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Sunday, 23rd November 2025

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE – YEAR C

1100hrs Mass Intention: Arthur Robinson RIP

Preface: Christ, King of the Universe

Eucharistic Prayer III

Entrance Hymn: 320

Offertory Hymn: 321

Communion Hymn: 319

Recessional Hymn: 326

Kyrie: 521

Gloria: 998

Sanctus: 559

Acclamation: 560

Great Amen: 562

Agnus Dei: 592

WELCOME EVERYONE

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

Children over four years old are invited to go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. The vestry is available for those with children who need a place to play. Activity bags, containing appropriate books and other materials, hanging on the chairs at the back of church may be borrowed to keep children engaged during Mass. Please replace them after use and before leaving the building. Refreshments after Mass will be available at the back of church.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Celebrant: Bishop Paul Mason
Welcome Team: Mrs E Allen; Mrs K Belgum
Readers: Col P Rossiter; Mrs P Powell
Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs E Haddon; Mrs O Beattie
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs P Brooks

THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from **1000hrs - 1600hrs**

Mon 24th Nov: *St Andrew Dung-Lac, priest, & Comps, martyrs*

Tue 25th Nov: *St Catherine of Alexandria*

Wed 26th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year I*
1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week II)
1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

Kath Denney RIP

Thu 27th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year I*

Fri 28th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year I*
1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mr P Ndungu; Mrs E Ngatia
Readers: Mrs N Francis-Crerar; Col P Rossiter
Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs P Rossiter; Mrs P Powell
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, together with the youth of today as they seek to discern their calling to be disciples, in your personal intercessions.

SUPPORTING OTHERS

There will be a Table Top Sale and Bottle Tombola in support of our various charities after Mass today.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 892 5175 5457

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89251755457?pwd=egX1Yq9fKzJuq4lPCt0koKBk3JDQDu.1> Passcode: 565608

Wednesday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 837 3209 4163

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83732094163?pwd=17p36w8JnTaqwKUQx8A0jrxunbxv15.1> Passcode: 049046

TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

In his Message for the 40th World Youth Day, Pope Leo XIV encourages young people not to “follow those who use the words of faith to divide” but to work for reconciliation, “becoming active artisans of peace. Remark on the theme of this observance - *You also are my witnesses, because you have been with me (Jn 15:37)* - the Pope says as pilgrims of hope and by power of the Holy Spirit we prepare ourselves to become courageous witnesses of Christ, and he focused on two aspects of witness: “our friendship with Jesus, which we receive from God as a gift, and our commitment to be builders of peace in society.” The full text of the message is on the noticeboard and the Bishopric website.

IN GRATITUDE

Many thanks to all who have donated financially in support of the Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice for sewing and garment work undertaken by Olwyn Beattie. A letter of recognition in respect of the £280 received is on the noticeboard.

PURCHASING POWER

The Advent and some Christmas repository merchandise is now on display and available for purchase. A one day only 50% sale of non-festive items will take place next Sunday, 30th November.

SPRITUAL OPPORTUNITY

Next Saturday, 29th November an Advent Retreat will take place in St Swithun's Church, Firgrove Road, Yateley, GU46 6NH from 0900hrs to 1330hrs. Free to attend, no booking required, and further details are on the noticeboard and Bishopric website.

FAITHFUL REFLECTIONS

The Catholic Union Advent Calendar, featuring daily contributions from leading Catholic figures in public life, is available to download free at: www.catholicunion.org.uk/advent-2025/

AND FINALLY ...

... the only mistake in life is the lesson not learned.

*With every blessing
Fr Nick*