

# The Catholic Churches of

**BURWASH**

**Feast of the Epiphany**

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**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 2*

**Saturday**

**Holy Cross: Vigil Mass**

*Greta Dunleavy*

**Sunday**

**Christ the King 9.00**

*Private Intention*

**Holy Cross 11am**

*For the people*

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Christ the King 9.30am**

*Sr Faustina*

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Holy Cross 7am**

*Terence O'Sullivan*

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Holy Cross 9.30**

*Ann Edlman*

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Christ the King 9.30am**

*Ann Edlman*

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> Jan 7am**

**Holy Cross 4.30 pm**

*The Fowler Family*

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Feast of the Baptism of the Lord**

**Christ the King 9.00 am**

*For the people*

**Holy Cross 11am**

*Mila Dance*

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**Sacrament of Penance:**

*Burwash: after Friday Mass*

**Holy 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 £499-77.

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**Please note:** to save problems with the bank all cheques should be made out to:-

RCD of A&B Burwash with Heathfield Parish.

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**The Diocese** have gone to the trouble & expense of producing a leaflet introducing the pastoral plan, it can be found at the back of both Churches. Please take a copy, as it will be here for a limited time only!

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**CHURCHES TOGETHER**

UNITED EVENING SERVICE

At Welcome Baptist Church

Sunday January 20<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm.

This will focus on the Week of prayer for Christian unity

The collection at this service will be for the books 'It's Your move' which we give all Year Six pupils in our area's primary schools in the Summer Term (around 200 copies).

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**From today's Gospel:**

*After Jesus had been born in Bethlehem of Judea, during the reign of King Herod, some wise men came to Jerusalem from the east "Where is the infant king of the Jews?" they asked. "We saw his star as it rose & have come to do him homage."*

**Reflection:**

How does the Lord come to us? He comes in the least. Remember the Magi were outsiders & so they challenge us to welcome the outsiders among us -- immigrants, homeless, prisoners, unemployed, etc. When we do acknowledge Christ among the least we also notice they, like the Magi, bring valuable gifts to us, starting with the very presence of Christ.

**So we ask ourselves:**

Who are the modern Magi, searchers & outsiders, in our world? In welcoming them, what possible gifts do they bring to us?