

Sacred Heart Tisbury & All Saints Wardour Castle

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During lockdown, Sacred Heart will be open for private prayer as much as possible between 10.00 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Confirmed times in red each day below.

*Do come in, sign in and leave your place sanitised afterwards-
spray and cloth at the back of church.*

**November 8 THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR: Remembrance Sunday
Psalms Week 4**

Diocesan prayer league: All religious Communities in the Diocese

All Saints' Wardour open 10.30 a.m.

Streamed Masses from St Osmund's, Clifton Cathedral, Walsingham and many others- links at the end of this newsletter

9	Monday	FEAST OF THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA
10	Tuesday	Memorial St Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor of the Church Sacred Heart open: 10.00 to 2.00p.m.
11	Wednesday	Memorial Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop Sacred Heart open: 10.00 to 3.00p.m.
12	Thursday	Memorial Saint Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr Sacred Heart open: 11.00 to 3.00p.m.
13	Friday	
14	Saturday	Memorial of the Beatified Martyrs of the Diocese

15 THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Psalms Week 1

Diocesan prayer league: Alexander House/Diocesan Departments/St Ambrose

All Saints' Wardour open 10.30 a.m.

PRAYERS: for the sick: Nick Weeks, John Bell. Please pray for Ashley Guest, not of this Parish, who is very ill. For all parishioners; for our doctors and their staff, for those at Albany House, The Hays and Clouds House; for those recently died including Elizabeth Croft, Mary MacDermot, Judy Wright. *May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace Amen*

OTHER PARISH NEWS: Judy Wright's funeral will be on Wednesday Nov 11 but the 30 available places are likely to be filled by family and a few locals. Sutton Mandeville has a small church. Remember her in prayer especially on that day.

It was sad that with the Covid rules and 22 of my mother's children and grandchildren in the church so few parishioners could attend the funeral on Friday 30th October. The undertakers arranged for the service to be filmed and the film is on the Internet at <https://youtu.be/aOpBx1lxDZQ> . Alan MacDermot

Opening Sacred Heart Church for prayer during the week: The Church will be open as much as possible for private prayer. Look out for the CHURCH OPEN sign. Confirmed times are listed above. Stewards needed to be 'on duty' so please let Father Robert know if you can help.

Please remember that if you need help do get in touch with Father Robert. For any sort of assistance, ranging from a telephone call to help with food shopping and delivering, Michael Hodges is co-ordinating a group of volunteers in the Parish. Contact him on: 01747 870254 and email michael.jeremyhodges@gmail.com

I'm still collecting used postage stamps, trimmed with a margin of paper left round them, for the Marfan Trust (www.marfantrust.org). Likewise, there is still a container in the church porch for plastic milk bottle tops (for the Hospice). RM

The Alice Combes Trust supported by The Lord Arundell of Wardour Charitable Trust have created a special fund to distribute to people who are currently suffering financial hardship as a direct result of Covid-19. Sean Moran: 01747 871258 or email alicecombestrust@gmail.com

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for the month of November: Artificial Intelligence

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

Offertory: Here we go again! There will not be a basket at the back of the church while the church is open only for private prayer, although candles and the collecting boxes on the candle stands will be accessible as usual, and the boxes for donations, flowers, books etc will be available and regularly emptied. If you are an envelope user, please keep the envelopes until we can have Mass again in December. Thank you to those of you who have made donations to the Priests' Retirement Fund. If you have not yet done so, but wish to, please use the 'button' on the offertory page of our website. It is provided (through the Diocese) by PayPal, but please note that one can also donate using a debit or credit card. Alternatively, cheques, made payable to Sacred Heart Tisbury, may be sent to Trellis House, marked on the back "Priests' Retirement Fund". If you have any queries, please email Robert Vaux treasurer.tisbury.thesacredheart@cliftondiocese.com.

Right To Life: A cross-party group of MPs from the three largest parties in the UK Parliament have come together to bring forward the Abortion (Cleft lip, cleft palate and club foot) Bill. The Bill will change the law to clarify that cleft palate, cleft lip, and club foot are not grounds for abortion in the UK. We are encouraging members of the public to write to their MP asking them to support this sensible piece of legislation. You can find out more about the Bill and the families supporting it at www.standupandsmile.org.uk

It is very easy to send a prepared email (which you can adapt if you wish) to your MP from this site.

The Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst College will be offering a series of online talks, "Saints, Scholars and Spiritual Masters", over the next few months. Exploring some of the great figures of Western spirituality with well-known experts, the series is free to attend online. It will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays, until 10th December. Simply register to receive a link, either online at <https://christianheritagecentre.com/event/saints-scholars-spiritual-masters/> or by email to events@christianheritagecentre.com.

MESSAGE FROM DOREEN WYATT WHO HAS BEEN SENDING THE DAILY READINGS:

As I write we are being advised that churches must be closed for public worship as from Thursday. As a result, there will be no need for the weekly Readings that I have been sending out to all parish priests. I know that some of you have readers etc, who may not have missals, but still like to know what the readings are. If you advise them to go to the Liturgy Office webpage <https://cliftondiocese.com/departments/adult-education/liturgy-office/> and click on the Universalis tab (below my picture)

A small rectangular logo with a yellow background and a thin orange border. The text "Universalis" is in a larger, bold, black font, and "Readings for Today" is in a smaller, black font below it.

it will open in a page for the day. On the left hand side you can select Readings at Mass, About Today, Morning Prayer etc., and on the right hand side you can choose a date up to and including the following Sunday. I hope this will be of help. Doreen Wyatt, Liturgy Office

This year the Sisters from Minsk in troubled Belarus will not be holding their Christmas market stalls locally but goods can be viewed and ordered on line. They would welcome your prayers. catalog.obitel-minsk.com/christmas-gifts/christmas-market-online.html

Cardinal Vincent Nichols and Archbishop Malcolm McMahon OP, President and Vice-President of the Bishops Conference of England and Wales issued the following statement on 4th November 2020:

Today, Parliament passed into law the Regulations governing many aspects of activity in the whole of England until **Wednesday 2nd December**. These Regulations prohibit the gathering of people for communal worship in churches and other religious buildings.

Churches remain open and in use for activities other than communal worship, including personal prayer and support for those in need. Funeral Masses and funeral services may be held. Please refer to the Regulations (for places of worship see paragraph 18) and associated Guidance.

Despite profound misgivings it is important that we, as responsible citizens, observe these Regulations, which have the force of law: **'Remind them to be obedient to the officials in authority; to be ready to do good at every opportunity'** (Titus 3:1). We do this in solidarity with so many others on whom are being imposed restrictions which impact severely on their lives and livelihoods.

It is also important to recognise that these Regulations are not an attack on religious belief. However, they do demonstrate a fundamental lack of understanding of the essential contribution made by faith communities to the well-being, resilience and health of our society. At this difficult moment, we ask that, as a Catholic community, we make full use of our churches as places of individual prayer and sources of solace and help.

Daily Prayer

We must sustain each other in our patterns of prayer, joining a national shared moment of prayer **each day at 6pm**, and observing the **Vigil of Christ the King** (21st November) as a day of prayer for the ending of this pandemic. And we encourage you all in your practical service and support of each other and those around you in need.

This pathway of prayer and service is the royal road we are to take as a gracious witness in our society today.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols President

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon Vice-President

Websites for Mass: <https://salisburycatholics.org/st-osmunds>
<https://cliftoncathedral.org/>
<https://www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/>

Starting School? If you have a child born between **1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017**, then **now** is the time to apply for a place at a primary school for admission from **September 2021** onwards. You must complete an application form that is available from the school admissions team of your Local Authority – that is the County Council of the county in which you reside. If your child has been baptised and you are applying for Wardour Catholic Primary School, you **must also** provide a copy of the baptism certificate to the school. Please ensure you apply by the closing date of **15 January 2021**. Wardour School is a good choice for parishioners: the school was awarded a Good Ofsted report just before the Covid lockdown, has an excellent Head teacher in Emma Dixon, who is ably supported by a loyal and committed staff. The school has very good facilities and lovely grounds. Please call the school to arrange a visit - 01747 870537.

Christmas cards/2021 Catholic diaries: I can order some for the Holy Shop if anyone would like that. Usual charities –Aid to the Church in Need, Catholic Truth Society, Catholic Adoption Societies and more. Catherine

During this lockdown, all people of Faith are asked to pray for the end of the virus and the safety of our people at **6pm each night**. Catholics may like to pray the Angelus at that time. This is also prayed at 6am and Noon

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary,
R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary...

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done unto me according to Your Word.
Hail Mary

V. And the Word was made flesh,
R. And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.
Let us pray:
Pour forth, we beseech You, O Lord,
Your Grace into our hearts;
that as we have known the incarnation of Christ,
your Son by the message of an angel,
so by His passion and cross
we may be brought to the glory of His Resurrection.
Through the same Christ, our Lord.
Amen.

We are also asked to make **November 21st** (the Vigil of Christ the King) a day of special prayer for the ending of the pandemic.

This is the prayer Pope Francis has asked us to pray:

*O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick.
At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain,
with steadfast faith.
You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need.
We are certain that you will provide, so that,
as you did at Cana of Galilee,
joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
to conform ourselves to the Father's will
and to do what Jesus tells us:
He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us,
through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.
We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God.
Do not despise our pleas – we who are put to the test – and deliver us from
every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.*