

The Parish Church of
SAINT EDWARD THE CONFESSOR, BURGESS HILL
*Building a Community of God's People
in the Power of the Holy Spirit*

We are an Anglican Church (Church of England) that seeks to be...

- **Catholic** in the way we express our faith.
- **Charismatic** in seeking to be gifted by the Holy Spirit
- **Contemporary** in our style of worship
- **Committed** to exploring God's word in the scriptures
- **Concerned** to share the healing love of Jesus with all.

Sunday 20th November 2016



**10.00 a.m. PARISH MASS
with Kidz Zone
and the Ministry of Prayer for Healing & Wholeness
*followed by Drinks & Nibbles***

By His death on the cross, Jesus became not only the King of the Jews but also the King of everyone who accepts Him, even outcasts. But people have to make a choice - for or against Him. Today, may we truly ask Christ our King to reign in our lives, in our hearts and in our Church.



Today, as we celebrate **CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING**, our Parish Mass will be with great solemnity and continues after Mass with 'Drinks & Nibbles' (Tea and coffee is also available!) **EVERYONE WELCOME!**

THE MUSTARD SEED COMMUNITY CAFÉ

Will be open this week on
THURSDAY and FRIDAY
10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.
and **SATURDAY**
9.00 a.m. – 3.00 p.m.



FOR ALL WHO VOLUNTEER IN ANY CAPACITY IN THE MUSTARD SEED CAFÉ.

There will be a meeting on **Tuesday 29th November** (Tuesday week) after the 10.30 a.m. Mass (at around 11.30 a.m.) and everyone who is involved is asked to please do their best to attend.

We would like to have feedback (good and bad) and to discuss the way forward with this very successful project.

NEXT SUNDAY begins the season of **ADVENT** – a time of preparation, anticipation and looking forward to Christmas (His first coming) and ultimately to His coming again in glory.

ADVENT, although not the same as Lent, is a 'penitential season' (*and that is why the liturgical colour is purple*) and is a wonderful time to begin again. In fact it is the church's New Year.

PRAYER & PRAISE – the next Prayer & Praise will be on **Sunday 4th December** at **6.00 p.m.** This service will have a very **ADVENT** feel to it with the theme of '**PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD**' After Prayer & Praise there will be a party in the Café to celebrate Sheila Elgie's birthday!

The Following Prayer & Praise will be '**CHRISTMAS PRAISE**' with **Christingles** for the children – **Sunday 18th December** at **6.00 p.m.**

Wine for use at the Eucharist: We are beginning to run low on Communion wine and would welcome donations of bottles of **MOSCATEL DE VALENCIA** which is a sweet golden desert wine. On sale at Tesco's and Sainsbury's at £5 (Tesco is the best as theirs has a 'screw-top'!)



Collection of Toys: It is our custom here at St. Edward's that on the first Sunday of December (Sunday 4th December at the Parish Mass) we have a collection of (new) toys which will be given to the Diocese of Chichester Family Support Work and passed on from them to children of deprived families this Christmas. Please be generous in your support of this annual appeal. If at all possible, please provide Christmas Wrapping Paper (but please don't wrap the toys!)

FOR OUR PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Within our congregation, we would especially pray for...

Peter Robinson, Kathy Sadler, Anne Chitty, Audrey Pugh.

Pray also for.....

Frances Farmer – severe stroke

Richard Brown slight improvement after minor operation but still very ill.

Laurie (and his family) – now undergoing intensive therapy

Gill Oldfield: numerous cancers (that God's will be done)

Beryl: mental breakdown

Pat Farrant – recovering from stroke and severe shingles

Derek Newman – cancer

Graham Bailey –cancer clear but numerous secondary infections

Lisa King – breast cancer

Peter Funnell – stomach cancer

Fletcher Mepham (8) – chemotherapy for recurring cancer

Recently Departed: Nick Tindall and Audrey Veitch

Anniversaries:

Greta Kingcome (Monday)

Daphne Gardener, Agnes Americo-Cox (Tuesday)

Cecil Murray, Joan Stoner (Wednesday)

Beryl Anthon, Sheila Jupp (Thursday)

Edith Wall, Jennie Rawling (Friday)

The week ahead at St. Edward the Confessor

MONDAY: *Father Denis has Mondays as his 'rest day'*

Home Group at 7.30 p.m.
at the home of Simon & Caroline Hill –
34 Withy Bush. *'Church & Kingdom'*

TUESDAY: *Saint Cecilia, virgin & martyr*

MASS at 10.30 a.m.
Followed by coffee and fellowship in the Café

WEDNESDAY: **Home Group at 1.30 p.m.**
in the Mustard Seed Café. *'The Lord's Prayer'*

'All the Right Notes' – in the Café at 7.30 p.m.

THURSDAY: **The Mustard Seed Café**
open 10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.

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Burial of Ashes (Doris Venn) at 12 noon

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MASS at 7.30 p.m.

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open 9.00 a.m. – 3.00 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY: **THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**
PARISH MASS at 10.00 a.m.
With KIDZ ZONE

This Pew Sheet is sponsored in loving memory of
SHEILA RAE JUPP
A great Mum and Wife