

The Catholic Churches of

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5th Sunday of the Year C

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Christ the King

Holy Cross Chapel

Sunday Mass 9:00am.

Saturday Mass 4:30pm, Sunday Mass 11:00am

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The Arundel & Brighton Diocesan Trust is a Registered Charity No. 252878

Masses during the week

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Saturday

Ioly Cross: Vigil Mass

for the people

Sunday

Christ the King 9.00

Michelle & Arthur Breen

Ioly Cross 11am

Aurence Wheelan

Monday 11th Feb

Our Lady of Lourdes

Diane Brain

Tuesday 12th Feb

Christ the King 9.30am

Mary Maher

Wednesday 13th Feb

Ioly Cross 7am

Ann Edlman

Thursday 14th Feb

S Cyril & Methodius

Ioly Cross 9.30

Luigi (Marta)

Friday 15th Feb

Christ the King 9.30am

Alter Family

Saturday 16th Feb 7am

Ioly Cross 4.30 pm

Ann Edlman

Sunday 17th Feb

Christ the King 9.00 am

Jack & Peggy Mullan

Ioly Cross 11am

for the people

Sacrament of Penance:

Burwash: after Friday Mass

Ioly Cross Saturday 4 pm, &

at any other convenient time

when requested.

Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament & Evening Prayer.

Every Sunday 5:30 – 6:30pm

at Holy Cross Chapel.

Many thanks for your generosity in the offertory collection of £400-30.

Residential Retreat for

Doctors: Spiritual

Director Fr Stephen Ortiger OSB

'Love Your Neighbour As Yourself'.

March 1 - 3 at Worth

Abbey. £150 full board.

Sessions include:

Who & What We are,

Personal challenges,

Drawing strength from

Prayer,

Nurturing our Healthcare

Vocation. Opportunity to

join the monastic

community at prayer.

Full details from the

Retreat Organiser Dr Joe

O'Dwyer. Email

jodwyer@doctors.org.uk

putting 'Doctors Retreat in

subject line.

Lourdes Pilgrimage

This weekend there will be a second collection to help sick people & their carers come on the Pilgrimage to Lourdes in July. This is gift aided, either use purple envelopes or the Lourdes envelopes found at the back of the church

From today's 1st reading:

"Your sin is taken away, your iniquity purged."

These past two Sundays have emphasized God's call & our response. Last week we

heard about Jeremiah's call & Jesus' announcement in the synagogue of his own

vocation. Today Isaiah finds

himself in God's presence,

feels unworthy, is cleansed,

purified & then he is ready to

respond to God's call. Peter

responds similarly when he

senses the special presence &

power before him. He too

feels unworthy. But, as with

Isaiah, the Holy One does the

calling &, despite feelings of

unworthiness, the human is

invited to respond & follow.

The issue isn't whether we

think we're worthy or not to

serve God. The issue is

that God chooses us & finds

ways to grace us with

worthiness -- & forgiveness,

when we realize again &

again, we are people of

"unclean lips." Jesus isn't

just asking Simon Peter to

make an act of faith in

him & then go home &

pray. Faith in Jesus does

require that -- & more! His

followers must also go out

into the world & catch

people for him. By our words

& deeds, we must share with

others the faith we have

received.

Woman's World Day of Prayer.

This year the Service will be hosted by The Assumption of the Blessed Mary & St. Nicholas, Etchingham after the cancellation of last years' service, due to bad weather.

The Service will take place on Friday 1st March 2019 at 10.30.

It has been put together by the Christian women of Slovenia, & the theme is *Come—everything is ready!* All are welcome, & there will be refreshments after the Service.

Two readers are needed; please let Felicity Whitehead know if you are willing to read.

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National Board of Catholic

Women: Day with Bishop

Richard on Saturday 23rd

Feb, from 10 am to 1 pm, at

the St Philip Howard Centre

(formerly DABCEC).

Explore ways to engage with

'The Word who is Life',

highlight what women are

doing in this diocese, share

what you can offer & discuss

what you would like to

achieve. Book at

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