

The Sacred Heart Church, Wadhurst

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Sunday 14th January – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Peace Sunday

Sat 13th 6pm – Sacred Heart – Parish People

Sun 14th 10am - St Thomas

Wed 17th 10am - Sacred Heart

Sat 20th 6pm – St Thomas

Sun 21st 10am – Sacred Heart

Graveyard: Gates are open weekends 9am - 1pm.

Confessions: After Mass on Wednesday's or by appointment with Fr Patrick

Exposition: First Friday, 9.00am – 10.00am

Mothers Prayers: Contact the Parish Office

Parish Office opening hours:

Wednesday & Friday 9.00am - 1pm

GRAVEYARD:

The school gate to the graveyard now has access via a coded lock. Anyone requiring vehicular access at weekends will need to contact the Parish Office in advance for the code details. Please take care as the graveyard is very wet and slippery.

CARILLON COTTAGE:

Are collecting plastic sweet and biscuit tubs until the end of January. These will be recycled to raise funds for MacMillan Cancer Support. Please drop off at Carillon Cottage or leave in the annexe for collection.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Will meet on Wednesday 17th January. Please send any item you would like to be discussed to the Parish Office.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY:

18th to 25th January. The Christian Unity Service will take place at Sacred Heart Church on Sunday 28th January at 6.30pm. This year's material entitled 'Go and do likewise', has been produced by the churches in Burkina Faso. Information and copies of the daily reflections can be found at <https://ctbi.org.uk/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity-2024/>. There will be prayers in the annexe each day from Monday 22nd to Thursday 25th at 12.15pm, followed by a simple lunch of soup, bread and cheese. All welcome to come along.

PEACE SUNDAY:

The theme for Peace Sunday is Pope Francis' theme for the World Day of Peace – 'Artificial Intelligence and Peace'. This title reflects how new technologies are developing so quickly that we need to think about their consequences for our freedom, peace and security. It is an important opportunity for Pax Christi to raise funds. Therefore there will be a voluntary Second Collection this weekend.

VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR WOMEN: (20s & 30s)

Theme: Discerning God's Call in your life

Dates: 16-18 February 2024

Location: Liverpool

The weekend is organised by the Sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ).

Jesus invites each of us to 'Come and See' - this weekend will give the opportunity to explore the vocation to religious life and to reflect on God's call to you.

If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more why not come along? You are welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on Saturday for the day. There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, chance to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Please remember in your prayers all who are sick in our parish.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember all those whose anniversaries occur around this