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PARISH NEWSLETTER 20 NOVEMBER - 4 DECEMBER 2022

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Confessions straight after Morning Mass Monday-Saturday, and Evening Prayer Monday-Friday; after Saturday 6.30pm Mass; as otherwise advertised, and by appointment. All services at Holy Rood are livestreamed: hinkseyparish.org churchservices.tv/hinksey

SUNDAY 20 November				**CHRIST THE KING**
		WEEKDAY MASS READINGS YEAR 2 | BREVIARY WEEK 2 | 24TH AND LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		
	Saturday	Holy Rood	5.00pm Mass *(Divine Worship) Pro populo*	
		Our Lady of the Rosary	6.30pm Mass *Departed of the Iredale and Lafferty Families*	
		Holy Rood	7.30pm Mass in Portuguese	
	Sunday	Our Lady of the Rosary	9.15am Mass *Anne Lansberry RIP*	
		Holy Rood	11.15am Sung Mass *Nives Paschetto RIP*	
			No 5.00pm Mass this week.	
Monday 21 November				**No Mass &c today**
Tuesday 22 November	Holy Rood	10.00am Requiem Mass *Ben Gunter RIP*		
	Our Lady of the Rosary	8.00-9.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament		
Wednesday 23 November				**No Mass &c. today**
Thursday 24 November	Holy Rood	9.00am Mass *(Divine Worship) November List*		St Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions
Friday 25 November	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass (Latin 1962) *November List*		*St Catherine of Alexandria*
		5.00pm Evening Prayer		
Saturday 26 November	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass *November List*		*Feria/Our Lady on Saturday*
		9.30-10.30am Adoration; Confessions		
SUNDAY 27 November	**Saturday**	Holy Rood	4.30pm Evening Prayer	**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT** YEAR A
			5.00pm Sung Mass *(Divine Worship) November List*	
		Our Lady of the Rosary	6.30pm Mass *Joan Flockton RIP*	
		Holy Rood	7.30pm Mass in Portuguese	
	Sunday	Our Lady of the Rosary	9.15am Sung Mass *Bruce Tollis RIP*	
		Holy Rood	10.45am Children's Catechesis	
			11.15am Sung Mass *James McDaid RIP (Anniv)*	
		Holy Rood	5.00pm Mass *(Latin, 1962) November List*	
Monday 28 November	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass *November List*		*of the First Week of Advent*
		5.00pm Evening Prayer | 5.15pm Children's Choir		
Tuesday 29 November	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass *November List*		*of the First Week of Advent*
	Our Lady of the Rosary	**7.30pm Mass**; 8.00-8.30 Confessions 8.00-9.00 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament		
Wed 30 November	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass | 5.00pm Evening Prayer *McDaid Family RIP*		**St Andrew**
Thursday 1 December	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass *(Divine Worship) Private Int*		St Edmund Campion
		5.00pm Evening Prayer		
Friday 2 December	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass (Latin 1962) *Celebrant's Int*		*of the First Week of Advent*
		5.00pm Evening Prayer		
Saturday 3 December	Holy Rood	8.30am Morning Prayer | 9.00am Mass		St Francis Xavier
		Confessions 9.30-10.30am; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9.30am-12.30pm		
		3.00pm Requiem Mass *for Fr Robin Sanders, celebrated by Bishop Philip Egan*		
SUNDAY 4 December	**Saturday**	Holy Rood	4.30pm Evening Prayer	**SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT** YEAR A
			5.00pm Sung Mass *(Divine Worship)*	
		Our Lady of the Rosary	6.30pm Mass *Federico Riva RIP (Anniv)*	
		Holy Rood	7.30pm Mass in Portuguese	
	Sunday	Our Lady of the Rosary	9.15am Sung Mass *Joan Flockton RIP*	
		Holy Rood	10.45am Children's Catechesis	
			11.15am Sung Mass *Kathleen & Clifford Broome RIP*	
		Holy Rood	5.00pm Mass *(Latin, 1962) Pro populo*	

HINKSEY CATHOLIC PARISH

SIX HOLY HABITS, from our Bishop:

- keep Sunday special, a family day, by attending Mass;
- spend 5 minutes a day in prayer using the Scriptures;
- do penance on Fridays, and serve the poor and needy
- every fortnight make a Holy Half-Hour before the Blessed Sacrament;
- go to Confession once a month;
- join a small group for formation, prayer and fellowship.

WELCOME: To all regulars, visitors, newcomers, explorers and pilgrims.

LET US PRAY: for peace in Ukraine; for those who are sick, or in any kind of need; and for the faithful departed, among them Joan Flockton, Fr Robin Sanders, and Fr Ian Ker.

FOR YOUR DIARY | Advent begins on **Sunday 27 November**.

Bishop Philip will offer a Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Fr Robin Sanders at Holy Rood on **Saturday 3 December** at 3.00pm. All welcome.

Our Lessons and Carols for Advent is on **Sunday 18 December** at **6.30pm**, followed by refreshments.

Carols by Candlelight on **Friday 23 December.**

PLEASE NOTE | I shall be away Friday 18-Thursday 24 inclusive doing PhD things. Please therefore note changes in Masses over that period. In an emergency, please contact the office or, if in hospital, the hospital chaplains.

Additionally, there will be some electrical work going on in Holy Rood on Monday 21 November, so beware if you're intending to call in to pray: this is best done this week on Thursday when the office is open. *FrD*

CLOSER TO CHRIST CAMPAIGN: UPDATE 10 NOVEMBER | The Fundraising Campaign continues, to support seminarians in our diocese, retired and sick clergy, and parishes. So as to play our part and to support our clergy and diocese more widely, and our parish in particular, we have established an £80,000 five-year goal to be raised in pledges within the next month. This is ambitious, but I have been overwhelmed by the generosity of our parishioners with whom I have discussed the project to date. Thanks to their kindness, to date we have raised nearly **£70,000** from the pledges of only **16** individuals and families. At this point, I ask everyone to consider whether they might be able to contribute. If we reach our goal, we will receive a return from it of c.£5500 per year every year for five years for the parish. If we exceed it, half of everything above the £80,000 comes back to us. Of course the danger is that we all say in response to this, "we're nearly there, so *I* don't need to bother giving anything." Not so! That is precisely the way to make sure we don't do our bit here in this parish. There will be information packs and forms available this weekend and next!

Can I please ask that, whether you are able to give to this extra project, you use this as a prompt to a) check whether what you give to the parish is right for you at the moment; and b) that, if possible, it has Gift Aid along with it?

OUR PARISH'S ADVENT PROGRAMME | Please take one: includes details of extra masses, prayer, confession, talks etc.

SCHOOL OF THE WORD | Coming soon: we're going to read the book of Genesis together.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY | Our parish now has an active branch of SVP. Our purpose is to help people in need with practical or financial assistance. We are a small group of trained volunteers who meet regularly at Holy Rood. Do you have a friend or neighbour in financial difficulties or are you struggling yourself? We can be contacted via the Parish Office on 01865 274986 or office@hinkseyparish.org, and all enquiries will be treated in strict confidence.

ORDINARIATE/DIVINE WORSHIP | Mass according to *Divine Worship: The Missal for the Ordinariates* is indicated by "Divine Worship" in the Newsletter. Saturdays at 5.00pm (Sung Mass), Thursdays at 9.00am. Daily prayer is also according to Divine Worship.

CHILDREN'S CATECHESIS | For primary-school-aged children on Sunday mornings at 10.45am at Holy Rood. Resumes on the First Sunday of Advent, 4 December, at 10.45am.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS DAY-BY-DAY BOOKS | These are available designed for Infants and Children: we can order them directly. Please let us know if you want one for your child/ren and which age-group they need. We are happy to give them for free, just so long as we know how many to get. Donations to cover the cost are, of course, welcome but not essential.

FLAME | The largest youth gathering of Catholics, Flame is back, taking place at the OVO Arena, Wembley on Saturday 4th March 2023, with the theme 'Rise Up!' All young people attached to your parish, school or university are WELCOME! The only stipulation is that they are in at least year 9, so around 14. There will be loud music, bright lights, and moments of stillness. Any questions you have about the event can be answered by emailing youth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk or phoning 07780 221686. **Update 10 November 2022:** This notice has been in the Newsletter for a little while now. As you see, it doesn't ask you to let the parish know if you're interested, but if there is anyone in the parish who is interested in going, do let us know as there may be transport and other support we can give. Contact the office.

CARMELITE YOUNG ADULT GROUP I For 18-35s, run by the Boars Hill Carmelite friars (Discalced) at Holy Rood. Our next meeting is Monday the 21st of November at 19:30 with Fr Alex, OCD. He will be talking on 1 Timothy 4:18-16 - Values for Godly living (Part 1). We begin with a talk at 19:30, have a discussion and end with prayer by 21:00. Contact Kate on 07933765367 if you have any questions. The last meeting this year will be on Monday 5 December at 19:30. All are welcome.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 | If you are going to be aged 16 or above by July 2023, you are invited to join with like-minded young people from across the diocese to journey on pilgrimage to Lisbon for World Youth Day. Please email wyd@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk for more information.

PARISH OFFICE | Mondays and Thursdays 8.00am-5.00pm.

COMMUNICATIONS | Parish Office office@hinkseyparish.org Fr Daniel 07584 323915 and dlloyd@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk (please update your email address books if you have any addresses stored other than these) For the Diocese: Facebook @PortsmouthRC; Twitter: @PortsmouthRC The Diocese website: https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/ If you have news that you would like to share with the rest of the Diocese, please contact communications@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

GIVING | Online Giving Visit hinkseyparish.org and click the "Donate now" button. **Cheques** to "PRCDTR North Hinksey Our Lady". **Cash** in the boxes at the back of church labelled "Offertory and Donations" **Bank Details** Acct No. 00 88 33 37, Sort Code 30 93 04 **Direct Debit/ Standing Order** Contact the parish office. **Gift Aid** Yellow envelopes—we only get the gift aid if you fill out the details! Planned giving via the office. **Cards** Donations to the parish, payments for books, gifts, etc., can be done by debit card at Holy Rood. Contactless available (up to the limit) and PIN above it. Full instructions by the machine at the back of church.

USING GIFT AID ENVELOPES | If you use the yellow Gift Aid envelopes, you have got to put your name and other details in the space provided, otherwise we do not get gift aid on your donation. *An envelope which is used but not filled out is a wasted envelope.*

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