ST GEORGE, BICKLEY NEWSLETTER 27th OCTOBER 2024 30th in Ordinary Time/ Trinity 22

BISHOP JONATHAN OF FULHAM is visiting us on Thursday to baptize and confirm Willow, and to bless our new Angelus bell, so please come along. The Mass is at **7pm**. There will be refreshments in church after the Mass. We shall be welcoming our friends from the Annunciation, with whom it is our custom to share the celebration of All Saints' and All Souls'. This will be a unique occasion, so bring your friends to see the ancient rite of the blessing of a bell and to support Willow.

OUR FRIENDS AT THE ANNUNCIATION, CHISLEHURST, are celebrating their Dedication Festival today, 27th October. We are invited to Solemn Evensong, Sermon and Benediction at 4pm, followed by tea. The preacher will be Fr Russell Stagg SSC, Vicar of St James and St Michael, Beckenham.

ALL SOULS' We will go to the Annunciation, Chislehurst for a Sung Requiem for All Souls' on Saturday 2nd November at 10am. The list for names to be remembered at the Mass is at the back of church. This is the only list, so please write on it any name you want remembered. There will be no Mass here.

BROMLEY PHILHARMONIC CHOIR Autumn Concert at Emmanuel Church, West Wickham, BR4 9JS. Music by Stanford, Holst and Haydn. Sunday 17th November at 7pm. Tickets £15 (under 25s £1).

BACH EVENING WITH STEPHEN DAVIES Friday 29th November at 7.30pm. Stephen will introduce us to the Schübler Chorales of JS Bach, and play them for us, exploring their Advent themes. Retiring collection for church funds and UNICEF. Wine will be served.

THERE WILL BE MASS ON MONDAY THIS WEEK (28th October) for the feast of St Simon and St Jude.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession) will normally be available in church on Fridays at 6.30pm, or by appointment.

SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK:

- Monday 28th 9.30 Mass (Ss Simon & Jude) *Ephesians 2; 19-22. Luke 6; 12-19.*
- Tuesday 29th 9.30 Mass *Ephesians 5; 21-33. Luke 13; 18-21.*
- Wednesday 30th 9.30 Mass *Ephesians 6; 1-9. Luke 13; 22-30.*
- Thursday 31st 9.30 Mass *Ephesians 6; 10-20. Luke 13; 31-35.* 7.00pm Pontifical Sung Mass of Confirmation
- Friday 1st9.30 Mass (ALL SAINTS' DAY)Revelation 7; 2-4, 9-14. 1 John 3; 1-3. Matthew 5; 1-12.6.30pm Confessions.
- Saturday 2nd 10.00 Mass at the Annunciation (ALL SOULS' DAY)

NEXT SUNDAY: 31st in Ordinary Time/ Trinity 23 8.00 Low Mass (traditional rite) 10.30 Sung Mass with Children's Church

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

THOSE IN NEED: HM The King, The Princess of Wales, Janet Aves, Ted Bennett, Vera Bilby, Keith Bowley, Sylvia Braybrooke, June Brocksom, Susan Cannell, Ron Carpenter, Julie Couldridge, Linda Courquin, Beatrice Dadson, Sandra Donohue, Roger Edwards, Stuart Esk, Matthew Fairweather, Lynda Francis, Jan Good, Antonia Gowers, Elaine Greasley, Alison Hadfield, Mary Huggins, Catherine Jones, Ralph Jones, Marie Kerrigan, Esther Knight, Rita McGrath, Joseph Milad, Elsie Neill, Pauline Norris, Nelly Oakeshott, Lee Ramsey, Lyn Ramsey, Scott Ramsey, Shannon Sheridan, Sandra Hambleton-Smith, Michael Turner, Joan Turpin, Elaine Warner & family, Ann-Louise Whittaker, Laila Williams.

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Edna Readman, James Collins, Mervyn Norris.

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