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Newsletter – Sunday 19th April 2026
Third Sunday of Easter

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Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 10.00am (HG) The well-being of Kitty Cho
6.00pm (IC) Jean Jaouen RIP

Sunday 9.00am (IC) The People of the Parish
11.00am (HG) The well-being of Carol & Eddy Jacks

Monday 9.30am (HG) In Thanksgiving

Tuesday **No Mass today**

Wednesday 9.30am (IC) The well-being of Shane & Genine Leslie

Thursday 9.30am (HG) The well-being of Mariusz Pachulski

Friday 9.30am (IC) Mary & Bob McSorley RIP

Saturday 10.00am (HG) The well-being of Richard & Moira Taylor and family
6.00pm (IC) John & Stella FitzPatrick RIP

Sunday 9.00am (IC) The well-being of Carolyn Ablett
(26/4) 11.00am (HG) The People of the Parish

IC – Church of the Immaculate Conception, Sandhurst HG – Church of the Holy Ghost, Crowthorne

This Sunday we will use the Preface of Easter 2 & Eucharistic Prayer 2

Feasts

Tuesday St. Anselm, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

Thursday ST. GEORGE THE GREAT MARTYR, PATRON OF ENGLAND

Saturday St. Mark, Evangelist, Martyr, Patron of Egypt

The following people's anniversaries will occur during the coming week: Robert Byre, Peggy Leslie, Michael Barden, Ethel Moss-Terry, Jim Murtagh, Arthur Mather, Margaret Stokes, Maura Huddle and Liz Haines. May they all rest in peace.

Confessions – The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at the following times:

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Sandhurst: Fridays at 10.00am; Saturdays 5.15pm until 5.45pm

Church of the Holy Ghost, Crowthorne: Saturdays 10.30am; Sundays after the 11.00am Mass

Parish Office – The Office is open 9.30am – 12.30pm on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Nobody is available on Tuesdays.

Save the date – Summer Fundraiser on 27th and 28th June. "Anything to do with a garden and plants" Donations of items and plants would be most welcome, books and jigsaws too. More details in nearer the time.

Holy Ghost Sunday Refreshment – There will be no tea/coffee after the Mass this Sunday 19th due to the St George's day afternoon tea in Sandhurst.

Save the date - Curry Night 2 Fundraiser will be on Saturday 11 July priced at £15 per person. Tickets will be available from 26 April at all Masses. We have limited availability so if you are interested and not available to buy the tickets please let Sherrie know in advance 01344 776884 so that places can be reserved. Tickets are non-refundable.

The Music Group "Heaven Above" – Play at the 9.00am Mass at Sandhurst every other Sunday, holidays and commitments permitting. We now have only 3 players: Emma-Lisa on flute, Lee on violin and Tim on guitar. We would welcome players i.e. bass guitar, cello, etc. If you feel you would like to join us, please get in touch with Linda Tranter at 01252 872 589 or contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

Curious about the Catholic faith? You are warmly invited...Are you wondering about the Catholic faith, or feeling drawn to explore something more? Perhaps you're considering baptism, returning to church after some time away, or simply have questions you've never had the chance to ask. We warmly invite you to a relaxed and informal "Come and See" evening on: Thursday 30th April 2026 at 7:30pm, St. Joseph's Hall, Bracknell. Come and meet others, ask questions, and hear a little about the journey ahead - all in a friendly and welcoming space. Whether you are just curious, searching for something more, or feel ready to take a next step, you will be very welcome. This is the beginning of a journey - a chance to explore at your own pace. Open to everyone across our Pastoral Area. If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch: rcia@bracknellcatholicchurch.org This initiative is being led by Mrs. Mary McNabb and she will speak at the end of all of our Masses this weekend to introduce it.

Mass of Anointing at Corpus Christi, Wokingham - We will be holding a Mass of anointing at Corpus Christi Church, 60 Sturges Road, Wokingham RG40 2HE on Saturday 25th April at 10.30am. The Mass is intended especially for those who are in need of physical, mental health and spiritual support or are of advanced years. We also pray for healing, comfort and strength for each other. Tea and coffee will be available in the Keenan Rooms after the Mass. If you need a lift please call the SVP on 01182 114130 and leave a message or email suzettesymons@gmail.com

Plate Collection – for last Sunday: £919.03 (plus £10 for Holy Places) - Standing Orders: £575 - Digital Giving collection: £142.56. Thank you for your generosity. If anyone wishes to donate by cheque to the parish, cheques should be made payable to CDP Crowthorne HG & Sandhurst IC.

