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"Father in heaven, we offer thanks to you for the sign that Christmas is to the world — a sign that God is with us all our days, in every age and time. Through our worship our hearts are prepared to welcome Christ. Be with us, for we are your people, and you are our God."

LITURGY:
Sunday Readings: Cycle B p.90 Mass Book
Weekday Readings : Octave of Christmas
Morning Prayer: Octave of Christmas

The plate offertory last week was **£566**
Average weekly standing orders **£1014**
Christmas day collection is your personal gift to Fr Paul
Crib collection is for the **Catholic Children's Society**

DAY	TIME	CELEBRATION	CHURCH	INTENTION
Saturday 23rd	5.30pm	Mass: Mass: 4th Sunday of Advent	SS Peter & John	Edward Gallagher RIP
Sunday 24th morning	9.30am 11.00am	Mass: 4th Sunday of Advent Mass: 4th Sunday of Advent	St Tarcisius Christ the King	People of the Parish Joan Osborn RIP
Christmas Eve Sunday 24th	4.00pm 6.00pm 9.30pm 9.30pm	Vigil mass for Christmas Vigil mass for Christmas Christmas Night Mass Christmas Night Mass	Christ the King SS Peter & John SS Peter & John St Tarcisius	Celebrants Intention Celebrants Intention Dot Lever RIP Liam Whelan RIP
Christmas Day Monday 25th	9.30am 11.00am	Christmas Day Mass Christmas Day Mass	St Tarcisius Christ the King	People of the Parish Stephen Lee Intention
Tuesday 26th	9.30am	St Stephen Feast Mass	St Tarcisius	Liam Whelan RIP
Wed 27th	9.30am	St John the Evangelist Feast Mass	Christ the King	Celebrants Intention
Thurs 28th	12.00noon	The Holy Innocents Feast Mass	SS Peter & John	Mary & Willie Fitzpatrick Int
Friday 29th	9.30am	St Thomas Beckett Feast Mass	St Tarcisius	Doreen Dodd & Susan Hogarth Intention
Saturday 30th	10.00am 5.30pm	Sixth Day of the Christmas Octave Mass The Holy Family Feast Mass	St Tarcisius SS Peter & John	May & Rosaleen O'Neil Int Neville & Michael Lowe Int
Sunday 31st	9.30am 11.00am	The Holy Family Feast Mass The Holy Family Feast Mass	St Tarcisius Christ the King	Blanche & Stanley Sumptor People of the Parish
Monday 1st January 2018	12 noon	Mary, The Holy Mother of God Mass Followed by a shared lunch in the hall	SS Peter & John	Joan and Jimmy Holden Int

New Sunday Morning Mass Times in 2018

St Tarcisius	9.15am
Christ the King	11.15am

Help House Vulnerable Youngsters in Surrey The Surrey families service is appealing for volunteer hosts to put up young people in need. If you feel you have a spare room that you could offer to support this service and would like to know more, then contact SCC via their website, go to the Family information service and select support and advice, then click on the Volunteer host service.

There will be **Singing Practice** at St Tarcisius Church on Tuesday 23rd Jan 7.30pm to practice a new mass setting and hymns. ALL PARISHIONERS WELCOME - refreshments after wards.

The Word who is Life: Vision for Mission.

Bishop Richard has issued a video on which he sets out briefly his thinking on the future Mission of the Church in this Diocese and summarises his presentation made to deaneries over the last couple of months the key questions the Bishop has asked each parish to consider can also be viewed in resources on the website www.dabnet.org

- *Given the Mission to which we have all been entrusted, what three things do you think we most need for Mission-effectiveness?*
- *What roles in this Mission can be best carried out by the lay-faithful?*
- *What factors, do you think, have brought about the present situation that we are having to address in our Diocese?*
- *If we were starting the Diocese today, with 25 priests, where would you place them?*

Any comments or feedback can be sent to the parish office for presentation to the Bishop when he returns to the deaneries in the New Year. Fr Paul will be showing the video and discussing the questions on **Tuesday 9th January 7.30pm** at St Peter and St John Hall.

We welcome Fr Kevin Dring from St John's Seminary who will be celebrating the 6.00pm and 9.30pm Christmas Eve mass at St Peter and St John and the 9.30am mass on Christmas morning at St Tarcisius

Confession Times this week

Sat 9.00 – 9.50am	St Tarcisius
Sat 16.45-17.15pm	St Peter and St John
Sun 8.45-9.15	St Tarcisius (sanctuary)

Step by Step have written to thank the parish for the Christmas gifts and treats that have been donated. *"This year we expect to have 233 young people with us in Christmas Day because they have nowhere else to turn to. Thank you for helping us give these young people the type of Christmas they deserve."*

PARISH DIARY

1st Holy Com Session	6 SJP	Sat 13 th Jan 3.30pm
C&B Liturgy Com	Mon 15 Jan 8.00pm	STAR
SVP Meeting	Tues 16 Jan 8pm	SPJ
CAFOD J&P	Thus 18 th Jan	SPJ
"God Squad" (Young adults)	Fri 19 th Jan 7.30pm	11 Bell Place
Christ the King Meeting	to discuss keeping the church open– Monday 22 nd Jan at CTK church	
Christian Unity Service (St Michaels)	on Sun 28 th Jan 6.30pm	
Confirmation Session	Tues 30 th Jan 7.45pm	at 11 Bell Place

CAFOD are currently looking for volunteers to help them in their work in schools, parishes or with fundraising, campaigning. If you would like more information please contact Martin on 01483 898866 or arundelandbrighton@cafod.org.uk

Mass for Deaf and Hard of Hearing: will be held on **Saturday January 6th** at 1pm with **Bishop Richard** in St John the Evangelist, Horsham. Contact mag.booker@gmail.com. Mobile: 07970428601 (sms [text] only) Tel: Mr Jim Mortell on 01273 552159.

My best wishes to all our parishioners for the festivities of Christmas. I hope that is blessed time in your homes and among your families. For anyone who is on their own at this time I hope the sense of our parish as your family of faith is strengthened by the liturgies and celebrations in our three churches. We are all grateful for every contribution that is made in our parish throughout the year and especially at this time. I welcome any visitors and newcomers to our churches. We are grateful for your presence and I hope that we help to make this a joyful time for you.

Once more we gather for the nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us contemplate what an amazing feast we celebrate. C.S. Lewis said, *"Once in our world, a stable had something in it that was bigger than our whole world."*

Fr Paul