

Chesterfield Parish Church Saint Mary & All Saints

ho is Your King?
I hope and pray that we would all answer that Jesus is our King.

Yet do we serve him? The only way to be sure is to get to know him by reading the Gospels, and to maintain a living relationship with him by praying constantly.

So many who think they serve Jesus are actually serving someone or something else. Don't fall foul of the temptation to imagine you are serving him when it's actually an ideology or tradition that matters more to you!

Christ the King (22nd November 2020)

Monday

09.00 Morning Prayer

12.15 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

Tuesday

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

Wednesday

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Holy Communion (BCP)

16.00 Evening Prayer

Thursday

09.00 Morning Prayer

17.00 Evening Prayer

17.30 Mass

Friday

09.00 Morning Prayer

12.15 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

Saturday

09.00 Morning Prayer

09.30 Mass

16.00 Evening Prayer

CONGREGATIONS ARE NOT PERMITTED AT ANY SERVICE.

All Masses are broadcast live on the parish Facebook page, and also uploaded to the Crooked Spire YouTube channel.

CHRIST THE KING

Collect Prayer

Eternal Father,

whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Ephesians 1.15-end

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love towards all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Matthew 25.31-end

Jesus said, 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink. I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Then the righteous will answer him, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" And the king will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Then he will say to those at his left hand, "You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me." Then they also will answer, "Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?" Then he will answer them, "Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.'

Prayer Intentions This Week:

Today 22nd November - Christ the King

- Empowerment through the Holy Spirit
- ♦ The Church of Bermuda

Monday 23rd November- Clement of Rome

- St George & St Mary, Gresley
- ♦ Santiago (Chile); Santiago (Philippines)
- ♦ John Arkwell; Thomas Patton Hamilton

Tuesday 24th November

- St James, Shardlow; St Mary, Weston-on-Trent
- ♦ Sao Paulo (Brazil); East Carolina (TEC)
- ₱ Enid Margaret Franklin

Wednesday 25th November - Catherine of Alexandria: Isaac Watts

- St George, Ticknall; St James, Smisby;
 St Michael, Stanton-by-Bridge
- ♦ Sapele (Nigeria); East Kerala (S India)
- + Caleb Beresford; Hilda Turvil; Gordon Kirk

Thursday 26th November

- St Michael with St Mary, Melbourne
- ♦ Saskatchewan (Canada);

E Ruwenzori (Uganda); E Tennessee (TEC)

♦ Henry George Cyril Sporton

Friday 27th November

St Wystan, Repton; St Saviour, Foremark;

St Mary, Newton Solney

- ♦ Saskatoon (Canada); En Himalayas (N India)
- ♦ Eleanor Sharratt; John Charles Blow

Saturday 28th November

- Immanuel, Stapenhill
- Sebei (Uganda); En Kowloon (Hong Kong);
 Kyushu (Japan)
- · Diocesan Cycle of Prayer
- ♦ Anglican Worldwide Cycle of Prayer
- ♦ Year's Mind

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Our prayers have been asked for:

Jane Hoskin; John Robinson; Sheila Laverick; Carol Kingham; Joan Lidgate; Teddy; June Frankland; John Herring; Michael Catton; Patricia Mitchell; Sue Hastings; Jean Madin; Jane Jackson; David Staves; Ian Mackenzie; Laura; Robin Glasson; Kenneth Hughes; Jane Stretton; Paul Taylor; Margaret; Colin Parnell; Ray Hearn; Tom Pierce; Anthony & Katie; members of the Wolf-Kidd family; Ivor Maltby

- ♦ Kenneth Parker, RIP
- ♦ Ambrose Walsh, priest, RIP
- ♦ Howard Weaver, RIP

Thank you to the volunteers who have helped make it possible to keep the church building open for personal prayer each day during the week.

We will continue opening for this purpose from 10.30 am to 2.00pm Monday-Saturday throughout the lockdown.

Services with a congregation will re-commence as soon as they are permitted.

Details will be published on social media and elsewhere.

PLEASE CONSIDER YOUR OWN CONDITION OF HEALTH AND POSSIBLE VULNERABILITY BEFORE MAKING ANY DECISIONS TO ATTEND CHURCH IN PERSON.

You can find Morning and Evening Prayer on the Church of England website: https:// www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/ join-us-service-daily-prayer

If you need support in prayer or any other way please contact the team on 01246 206506 or contact@crookedspire.org

Next Sunday - 29th November - Advent Sunday

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