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Sunday, 24th November 2024

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

1100hrs Mass Intention: John Beattie RIP

Entrance Hymn: 109			
Offertory Hymn: 321	Kyrie: 521	Acclamation: 560	
Communion Hymn: 319	Gloria: 998	Great Amen: 562	
Recessional Hymn: 320	Sanctus: 559	Agnus Dei: 592	

The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on a Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation has been reinstated. Pastoral consideration for the vulnerable and those isolating is imperative and appropriate dispensations remain in place for them.

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. 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.
 After Mass refreshments are served at the back of church.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Ward; Mrs P Rossiter
Readers: Mrs A Paintin; Mrs J White
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from **1000hrs - 1600hrs**
 Mon 25th Nov: *St Catherine of Alexandria*
 1200hrs – Funeral Mass (Zoom available)
Gabriel Rodrigues RIP
 Tue 26th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year II*
 Wed 27th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year II*
 1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week II)
 1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)
Deceased members of the O'Sullivan Family
 Thu 28th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year II*
 Fri 29th Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 34, Year II*
 1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs M Casey; Mrs E Gillham
Readers: Ms E Ohemeng; Mr C Edean
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs R Nash

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, in your personal intercessions.

CHARITABLE FUNDRAISING

Our Table Top Sale and Bottle Tombola will take place after Mass.

CELEBRATING FAITH

We welcome the family and friends of Ada Jones-Goff as she receives the sacrament of baptism today at 1230hrs.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 857 5936 8946
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85759368946?pwd=qCFvekuM8iOdH0YtMbatalOvAbh33A.1> Passcode: 230904
 Monday's Funeral Mass Zoom details – ID: 827 5253 3573
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82752533573?pwd=Deefa1vnC2YmK8tCFfRYCOUhe1pCaa.1> Passcode: 776747
 Wednesday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 830 5061 0675
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83050610675?pwd=1Oqv1WU7rXi0FI M63i72eRrVtNVap4.1> Passcode: 968020

TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

In his Message for the 39th World Youth Day, the Holy Father reminds us that while we “live in times marked by dramatic situations that generate despair;” God opens a “highway before you, and he invites you to set out on it with joy and hope”. It is entitled ‘*Those who hope in the Lord will run and not be weary (cf. Is 40:31)*’, and Pope Francis asks us to be pilgrims of hope, walking the walk, committing ourselves personally to “set out on a journey, to discover life along the path of love, and to seek the face of God”. The full text is on the noticeboard and the Bishopric website.

SACRED WITNESS

Catholics are being asked to unite in prayer and compassionate action to oppose the assisted suicide legislation coming before Parliament this Friday, 29th November. Details of how to effect this may be found at: www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/

SPRITUAL OPPORTUNITY

This Saturday, 30th November in St Mary's Church, Belle Vue Rd, Aldershot GU12 4RX from 0800hrs to 1630hrs a group will be praying 1000 rosaries for peace. Everyone is welcome to join them.

PURCHASING POWER

Advent and Christmas stock is on show and sale in the side chapel. A one day only 50% sale of non-festive Repository items will take place next Sunday, 1st December.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Registration Forms for our First Holy Communion Programme 2025 are now available from any member of the catechetical team. The deadline for receiving the forms is next Sunday, 1st December.

AND FINALLY ...

... supposedly intoxicated people, children & leggings tell the truth.
With every blessing
Fr Nick