her children, **Marco and Lilyana**, on the death of their Father, **Virgilio Marques RIP**.  
For **Mr. Vincent O'Sullivan** (the Father of Mrs Sonia Clarke) for his health and well-being.  
For **Mrs. Lorraine Mulroy** and her children on the death of her husband, Ambrose.  
For **Mr. Gordon Littlecott** and his sons, on the great loss of his wife and their mother, Sheelagh.  
For the recovery of **Mr. Tony Wilson**.  
For the well-being of **Mr. Robert Timpson**, for **Carole** and her Family.  
For the well-being **Mr. Bill Biles**, and of his wife, **Emma**.  
For the well-being of **Julie Mallison**.  
For Noelle McNelis' brother-in-law, **Colin Wood**.  
For **Stephanie**.  
For the well-being of **Mrs Jennifer Street**.  
For good health for **Mrs Anne Russell**.  
For the recovery of **Mr. Robert Czgula**.  
For the successful medical treatment of **Mrs Maggie Wordingham**.  
For the improvement of health of **Mrs Catherine Ware**.

### **Your prayers are also requested**

For the eternal rest of **Mrs Teresa Fitzmaurice RIP** who passed away on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mr. Philip Anderson RIP** who passed away on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mr. Lionel Gracey RIP** who passed away on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mrs Gloria Barras RIP** who passed away on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mr. Patrick Harrington RIP** who passed away on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **H.M. Queen Elizabeth II**.  
For the eternal rest of **Mr. Thomas (Tom) Murphy RIP** who died on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mrs Teresa Ann (Terry) Rawlins RIP**, who died on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022.  
For the eternal rest of **Mr. Jose Viaje RIP** who passed away on June 29<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For the eternal rest of **Mr. Paul Griffith RIP** who passed away on June 29<sup>th</sup> 2022 after a long battle with cancer.

For the eternal rest of **Mr. Paul Hughes RIP**.

For the eternal rest of **Annabel Tresillian-Clarke** who died of Covid-related causes at the early age of 38 years.

For the eternal rest of **Edward Devenish RIP** who died in the early evening of June 2<sup>nd</sup> 2022.

For the eternal rest of **Mrs Wynne Burn RIP** Siobhan's mother-in-law who passed away on May 19<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For the eternal rest of **Virgilio Marques RIP** who was found dead at home on April 14<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For the eternal rest of **Mrs Mary Richmond RIP**.

For the eternal rest of **Ambrose Mulroy RIP** who died on the afternoon of April 18<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For the eternal rest of **Cecil D'Ancona RIP** (*'The Dentist'*).

For **Mr. Terry Johnston RIP** who passed to the Father's house on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

For the eternal rest of **Larry**, who has died at only thirty-one years of age.

For **Mrs Sheelagh Littlecott RIP**, who passed away in the early hours of Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2022.

For **Mrs Christine Bambury**, Nuala's mother-in-law who passed away unexpectedly on March 12<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For **Ms. Siobhan Marrow RIP**, the niece of Pat and Sean Smyth, who lost her life to cancer on January 13<sup>th</sup> 2022.

For **Mr. Simon Gaffney RIP**, a nephew of Nicky Pardo who has recently passed away most unexpectedly at only fifty-two years of age leaving a widow and three teenage children.

For **Mr. John McGoldrick RIP** who died at the young age of 48 on December 21<sup>st</sup> 2021.

For **Mr. Anton Strigáč RIP**, Father of Janette Strigáčová, who passed away unexpectedly on November 23<sup>rd</sup> 2021.

For **Frances Reynolds RIP**, dear friend of Ann Roberston, who died on January 9<sup>th</sup> 2022.

**Mrs. Eileen Berkeley** who passed away on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

For **Mrs. Claire Dunn RIP** who passed away on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021.

For **Mr. Brian Donovan RIP**.

For **Mrs. Patricia Margaret Moore RIP** who passed away on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021 at the age of 92.

For **Mr. Andy Maslaveckas RIP** who passed away on October 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 after a short battle with cancer.

For **Mrs. Sona Watt RIP** who passed away on August 24<sup>th</sup> 2021.

For **Mr. Honorable Generoso RIP**, the Uncle of Ms. Mel Genova who passed away recently in the Philippines.

For **Mr. Donald Davenport RIP** who passed away on August 17<sup>th</sup> 2021 at the age of 77.

For **Mr. Robert Paul Beahan RIP** who passed away on August 24<sup>th</sup> 2021 at the age of 92.

For **Florence Clarito Alimen RIP** who passed away recently after an unfortunate accident.

For **Mrs. Maureen Hannon DHS RIP** who passed away on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2021.

For **Mrs. Margaret Devenish RIP** who passed away of old age on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021.

For **Mrs. Teresa Pinsent RIP** who passed away on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2021.

For **Mrs. Helen McNelis RIP** who passed away on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

For **Mrs. Sandra Garratt**.

For **Mr. Adrian Thomas RIP**, who passed away on 11<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

For **Mr. Pat O'Connor RIP**, who passed away on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021.

For **Mr. Thomas Reilly RIP**, the brother of **Mrs Patricia Brown**, who passed away after a very short illness.

For **Mrs. Patricia Mary Conroy RIP**, who passed away on June 1<sup>st</sup> 2021.

For **Mr. Zoltan Torok RIP** who passed away unexpectedly through a motorcycle accident.

For **Mr. Agnelo Menezes RIP**, the dear Father of Christabelle Menezes-Sachdev who sadly passed away from COVID-19 on May 1<sup>st</sup> 2021.

For **Tash Athanasiades RIP** who passed away on May 14<sup>th</sup> 2021.

For **June Barnes RIP**, who passed away at the age of 88 on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2021.

For **Mr. Jamie McCaul RIP**, who passed away on March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2021 and was buried from our

Church on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March.

For **Mr. Thomas Francis Fleming RIP**, on the anniversary of his death.

For **Mrs. Ann Mary Smyth RIP**, on the anniversary of her death.

For **Mr. Thomas Smyth RIP**, on the anniversary of his death.

For **Wyn Vickers RIP**, who passed away on February 27<sup>th</sup> 2021.

For **Mr. Tony Mercer RIP**, who passed away on February 7<sup>th</sup> 2021.

For **Mrs. Bridget McGeechan RIP**, who died on February 1<sup>st</sup> 2021.

For **Mr. Thomas Patrick Salmon RIP** who passed away on 26<sup>th</sup> December 2020 and was buried from the Sacred Heart Church on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

For **Ms. Theresa Fanning** who passed away on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

***We would like to encourage you not to hesitate to ring or send a message  
if the Fathers are able to assist you in any way.***