

Bishop Richard reflects on the 150th Anniversary of the Cathedral :

‘Last weekend the Diocese marked the 150th Anniversary of the Cathedral with wonderful celebrations of Vespers and Mass. The Cathedral Choir provided outstanding music and I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone, especially the Cathedral staff, for the very significant amount of work that went into ensuring such a great celebration.

On Thursday 6th another special celebration took place, when we marked the work of our schools and recognised the many years’ service given by a number of those involved in education in our schools. Our school communities are so important to the life of the Diocese, supporting parents in the education of their children and enabling so many to grow in understanding of their Catholic faith, and to see all learning and development in a Divine context.

This formation in faith, and in life, is a key aspect in all our lives, enabling us to deepen our relationship with the person of Christ and to share that message with our brothers and sisters. Our schools so often show us the way in this regard and the recent Good Shepherd celebration, again at the Cathedral, brought students of all ages together to reflect on Christ as the Good Shepherd and to mark their work for the Church in other parts of the world.

The St Philip Howard artwork that has been produced is another element of the Cathedral's 150th celebrations. You can see it on the diocesan website and it will also feature in a new exhibition at Arundel Museum, which opens on Friday, and focuses on the life and witness of St Philip Howard. This is yet another opportunity for evangelisation.

I ask you today to pray for our school communities – for staff, for students and for their families – that our schools may grow and flourish in the role they play in the life and work of the Diocese, and in their witness to Christ in our wider society, enabling all in their care to spread the Good News that is Jesus, the Word Who is Life.’

With every blessing, Bishop Richard

‘You Raise Me Up’ charity supports families who have lost a young adult between the ages of 16 & 25; the collection last week and Br Neil’s pilgrimage to Santiago di Compostela raised £750 for the charity. Thanks to all who contributed.

‘World In Need’ is an international gospel-humanitarian mission based in Crowborough, East Sussex. They have installed a clothing bin in the car park at CTK. If you have any unwanted clothing, please place it in the bin in a plastic bag. The bin will be emptied regularly.

Friends of St Thomas a Becket Catholic Primary School proudly present ‘Big Top Bonanza, Summer Fair & Circus’ on Sat July 15th, 10.30am-4.00pm. For tickets enter ‘Friends of St Thomas a Becket Catholic Primary School’ into a search engine and follow the link.

July is the month dedicated to the Precious Blood of Our Saviour, Jesus Christ. There are copies of a litany to the Precious Blood at the back of the church. This devotion goes all the way back to the early church; in 96 AD, Pope St. Clement I wrote: “Let us fix our gaze on the blood of Christ”

Services this week - please note there is NO MASS on Tues 11th July or Wed July 12th; the intentions will be said by Fr Neil privately. Deacon Eugene will lead a Liturgy of the Word on Wed at St Jo’s. There will still be Exposition and Adoration as usual on Thursday 5.30-7.00pm and 1.00pm-5.00pm on Friday.

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Hymns :

Open : (CTK) 32 ‘All you who seek a comfort’
(St Jo’s) 21 ‘All my hope on God is founded’
Off.(CTK) 337 ‘Love divine’
(St Jo’s) 398 ‘ Love divine’
Close : CTK. : 66 ‘Blest are the pure in heart’
(St Jo’s). 88 ‘Blest are the pure in heart’

Benches at CTK. : These arrived during the week; many thanks to all who helped to install the benches in CTK. We intend to improve the quality of the kneelers in the near future.

CTK Summer BBQ on Saturday August 19th from 2pm-5pm. Beef Burgers and Hot Dogs on sale at approximately £3.50 each. Bring your own wine etc. Tea and Coffee available. Games for children available. All welcome.

Discussions are being held about Mass times for both parishes (CTK & St Joachim’s) and the Ordinariate. Any comments or questions, see Fr Neil.

Theology of the Body. Due to Fr Neil’s break over the next week, the sessions on St Pope John Paul II’s teaching on the theology of the body will restart when he has returned.

Fr Neil will be away from July 12-22nd. Services over the weekend 15/16 July will be celebrated by Fr Nicholas Leveseur of the Ordinariate Parish in Pembury. Later in the month, Fr John Yemi Popoola, a friend of Augustine’s, will also be supplying for Fr Neil. Mass times will be altered while Fr Neil is away; daily mass is offered at OLR. We extend a warm welcome to both visiting priests who are enabling Fr Neil to have a well earned break.

Spanish Lessons available. Spanish Lessons for beginners age 9 upwards, will start on September 9th at 10am. £5 to register then £2.50 per week. Please contact Heather : 07908487603.

Pilgrimage of reparation and consecration to Our Lady. On July 15th - it is open to all and takes place at Our Lady of Consolation Church, West Grinstead : 12noon till 4.15 pm. For more information, contact John : 01323 726334

Day pilgrimage to Aylesford on Tues 11th July, depart CTK at 9.15am, and leaving Aylesford at around 4./4.30pm. Contact Amanda - 07932019300. Aylesford Friary is a beautiful shrine to Our Lady in Kent, originating in 1251 when Our Lady appeared to St Simon Stock and gave him the scapular.

St Joachim’s Parish Barn Dance and BBQ on July 22nd, 5-9.00pm. Tickets go on sale this weekend- £5 adult, £2.50 for children, under 3’s free. The evening will include music, games and a raffle. All welcome to this great opportunity to support the parish community and have a fun evening.

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<http://christthekingeastbourne.org>

Facebook page: Christ The King with St Joachim, Eastbourne

Banking Matters

We have shortened the name of the bank account for those who wish to set up standing orders for Christ the King. **CTK main account** details : Sort Code : **40-05-20** A/C No : **91127012; CTK Building Account No : 61256130.** A/C Name : **RCD A&B Christ the King Eastbourne. St Joachim’s A/C. Sort Code : 40-05-20; A/C No : 51077058.**

Votive Candles. Would you like to sponsor a weekly candle by the Blessed Sacrament tabernacle or the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham in CTK? There are forms available at the back of the church. This week the candles are for Denis Clavio RIP and John Barron RIP.

Prayers before Mass: the Holy Rosary will be recited every Sunday at 10.45am. All welcome.

Make a donation on-line to the parish today! Scan the QR code below, select our parish and add Gift Aid if you pay tax. Also see the poster at the back of the church.



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time		Mass Intentions
Sat. July 8th	CTK. : 4-4.45. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament CTK. : 5.00pm	People of the parish
Sun July 9th	St Jo’s : 9.30am. Mass CTK. : 11.30am Mass CTK. : 4.00pm Mass (DW)	Earthly & Spiritual Blessings Peace of Body & Mind Maria & Bohus RIP
Mon July 10th	No Public Mass	(Priest’s Intention)
Tues July 11th	No Public Mass today	(For all our intentions)
St Benedict		
Wed July 12th	ST Jo's : 10.00am Liturgy of the Word.	(Holy Souls)
Thurs July 13th	CTK : 5.30pm-7.00pm : Exposition and Holy Hour for Priests No Public Mass today	(Zuzana & Julius RIP)
Fri July 14th	No Public Mass today Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 1.00pm - 5.00pm.	(Mother Ellen & Brother Walter RIP)
Sat. July 15th	4-5.00pm. CTK : Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament CTK : 5.00.Mass	Pad McCormack RIP
Sun. July 16th	St Jo’s : 9.30am Mass CTK : 11.30am Mass CTK : 4pm Mass (DW)	People of the Parish Holy Souls in purgatory Valeria

We pray for: Emma Raper, Eithne Lloyd, Peter Champion, Chris Gimmons, Stuart McCarthy, Helena Sagnelia, Frankie Farrell, Daisy Kelly, Sue & Mick O’Driscoll, Rene Cook, Jan Blake, Sandra McMeekin, David Dwyer, Diana Smith, Sr Mary Keiley, Jane Hollands, Kirina Blaty, Moira Morrison, Philip Duffy, Pamela Chatfield, Eddie Burke, Theresa Kitchener, Betty Donovan, Marie Williams, Terry Swales, Pauline Sollis, Alexandra Waters, Daniel Markham, Maria P Veras, John Mack, Alison J Thomas, Mary Ayling, Alan Calivas, Maria Rosa Ferro,

For the recently deceased: Daniel Ramscar, Patrick Chatfield, Roy Worsley, Margareta (Greti) Roche, Colleen Stock, Steven Chatfield, Eileen Marshall, Denis Clavio, Fr Trevor Welland, John Barron

The theme is ‘**Listen to Her**’ and focuses on post-abortion trauma and the impact of abortion primarily on women, but also men and others.