

**Bishop Richard reflects on this Sunday’s Mass Readings :**

The two-fold commandments given by the Lord in this Sunday’s Gospel sum up the way of life to which we are called. First - the love of God with every fibre of our being. Second - the outpouring of that relationship amongst all around us. We can remember in this context the parable of the Good Samaritan, which is a response to the question to Jesus: ‘Who is my neighbour?’. The parable gives the example of the kindness of a foreigner so there are really no bounds to the definition of ‘neighbour.’

The call to holiness, which is the subject of the third chapter of *Lumen Gentium* - the Constitution on the Church coming from the Second Vatican Council - is the highest calling for the human person. There is no greater activity for us than the praise of God, the love of God, our relationship with God - the relationship of love that God has for us all. Indeed, our human relationships should be mirrors of that love of God for us.

At a time when the world is torn apart in so many places, and when we experience so much injustice all around us, near and far, let us open our minds and hearts once again to the love of the Father for us - seen in the death and resurrection of His Son and in the outpouring of the Holy Spirit - that our lives may be channels of that love to our brother and sisters.

With prayers and blessings , Bishop Richard.

**November is the month of the Holy Souls.** There are various opportunities for us to remember and pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory during this month. Among them are :

**All Saints and All Souls Masses :**  
**Oct 31st** (All Saints Vigil) at CTK. : 7.00pm (DW);  
**Nov 1st** (All Saints). This is a Holy Day of Obligation. St Jo’s : 10.00am. CTK. : 12noon  
**Nov 2nd** (All Souls) St Jo’s : 10.00am; CTK. 12noon; CTK. 7.00pm : Requiem Mass. (DW).

**All Saints Celebration** at CTK on Wed 1st Nov, 6pm-8pm - please bring some party food. Tea, coffee and squash provided. Children to come dressed as their favourite saint. We will have a children’s liturgy, stories, face painting, games and fireworks! All welcome as we celebrate All Saint’s Day.

**Blessing of the graves:** Saturday 4th November 10.30am Garden of remembrance at CTK; and 11.15am at Langney cemetery.

**November Votive Candles :** Forms for the 7 day votive candles placed in the Sacred Heart chapel are available. We light a candle for 7 days in memory of our departed loved ones during November, the month of the Holy Souls. These will run for the whole of November.

**November Prayer Lists :** these are available for you to include the names of your departed loved ones; they are placed in the Lady Chapel during November and remembered at daily Mass. Lists available at the back of the church.

**Advance notice :** there will be no Mass on Tues. 7th Nov in CTK. On Wed. 8th Nov, there will be a Liturgy of the Word at St Jo’s at 10.00am led by Deacon Eugene. Fr Neil will say the allocated Mass intentions privately.

**Hailsham Choral presents** ‘Petite Messe Solonnelle’ by Rossini on Nov 11th at St Saviour’s Church, South Street at 7.30pm. See notice at the back of the church for ticket details.

Hymns for 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Open : (116). ‘Dear Lord and Father’  
St Jo’s :(143). ‘Dear Lord and Father’  
Off : CTK (510). ‘Take my life’  
St Jo’s (478). “Make me a channel’  
Close: CTK (693). “For the healing”  
St Jo’s (799). ‘Whatsoever you do’

**St Joachim’s :** a date for your diary : 2nd December, carols & mulled wine, 3pm. More details later.

**Saints and Sinners Concert.** Our Lady of Ransom Church – Sat 4<sup>TH</sup> Nov, 7.30pm. An evening of secular and sacred music and storytelling. With John Holstrom, Dominic Dring, Elisha Dring, and special guests.

**Discussions are being held about Mass times** for both parishes (CTK and St Joachim’s) and the Ordinariate. More details, see our website, but no substantial changes will be made until after Easter and a discussion within the parishes. See [www.christthekingeastbourne.com](http://www.christthekingeastbourne.com)

**Eddie Burke RIP :** We pray for the repose of the soul of Eddie who died recently, and remember his family and friends at this time. Eddie’s funeral is on November 9th at 12noon. May he rest in peace.

**DGH Hospital Mass** is celebrated at 12noon on the last Tuesday of each month in the hospital chapel. The next Mass is on Tuesday 31st Oct. All welcome as we pray for the patients, staff and families.

**Senior Friends of CTK** will next meet on Tues 7th Nov in the parish room at CTK, 11am-1.00pm. A light lunch will be provided. This group offers friendship, helping and supporting one another in whatever needs we may have and like to discuss. Be great to see you!

**Community Lunch on Sun 19th Nov at CTK.** Whether you are on your own or with others, come along and enjoy lunch together at 1.00pm in the parish hall. Everyone welcome. Please bring some prepared food to share. Tea, coffee and squash will be provided. Food can be kept in the kitchen if you are attending morning Mass.

**Christmas Raffle.** We are now collecting bottles of alcohol and special/festive items we could use in our Christmas Hampers. If you have something to donate, please give it to David Cockett or Amanda. Thanks. More details on the Raffle to follow.

**Litany for the Holy Souls in Purgatory** is available at the back of the church to help us in our devotions during November, reflecting on the faithful departed.

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**Parish Hall Bookings**  
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**Website :**  
**<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 for a personal intention or a special individual, by the Blessed Sacrament tabernacle, the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham or the statue of St Joseph by the church porch? This week the candles are for Micheline and peace in the world. There are forms available at the back of the church if you would like to sponsor a candle.

**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.



	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mass Intentions
Sat. Oct 28th	CTK. : 4-4.45pm. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament CTK. : 5.00pm	For the Society of Jesus around the world
Sun Oct 29th 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	St Jo's : 9.30am. Mass  CTK. : 11.30am Mass  CTK. : 4.00pm Mass (DW)	Marzanna, Jarek & Rebecca, for blessings & graces  Gerard Scothern & family  Fr Eamon Monson
Mon Oct 30th	No Public Mass	(The Cuchet family RIP : Alain, Roland, Paulette, Pouchet )
Tues Oct 31st	CTK : 10.00am Mass.  CTK. : 7.00pm Vigil Mass for All Saints (DW)	<a href="#">Priests</a>  Kazimiera Przybylak RIP
Wed Nov 1st All Saints Holy Day of Obligation	St Jo's : 10.00am Mass  CTK. : 12noon	Sneha - for many blessings  Sheila Hichisson
Thurs Nov 2nd  All Souls	St Jo's : 10.00am Mass CTK : 12noon Mass CTK : 5.30pm-7.00pm : Exposition and Holy Hour for Priests 7.00pm. Requiem Mass (DW)	Holy Souls Holy Souls  For the Church
Fri Nov 3rd  St Martin de Porres	CTK. : 12noon Mass followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 12.30pm -5.00pm.	Fr David Rhys RIP
Sat Nov 4th  St Charles Borromeo	Blessing of Graves  4-4.45pm. CTK : Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament CTK : 5.00pm Mass	CTK memorial garden : 10.30am Langney cemetery : 11.15am  Shannon de La Motte
Sun. Nov 5th  31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	St Jo's : 9.30am Mass  CTK : 11.30am Mass  CTK : 4pm Mass (DW)	Answered prayers  For all kinds of suffering in then world  Thanksgiving

**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 and John Hollands, Kirina Blaty, Moira Morrison, Philip Duffy, Pamela Chatfield, Theresa Kitchener, Betty Donovan, Marie Williams, Terry Swales, Pauline Sollis, Alexandra Waters, Lucas Mack, Zachary Hurst (age 3 years) Daniel Markham, Maria P Veras, Alison J Thomas, Mary Ayling, Alan Calivas, Fr Laurence Quin-Morris, Maria Rosa Ferro, Deacon Dave Turner, June Neville

**For the recently deceased:** Eddie Burke, Daniel Henry Lynch, Philip Drake, Doreen Patricia Byrne, Lilian Mary Kiely