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## WEEKLY NOTES

### Christ the King 21<sup>st</sup> November 2010

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*Today the Church celebrates the Kingship of Jesus Christ.*

*You are warmly invited to coffee in church immediately after the 8.00 service, and in the church hall (just across the road) after the 9.30 service.*

### Sunday Prayer Cycle

We pray today for the church and for the world, and especially for all Christian rulers; for all churchwardens in the diocese; for those who care for our churchyards; and for all who live in The Orchard.

### Collect and Post-communion 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

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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## REGULAR SERVICES THIS WEEK

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IN CHURCH <i>(all welcome at these services)</i>	Morning Prayer	Holy Eucharist	Evening Prayer
Monday	9am	-	5pm
Tuesday	9am	10am	-
Wednesday	9am	-	-
Thursday	-	-	-

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## NEXT SUNDAY

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### 28<sup>th</sup> November – The First Sunday of Advent

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Sung Eucharist (with dedication of new altar frontal)

11.00am Choral Mattins

5.30pm Evening Prayer (said)

# SUNDAY SERVICES

## 8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (*Book of Common Prayer*)

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The service begins on page **31** of the green *Shorter Prayer Book*, and we use the Summary of the Law on page **33**. (The festival of Christ the King post-dates the 1662 Prayer book, so the Collect and readings are taken from Common Worship.)

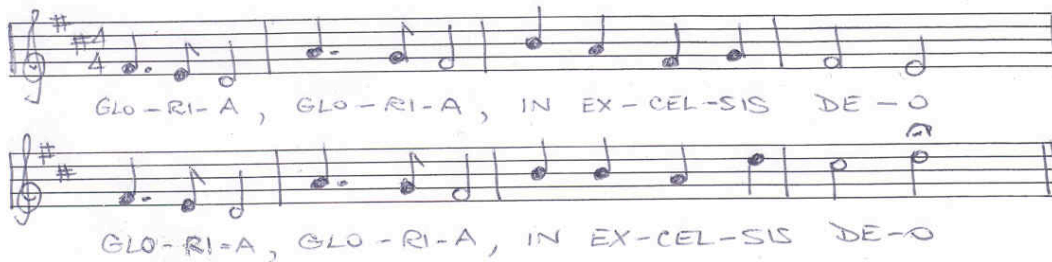
## 9.30am PROCESSION AND SUNG EUCHARIST (*Common Worship*)

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Mass Setting: *Darke* – Collegium Regale (in E)

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 352

Gloria: *Lourdes*.



First Reading: Colossians 1.11–20

### GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 444

The Holy Gospel: St Luke 23.33–43

All-age talk: Wendy Varney, reader

### OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 295

Eucharistic Prayer: **E** with proper preface

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give you thanks, holy Father, almighty and eternal God. For with the oil of gladness you have anointed Christ the Lord, your only Son, to be our great high priest and king of all creation. As priest, he offered himself once for all upon the altar of the cross and redeemed the human race by this perfect sacrifice of peace. As king he claims dominion over all your creatures, that he might bring before your infinite majesty a kingdom of truth and life, a kingdom of holiness and grace, a kingdom of justice, love and peace. And so with angels and archangels and all the heavenly host, we proclaim your glory and join in their unending hymn of praise.

After the consecration:

Tune: *Hyfrydol* (NEH 271)

*Priest:* Let us proclaim the mystery of faith—

*All sing:* Alleluya, King eternal,  
Thee the Lord of lords we own;  
Alleluya, born of Mary,  
Earth thy footstool, Heaven thy throne:  
Thou within the veil hast entered,  
Robed in flesh, our great High Priest,  
Thou on earth, both Priest and Victim  
In the Eucharistic Feast.

Anthem: The Lamb – *Taverner* (words by William Blake)

Little Lamb, who made thee?  
Dost thou know who made thee?  
Gave thee life, and bid thee feed  
By the stream and o'er the mead;  
Gave thee clothing of delight,  
Softest clothing, woolly, bright;  
Gave thee such a tender voice,  
Making all the vales rejoice?  
Little Lamb, who made thee?  
Dost thou know who made thee?

Little Lamb, I'll tell thee,  
Little Lamb, I'll tell thee:  
He is called by thy name,  
For he calls himself a Lamb.  
He is meek, and he is mild;  
He became a little child.  
I, a child, and thou a lamb,  
We are called by his name.  
Little Lamb, God bless thee!  
Little Lamb, God bless thee!

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: NEH 345**

Voluntary: Toccata in F (BWV 540) – *JS Bach*

**11.00am SUNG EUCHARIST** (*Book of Common Prayer*)

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**INTROIT HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 443**

The service begins on page 31 in the green *Shorter Prayer Book*.

The Epistle: Colossians 1.11–20

**GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 349**

The Holy Gospel: St Luke 23.33–43

Nicene Creed (page 34): *Merbecke*

Sermon: The Vicar

**OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 272** (*during which a collection is taken*)

Kneel for the Prayer of the Church (page 36) and following.

We use the *Merbecke* Sanctus today, but the Agnus Dei is omitted.

**CONSECRATION HYMN: NEH 269 (PART TWO ONLY – TUNE ii)**

Please come forward for Holy Communion as soon as the hymn ends.

After Communion, page 44 for the Lord's Prayer and following

Gloria in Excelsis: *Merbecke*

**RECESSIONAL HYMN: NEH 376**

**5.30pm CHORAL EVENSONG and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament**

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A separate order is provided for this service.

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## NOTICES

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**Together at Christmas.** Churches Together in Ewell are pleased to offer a full Christmas day dinner to local residents who would otherwise be on their own. To be held at St Paul's, Howell Hill. Full details on CTE noticeboard. Helpers are needed for lifts etc. Contact Sarah Stovell 0208 393 0786 by end of November.

*Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the World, with the people of Ewell*

**Would you like to be on the readers' rota?** This involves reading occasionally at Sunday services. Opportunities to practice available if needed, and readings are available beforehand. It would be very good to welcome new readers to this ministry— please speak to Jonathan Gocher ASAP if you might be interested in reading some time in the New Year.



**Do you buy things on the internet?** Would you like some money to go to St Mary's without costing you a penny? Just go to [http://www.stmarysewell.com/home/earn\\_money.html](http://www.stmarysewell.com/home/earn_money.html) and register. Includes John Lewis, M&S, Next, Argos, Staples, HMV, Ticketmaster, Amazon, Toys R Us, Staples and many more.

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## THIS WEEK

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**Tuesday** means Café NESCOL. Between twelve and two lunch is served in the church hall. Waiter service from NESCOL students, very reasonable prices.

**Tuesday evening:** The House Group's theme is 'Praise and Prayer.' All very welcome to attend, all very informal, lifts can be arranged. Contact Julian & Wendy Varney (8393 5212) or John & Sarah Stovell (8393 0786).

**Wednesday: Coffee morning** in the church hall, 10.30-12. There will be a table-top sale with the theme "Everything for Christmas" and hot mince pies to enjoy with your coffee or tea. Proceeds go to support the children at the Jeel Al Amal Boys' Home and the Lazarus House for Girls in Bethany.

**Saturday: Launch of St Mary's Cake Recipe Book** in the church hall, 10-11.30am. Tea, and samples of the cakes in the book, will be served. Copies of the book will be on sale for £2.50, featuring recipes by many members of St Mary's (including the Vicar!)



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## FUTURE DATES

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**Next Sunday:** At the 9.30am Sung Eucharist, the new purple altar frontal will be dedicated with holy water and incense. As well as the donor, John Richard, from our congregation, the seamstresses from Manorhead in Hindhead will be with us.

**Next Sunday: Introduction to Visiting at 3.30pm** in the church hall. A short talk from the Vicar about visiting, with time for questions. We hope to form a team of people willing to visit members of the congregation and others who are sick, shut in, or who would like some companionship. Please do come along even if you aren't interested in joining the team: all are very welcome. Tea & biscuits served.

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December: Candle Evening** at A&E Longhurst funeral directors, Kingston Rd. Begins 6.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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