#### **Parish News & Notices**

**The Solemnity of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe** invites us to reflect on the eternal values in life that take us to the Kingdom of Heaven. Our faith and good actions are paramount. "In so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me". The good deeds take us closer to the kingdom of heaven.

**The month of the Holy Souls** During the month of November, we remember to pray for our beloved dead. May the eternal light of the Lord shine on them.

<u>Collecting Contact Details</u>: All those who come to church are required to give their names and phone numbers for NHS track and trace. It is a government directive. The details will be kept safely by the Parish Priest.

### The programme for private prayers at St. Osburg's Church:

The church will be opened for private prayers on the following days; Sunday, Tuesday and Friday at 1pm to 3pm. The daily Livestreaming Masses are on week days at 12:10pm, Saturday at 11:45am & 5:30pm, Sunday at 11:30am. All must put on mask when visiting the church for private prayers.

**<u>Updated Webcam Camera:</u>** Dear parishioners this is to inform you, that the Webcam Camera has been upgraded. Please click on **MCN MEDIA—ST. OSBURG'S** 

**The Parish New Contacts**: The Parish has a new Website link https://www.sto-cov.org.uk <a href="mailto:Email address">Email address</a>: pp.stosburg@gmail.com

**Heating the church:** As we approach the cold season, I request your usual support for the heating of the church.

**Devotions**: The Rosary takes place after the daily masses in the church (at this time it is suspended, but prayed individually at home). Eucharistic Adoration is on Friday and Saturday. Vespers and Benediction are on the First Thursday of every month and on the Last Sunday of every month. Please note that these devotions are on livestream, please follow them on the webcam. The next Benediction will be on 5th November 2020. These will all be live streamed not communal celebrations.

<u>Fundraising resources</u>: <u>Parish Hall</u>: For Hall hire, please call **Angelo Rodrigues on** 07886456952, bookings allowed for special cases only, maximum 30 people. Social events not allowed. (NB FOR THE MOMENT SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE)

**<u>Fr. Sunday Evaristus</u>**, Fr. Sunday has come back from holidays, we thank the Lord for bringing him safe.

**Walk with me Booklets for Advent 2020;** Please pick a copy when you come fo private prayers.

**Kenelm Youth Trust**: As part of our celebrations for National Youth Sunday, we remember in our prayers the work of our own Diocese Youth Service. Alton Castle, Soli Centre for Youth Ministry, BCYS and Chaplaincy, are firmly established as institutions in our Archdiocese. The pandemic has greatly affected their income as the residential side temporarily ceased in March. They continue to do great work both online, and in person when restriction allow. Please visit the kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk to see the latest report on their work. And also ways in which you might contribute to help KYT to be there for future generations.

**The Catholic Universe:** Please pay for the copy (£1.50)









St. Osburg's

**A.J Missions** 

St Mary's

St Elizabeth's

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#### CHRIST THE KING OF THE UNIVERSE

The unity of societies is centred on leadership which directs every individual to a common good. Leadership is central to the meaning survival of any human society and for the achievement of the common good for all. In a civil context, the political, social and economic aspects are emphasised but these are only temporary needs. Above every human need is that of spiritual fulfilment, rightly revealed by our Lord Jesus Christ through his preaching and life. 'Now after John was arrested Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of God, and saying: "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent, and believe the gospel." (CCC.541). Believing and accepting the gospel is the means by which we enter the eternal kingdom of God, the common destiny for all.

Today, we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King of Universe. The readings remind us to be loyal to the requirements of the heavenly kingdom. In a common understanding, the leader protects and guides all those in the kingdom. "I am going to look after my flock myself and keep all of it in view" (Ezk34:11-12). Just as the Lord cares for us, we are expected to care for each other. "Come, you whom my Father has blessed ..., For I was hungry and you gave me food; I was thirsty and you gave me drink; I was a stranger and you made me welcome; naked and you clothed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to see me" (Mtt25:34-36). The condition of belonging to the kingdom of God requires justice, honesty, generosity and charity. It is also a deeper reflection that when our hearts and thoughts are ruled by

Christ, we shall be able to experience peace and love in the world. When we are guided and ruled by selfish attitudes, violence, resentment and lack of respect for life this will disrupt our journey of life. We are therefore, reminded to be guided by the Lord in order to attain eternal salvation. "And when everything is subjected to him, then the Son himself will be subject in his turn to the One who subjected all things to him, so that God may be all in all" (1Cor15:28).

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#### St. Elizabeth's R.C. Church

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**Parish Income** 

Gift aid: £ Loose: £ Total £

Candles: £ Restoration: £ Piety stall £ Heating: £ Donations: £ Hall hire:

Rent:£ Cafod:£

**<u>Donation and support.</u>** I would like to thank all those who have supported the church with generous donations during this difficult time. Thank you and may God bless you.

<u>The appeal of the Parish Priest</u>: Dear parishioners, make your weekly offertory collection on any day of the week when you come for private prayers. Please place it in the box at the exit. Thank you for supporting the Church.

Offertory please place your offertory collections in the boxes as you exit the church. Thank you.

**Second collection:** Today for Catholic Youth services

**The Christmas Bazaar :** Due the current situation, the Christmas bazaar has been cancelled: You are encouraged to give your donations to support the restoration fund. Thank you for support.

## 300 Club October 2020 Draws Winners

First prize: 325 M Armour Second Prize: 207 M Carr Third prize: 43 T Lines Fourth Prize: 13 M. Fenton.

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### Hearing Aid Users—Please switch your hearing aid to 'T'

	MASS TIMES DURING THE WEEK 22TH- 29TH NOV. 2020			
Sat	21	11:45am 05:30pm	Presentation Sisters and Associates John Jordan Anniv. Sr. Philomena & Sr. Teresa intentions	
Sun	22	11:30am	People of the parish Tony McKiernan RIP	
Mon	23	12:00pm	George Campbell RIP 1st Anniv Veronica Burke RIP James Inglis RIP	
Tue	24	12:10pm	June Phee get well	
Wed	25	12:10pm	Molly Fenton Sp. inten Sylvia Moore intentions Kris Coia	
Thurs	26	12:10pm	Theresa Rynne intentions Ann Colins—intentions	
Fri	27	12:10pm	Mick Barslin—intentions	
Sat	28	11:45am 05:30pm	Lionel Farrell RIP Jimmy Jordan RIP Joyce & Clem Evans 50th Marriage Anniv. Ava Timmons intentions	
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People of the parish

## **Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers**

Sun 29 11:30am

<u>Saturday</u> <u>Sunday</u> 05:30 <u>Sunday</u> 11.30am:

<u>Please pray for those who are sick in the parish</u>: We pray for all the sick in the parish asking God to be with them in their need.

### Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Bernardine Dympna Warren, George Campbell, Bride James Patrick, Farrell Brigid, Mathew Loughrey Mayne, Mary Ellen Maguire and Abel Joseph Ashby

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