

# The Catholic Churches of

**BURWASH**

20<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year **C**

**HEATHFIELD**

Christ the King

Holy Cross Chapel

Sunday Mass 9:00am.

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

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**Convent:** Benedictine Sisters of Grace & Compassion, Holy Cross Priory, Cross-in-Hand, TN21 OTS

**Holy Cross Care Home:** TN21 0DZ Tel: 01435 863764. Mass Monday - Saturday at 6.55am.

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

**Masses during the week**

*Psalter week 4*

**Saturday**

**Holy Cross: Vigil Mass**

*Margaret Roche*

**Sunday**

**Christ the King 9.00**

*For the people*

**Holy Cross 11am**

*Dorothy & Fila Desouza & Lawrence Whelan & families*

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August 7am**

*Stanislas L Stephen & family*

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> August**

**St Bernard**

**Christ the King 9.30**

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Aug 7am**

*Stanislas L Stephen & family*

**St Pius X**

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug**

**Queenship of Mary**

**Holy Cross 9.30am**

*Ann Kusao*

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug**

*Stanislas L Stephen & family*

**Christ the King 9.30**

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Aug**

**St Bartholomew**

**Holy Cross 4.30 pm**

*Marianna Mucha*

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> Aug**

**Christ the King 9.00 am**

*For the people*

**Holy Cross 11am**

*Anne Kusao*

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**Sacrament of Penance:**

*Burwash: after Friday Mass*

**Holy Cross Saturday 4 pm, &**

*at any other convenient time*

*when requested.*

*If anyone in the parish is seriously*

*ill or in hospital, please let Fr*

*Brian or Deacon Mike know.*

**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 was £489-93.  
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**Burwash Fayre**

Once again we are running a Tombola stall at **Burwash Fayre** on August Bank Holiday Monday 1.00pm, there is a box in the CTK porch for donations please, we will also need help on the day, enquiries to Peta Highton 014358826296  
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**Burwash cleaning & flowers:**  
Week starting 26-8-19  
Flowers: Anne Lucey  
Cleaning: Annie Rogers

**From today's Gospel**

*Jesus said, "I have come to bring fire on the earth & how I wish it were blazing already!"*

**Reflection:**

In the beginning of his gospel Luke gives us the story of Jesus' birth, with the heart-warming scene of the angels singing, "Glory to God in the highest & peace on earth to those whom God favours." It is clear from today's passage that the peace Jesus brings to his followers is not the peace of comfort & the well-being the world desires. Following him will not be a life of calm & tranquillity.

**So we ask ourselves:**

What makes us uncomfortable about Jesus' teachings?

Does what he asks of us set us apart from those who know us?

**Day of Reflection for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> September, 2019, from 11 am to 4 pm at Mayfield School, Mayfield, TN20 6PH.

Led by Bishop Richard.

Please book at

[ruth.gerun@dabnet.org](mailto:ruth.gerun@dabnet.org) - 01293 651164.

Numbers limited therefore priority will be given to those who have not previously attended.

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**Churches Together**

United Service

At Gamelands Methodist

Church on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>

August at 6.30pm

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**Date for your Diary**

Fr Brian will celebrate the ruby anniversary of his ordination on Sunday the 22<sup>nd</sup> September. Our parish celebration will be held at the 11 o'clock Mass with a parish Lunch afterwards in the Priory function room.

All are welcome.

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For Rota's see noticeboards

Please send all material for next week's newsletter to Fr Brian by Thursday lunch-time: [brian.lowden@dabnet.org](mailto:brian.lowden@dabnet.org)