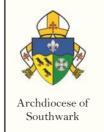
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Parish Newsletter

# PARISH OF ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY SEVENOAKS

CHURCHES IN SEVENOAKS, OTFORD, BOROUGH GREEN AND WEST KINGSDOWN

11th June 2023



#### Today's Mass: CORPUS et SANGUIS CHRISTI

Deuteronomy 8: 2-3, 14-16, Psalm 147, 1 Corinthians 10: 16-17, optional Sequence Lauda Sion, John 6: 51-58

Today we reflect on one of the greatest mysteries of our Catholic faith: the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Mass today may end with a Procession of the Blessed Sacrament.

In the **First Reading** Moses reminds the people - and us - that God fed them with manna from heaven during their forty years in the wilderness. They - and we - also need another bread: the Word of God.

The **Psalm** is a psalm of praise, doubtless chosen because of its reference to God feeding us "with finest wheat".

**Second Reading:** St Paul elucidates the meaning of communion. In Holy Communion we have vertical communion with God, and horizontal communion with one another.

There is a **Sequence** today, the 'Lauda Sion', which is optional, and may be shortened. It was composed by St Thomas Aquinas, and is a hymn telling of Christ's institution of the Eucharist and our Catholic belief in transubstantiation.

The **Gospel** passage, which comes after the Feeding of the Five Thousand, portrays Jesus explicitly talking about the Eucharist: His bread "is my flesh, for the life of the world". This clear teaching of the Lord is the basis of our doctrine of the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

Fr David

# ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY SEVENOAKS

**Sunday Mass times:** Weekday Mass times: 8:00am Saturday Monday 6:00pm Tuesday 9:30am 8:00am Wednesday Sunday 12:00noon Thursday 8:00am (Latin) Friday 8:00am **9:15am** (Children's Liturgy of Word)

11:15am 6:00pm

Adoration:

Monday 8:30am - 9:30am
Tuesday 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

9:30am

Saturday

Saturday

10:00am - 10:30am, 5:15pm - 5:45pm



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# MOST HOLY TRINITY OTFORD

Mass times: Sunday 9:30am (with Children's Liturgy of the Word) Wednesday 10:00am Holy Days of Obligation 10:00am Adoration: Thursday 7:30pm - 8:30pm Friday 11:00am - 12:00noon

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Mass times: Sunday 11:00am
Friday 10:00am
Holy Days of Obligation 11:00am
Adoration: Wed 12:00noon- 1:00pm

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# GOD LOVES HIS CHILDREN

MASS ACTIVITY FOR CHILDREN



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Jesus tells us that he is the bread of life. God the Father wants to

look after us – so he gave us Jesus, Jesus gave himself to us in

bread and wine, so that he will always be with us.

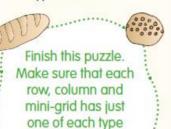
Sunday 11 June 2023
John 6:51-58
The Most Holy Body and
Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

In the COSPES TODAY

## **BREAD OF LIFE**

### Bread sudoku

There are many different types of bread.



of bread.

Food for life

Our food gives us energy. What is your

favourite food?

Draw or write it onto the plate.

We need energy to follow Jesus and live like he did. Fit in the missing vowels to find out what will give us this energy.  $H_1y C_mm_n_n_n$  (o o u i o)

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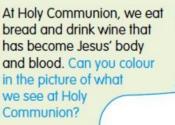


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# Holy Communion





Answers: Holy Communion.

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Thank you, Jesus, for loving

me so much that you gave

your life for me. I can give up

other people. Help me to share

your love and life today. Amen.

my time and energy to help

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**Mothers' Prayers** 

Mondays, 11:30am at Star House, Star Hill Road 01959 532505

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Reading a Gospel together

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St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP)

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### PARISH NOTICES

#### TODAY

#### Saturday 6:00pm Mass:

#### **Confirmandi Mass of Enrolment**

Following their first session, this year's candidates for Confirmation have their Mass of Enrolment. This is for all candidates and their parents.

#### 9:15am Mass

The choir from St Thomas' School will lead the music at this Mass, which will be followed by the traditional Corpus Christi Procession. Those who have made their first Holy Communion are invited - in their first Communion outfits if they wish - to sprinkle the rose petals in front of the Blessed Sacrament in the Procession.

#### 11:15am Mass

The Traditional Choir will lead the music at this Mass. which will be followed by the traditional Corpus Christi Procession. Those who have made their first Holy Communion are invited - in their first Communion outfits if they wish - to sprinkle the rose petals in front of the Blessed Sacrament in the Procession.

#### Mass at the three Chapels

Mass will be followed by the Corpus Christi Procession. Again, first communicants are invited to process in front of the Blessed Sacrament at these Processions.

#### THIS WEEK

#### **David Lewis RIP**

David's Funeral is at 12:00 noon on Thursday, followed by Cremation at the Bluebell Crematorium.

#### Friday: Solemnity of the **Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

Holy Mass at St Thomas's at 8:00am and at St Bernadette's at 10:00am.

#### Saturday: St Thomas' School Summer Fair

The 'Whimsical World' Summer Fair is on Saturday, 11:00am - 3:00pm, at the School. Tickets are £10 Family Ticket and £2 single. The raffle will be drawn at 2:40pm.

#### Saturday: Holy Matrimony

The Wedding of Charlotte Sexton and Alec Linfield is on Saturday at 1:30pm in St Thomas's.

#### **Saturday: Confirmation programme**

Session 2 from 4:05pm in the Church.

#### **Next Sunday: Day for Life**

This is the day in the Church's life dedicated to the sacredness of life. The proceeds from the Second Collection provide core funding for the Anscombe Bioethics Centre and to assist other life related activities supported by the Church.

#### PARISH NOTICES

#### Fr Paschal Omono

On Wednesday we welcome Fr Paschal for two months' supply in the parish. Many will remember him when he came a few years ago.

#### The Why? Course

Are you (or someone you know) interested to learn more about the Good News of Jesus Christ, who is 'the way, the truth, and the life' (John 14:6) and becoming a Catholic? A three-part introduction to the Catholic Faith (The Why? Course) is being hosted online by St Thomas' parish over three consecutive Monday evenings, starting on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June. For more details and to register your interest, please contact Andrew La Trobe (email sevenoaksple@rcaos.org.uk or ring 07775 738485).

#### 2023/4 First Holy Communion Programme

Registration is now open for the next programme. Parents should register their child(ren) on the Parish website. Closing date for registrations: July 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Truth Seekers Programme**

A new programme is being launched for post Confirmation teenagers (boys and girls) to come together in community to continue their development and learning of the Catholic faith. The first block will comprise 6 weekly sessions. The programme will be run by parents from the Parish on a Saturday evening at 7:00pm.

All parents interested are invited to a briefing session in the Parish Centre on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June at 7:00pm, after the Mass, to find details of the proposed structure, content etc. The first meeting will be on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June.

#### Faith at Work discussion group

A new monthly group is proposed for those who work in business and finance, to discuss ethical working from the Catholic point of view. The first meeting will be on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30pm in the Parish Centre, before the 8:00pm Mass, and thereafter on the last Thursday of every month, to explore different themes. For more information and to register please contact Edwin Brenninkmeijer edwin@edbrenn.com.

### PARISH AND OTHER NOTICES

#### **Parish Summer Garden Party**

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July from 12:00noon – 3:00pm. This is an inclusive event for young and old, families, teenagers, retired and parishioners from all our four churches. Its our big Parish social event. No charge for entry, food or drink. There will be a variety of food, including BBQ, salads, cakes, deserts. children's games, entertainment and live music, bottle and toy stalls, Parish raffle with prizes, and a bar. If you can donate food please let us know. St Thomas' school choir will sing- as well us some of our Parish celebrities. Most parish groups will be taking part. All funds raised are for the Parish. The Bottle Stall is always popular. Please look through your cupboards and bring bottles to the Presbytery. Toy stall likewise donate unwanted toys, teddies etc (in safe condition). Unwanted gifts stall, details next week. All donations please bring them to the Presbytery. If you have ideas or can help for the Garden Party

#### **Advance Notice: Men's and Women's Retreats**

on sale with a variety of super prizes.

please speak to Fr David or contact

ben.andradi@gmail.com. Raffle tickets will soon be

The Men's Retreat will be from 29<sup>th</sup> September to 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023, and the Women's Retreat from 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024, both at The Friars, Aylesford. Both Retreats will be conducted by Sister Gemma Simmonds, CJ, Director of the Religious Life Institute and who recently spoke in the Lent course in the parish; the theme will be *Hope: Living Differently*, based on a phrase in Pope Benedict's *Spe Salvi*.

The cost for each Retreat, for full board, lodging and the facilitator is £240. To attend register via the Parish Website or obtain an application form from the Parish Office. Any queries to Catherine Rodger by email at <a href="mailto:c.rodger@btinternet.com">c.rodger@btinternet.com</a> or by phone 01732 458852.

#### **Three Words addresses**

You may be interested in the 'what3words' which identify our four churches. The address of St Thomas's is outer.smile.youth, of Most Holy Trinity is plank.inner.gates, of St Joseph's is buns.zooms.judge, and of St Bernadette's is joins.tribal.drape.

#### OTHER NOTICES

#### Refugee Week 2023

Please, if you can, support Sevenoaks Welcomes Refugees' film night at The Stag on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June to mark Refugee Week 2023. The Oscar and Golden Globes-nominated animated feature film *The Breadwinner* (2017) tells the tale of youthful

fortitude in Taliban-era Afghanistan of 20-odd years ago. Sadly, the people of Afghanistan find themselves back under the Taliban regime and the issues remain pressing. The film itself starts at 8:00pm and the Stag bar will be open from 7:00pm to mark that SWR is one of Sevenoaks Mayor Claire Shea's charities for the year. SWR members will be there to welcome you. Tickets are £15, available from the Stag box office in the usual ways (website and desk). *Esther Ford* 

#### **Mothers Prayers Prayer Day**

On Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June, 10:00am – 4:00pm, at Star House, Starhill Rd, Dunton Green, Sevenoaks TN14 6HA. This invitation is for all women who have a heart to pray for children to join together for a day of prayer, spiritual refreshment, and fellowship. Star House is near Sevenoaks and is the home of the Mothers Prayers organisation. We hope that old friends and new will have the opportunity to come together to pray, relax, celebrate God's wonderful love and be refreshed and encouraged in our walk with Him. No charge. Bring a picnic lunch. To book a place please call Maureen on 01883 345324 or email her at englandandwales@mothersprayers.org.

# 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass at St George's Cathedral

You are invited to a Solemn Mass to mark the 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St George's Cathedral, Southwark at 6:00pm on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, celebrated by the Archbishop and at which the Apostolic Nuncio will impart the Apostolic Blessing.

#### A Day of Celebration

At The Friars, Aylesford on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, from 12:00 noon with Mass at 4:00pm. All are invited, especially those who experience disability or special needs in any way. You can take a picnic or enjoy the Tea Rooms. For further enquiries please email admingen@ocarm.org.

#### Dignitas Personae et Amor Dei

The Value of the Human Person and Divine Love: Meeting Edith Stein. A conference at The Friars, Aylesford  $4^{th}-6^{th}$  July. The writings of the Carmelite saint Edith Stein will be explored and illustrated. For costs and reservations email <u>admingen@ocarm.org</u>.

#### **Evangelium 2023 Conference**

For young Catholics 18 – 35. At the Oratory School, Reading 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> August, with various excellent speakers. Cost £149 (concessions available for students). For more information and booking see https://saintant.com/product/evangelium-2023.



From the Desk of the Parish Priest

#### Children at Mass

hat follows is closely based on an article by Joseph Shaw in Catholic Answers, a website I chanced upon by accident (or providence). I hope

Dr Shaw doesn't mind my plagiarism, as I agree very much with what he wrote.

#### Is bringing small children to Mass a good idea?

Children under the 'age of reason' (usually 7) are not bound in Church to law to attend Mass on Sundays, but often parents have no choice but to bring them to attend Mass themselves. But if parents had the choice, is better to bring children to Mass or leave them at home?

One consideration is the importance of attending Mass as a family: children need to see their parents kneeling before Our Lord on the Altar. Also, children need to learn how to behave in Church. Thirdly, small children benefit spiritually from the Liturgy: they begin to develop the virtues of prayer and attention, and they receive the blessings which come from Mass attendance. The absolution after the *I Confess* and the Blessing at the end apply to children as much as to adults.

We live in a world which almost worships rationalism, so we need to counteract this. The Sacraments give graces to those who attend, they combat the influence of the Devil, and are an encounter with the living Lord. It follows that children of all ages should accompany their parents to Mass.

#### The culture and expectations of everyone at Mass

The *whole* community needs to buy into this, not just parents. Non-parents must compromise and learn to tolerate some noise from babies and toddlers: you may wish for complete silence in order to pray without distraction (you can always come to Adoration for that), but tut-tutting and sour looks discourage parents and make their job harder.

We don't have cry chapels in any of our four Churches. In any case, their use is a bit dubious, as it segregates young families off from the rest of the community and it doesn't help small children to develop good habits of prayerfulness.

Of course, if a baby is screaming its head off it may be necessary to take him or her out to the Entrance or a side room for a while until it calms down. If this is necessary, just do it without fuss and without dirty looks from others. Parents in this situation are not bad parents, just parents with a baby!

For infants we have the children's page in the Newsletter, which — with a pencil — can keep them occupied, especially during the Readings and Homily.

If the Mass is celebrated reverently and prayerfully by everyone – Priest, Altar Servers, Readers and Ministers, musicians and all present – this will rub off on young people. They will learn to be quiet, prayerful, and attentive to the action of the Mass, and by the time of their first Holy Communion will have a genuine sense of encountering the 'Other' in Mass.

#### The community includes everyone

Parents, like all Catholics over 7 and not impeded by illness or lack of transport, should attend Mass every Sunday and Holyday. Parents with small children are just as much part of our community, of the People of God, as anyone else. The last thing we want to do is to drive them out of churches when they are struggling with small children. If they feel rejected they won't return. As Dr Shaw puts it, "if we don't welcome parents, there will not be another generation of Catholics".

I think Our Blessed Lord would agree! See Matthew 21:15-16: But when the chief priests and the teachers of the law saw the wonderful things He did and the children shouting in the temple courts, "Hosanna to the Son of David," they were indignant. "Do you hear what these children are saying?" they asked him. "Yes," replied Jesus, "have you never read, "'From the lips of children and infants you, Lord, have called forth your praise'.

### ON THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI BY ST THOMAS AQUINAS

#### O precious and wonderful banquet!

Since it was the will of God's only-begotten Son that men should share in his divinity, he assumed our nature in order that by becoming man he might make men gods. Moreover, when he took our flesh he dedicated the whole of its substance to our salvation. He offered his body to God the Father on the altar of the cross as a sacrifice for our reconciliation. He shed his blood for our ransom and purification, so that we might be redeemed from our wretched state of bondage and cleansed from all sin. But to ensure that the memory of so great a gift would abide with us for ever, he left his body as food and his blood as drink for the faithful to consume in the form of bread and wine.

O precious and wonderful banquet, that brings us salvation and contains all sweetness! Could anything be of more intrinsic value? Under the old law it was the flesh of calves and goats that was offered, but here Christ himself, the true God, is set before us as our food. What could be more wonderful than this? No other sacrament has greater healing power; through it sins are purged away, virtues are increased, and the soul is enriched with an abundance of every spiritual gift. It is offered in the Church for the living and the dead, so that what was instituted for the salvation of all may be for the benefit of all. Yet, in the end, no one can fully express the sweetness of this sacrament, in which spiritual delight is tasted at its very source, and in which we renew the memory of that surpassing love for us which Christ revealed in his passion.

It was to impress the vastness of this love more firmly upon the hearts of the faithful that our Lord instituted this sacrament at the Last Supper. As he was on the point of leaving the world to go to the Father, after celebrating the Passover with his disciples, he left it as a perpetual memorial of his passion. It was the fulfilment of ancient figures and the greatest of all his miracles, while for those who were to experience the sorrow of his departure, it was destined to be a unique and abiding consolation.

St. Thomas Aquinas, Opusculum 57, in festo Corporis Christi, lectures 1-4

Saint Thomas Aquinas (1226-1274), "the Angelic Doctor", was a priest in the Order of St. Dominic and served the Church as a great scholar and teacher. For his service he is honoured by Mother Church who has bestowed upon him the title "Doctor of the Church." The document above is a reading included in the Roman Liturgy's "Office of Readings" for the Feast of Corpus Christi. It is taken from a sermon written by St. Thomas Aquinas in commemoration of the liturgical feast of Corpus Christi (the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ) which was instituted during his lifetime.

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### MASS INTENTIONS

ALL MASSES ARE AT ST THOMAS'S CHURCH UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

SUNDAY 11 <sup>th</sup> June	CORPUS CHRISTI
6:00pm (Sat)	Fiona Pyke (McNabb) RIP
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8:00am (Latin) Thanksgiving
9:15am Angela Brunning RIP (LG)

11:15am People of the Parish
6:00pm The Brunning Family
9:30am *Otford* Toby Hayward-Seers RIP

9:30am Borough Green Jon Le Sbirel & wellbeing of Anne Lamenton

11:00am West Kingsdown Peace in Ukraine

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> S Boniface, B M

8:00am Timothy and Cleta Andradi RIP

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> S Anthony of Padua, Pr D

9:30am Good health of Pippa Edwards

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Feria

8:00am Joseph & Josephine Brown RIP

10:00am Otford Fr David

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Feria

10:00am Borough Green Fr Gerald & Sr Josephine

12:00noon Funeral Mass - David Lewis RIP

#### FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> The MOST SACRED HEART of JESUS

8:00am Dec'd of the donor's family

10:00am West Kingsdown Roy Saures RIP

#### Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> The Immaculate Heart of BVM

9:30am James & Carmela Gibson RIP

### SUNDAY 18<sup>th</sup> June *ELEVENTH SUNDAY*

6:00pm (Sat) Thanksgiving

8:00am (Latin) More vocations to the Priesthood 9:15am June Hicks RIP & Andy Hicks (birthday)

11:15am Keith D'Souza RIP (anniversary)

6:00pm Sacredness of Life 9:30am *Otford* Angela Brunning RIP

9:30am Borough Green Margaret & Jim Vinson RIP and for their family

11:00am West Kingsdown People of the Parish

#### Departed anniversaries

Joan Harrison, Lillian Griggs, Roy Griggs, Henry Fabian, Mavis Webb, Brian Morel, Eleanor O'Brien, Reginald Liddiard, Ellen Salt, Gauthier Davies, John McKeever, John Geary, Gerald Rowley, Gerald Mullan, Hilda Dillion, Ellen Jeffries, Patrick Walsh, Fr Mirek Cukier.

#### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

# RECENTLY BAPTIZED

Welcome to

#### **Evelina Pighin**

who was Baptised last Sunday, at St Thomas', Sevenoaks.

#### RECENTLY DEPARTED

#### Jane Tabor Angela Brunning

Eternal rest grant unto them,
O Lord, and let perpetual light shine
upon them.
May they rest in peace.

#### THE SICK

Tony Barrett, Frank Eastbrooke,
Lynne Stanley, Veronica Williams,
Yvonne Bollen, Peter Ringham, Ann
Steven, Lilian Spragg, Ken Holmes,
Mary & Chris Scott, Sean Cloke, Ann
Farren and all in care and
nursing homes in the Parish.

#### LATIN ANTIPHONS

#### Entrance

Cibavit eos ex adipe frumenti, et de petra melle saturavit eos.

#### Communion

Qui manducat meam carnem et bibit meum sanguinem, in me manet et ego in eo, dicit Dominus.