

The Catholic Churches of

BURWASH

2nd Sunday of Advent C

HEATHFIELD

Christ the King

Holy Cross Chapel

Sunday Mass 9:00am.

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

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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

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Saturday

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acrament & Evening Prayer.

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t Holy Cross Chapel.

Many thanks for your generosity in the offertory collection of £456-64.

The Christmas Bazaar has raised £981-60 so far.

Many thanks for all who worked so hard for this successful parish event & also for all who braved the inclement weather to attend on Wednesday evening.

Christmas Mass times:

Holy Cross: Mass of Christmas Eve: 6pm; Mass during the night: 10pm (carols from 9.30)

Christmas Day: 11 am

Christ the King

Burwash: Mass at 9am Christmas Day.

Reconciliation Service

3pm Sunday 16th Dec at St Philip's Uckfield

Service of Nine Lessons & Carols:

St Bartholomew's Burwash Sunday 16th

Dec at 6pm

Please remember the homeless when you are doing your Christmas shopping.

Always needed: warm hats scarves & above all socks. If you would like to send a donation instead the address is:

St Anne's Trust

St Anne's Day Centre

61 Upper St James Street

Brighton BN2 1PR

For further information

ring Mary Cox on 01424

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Bishop Richard will present the Pastoral Plan to the people of the Mayfield Deanery this Friday: **December 14th at 7pm at**

Mayfield Covent

School TN20 6PH:

please come along to

this very important

meeting.

(Park in front of the chapel

or drive through archway

to large carpark at rear of

school.)

ADVENT

From the prophet Baruch: *Jerusalem take off your dress of sorrow & distress; put on the beauty of glory of God forever: wrap the cloak of integrity of God around you.*

Reflection:

The prophet Baruch promises a time when we will be wrapped in the cloak of integrity. Integrity, (justice), is not merely one virtue among many. For God's community, it is the key virtue. It reflects the very way God wants us to be.

In a community guided by integrity, all are treated equally; all share in the community's resources; no one goes hungry or is treated unfairly.

Advent is a time of change as we struggle to hear God's Word & do our best to respond to it. This Word opens our hearts, & fills us with the hope that we can more fully turn back to our God.

So we ask ourselves:

How did I feel when an injustice was done against me?

What can I do to help another person not be treated in the same manner I was?

In what way(s) do I want or need to change this advent?