



PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

~ THANET ~

Parish Church: OUR LADY AND SAINT BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Centre: CHRIST CHURCH (U.R.C.) WESTGATE BAY AVENUE, WESTGATE

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WEEKLY DIARY

Sunday 7 January 2018

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



Saturday 6th January (Evening)

Confessions 5.15 pm to 5.45 pm

Vigil Mass

6 pm BIRCHINGTON

WHITE

People of the Parish
Birchington and Westgate

Sunday 7th January The Epiphany of the Lord

9.15 am BIRCHINGTON

In thanksgiving for 90 years
Mary Crow

10.45 am WESTGATE MASS CENTRE

Michael Baily, RIP Caroline Bailey

FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME (year B II) Psalter week 1

Monday 8th January (White) The Baptism of the Lord

10 am Barbara Paice, RIP David Shufflebotham

Tuesday 9th January (Green) Feria

10 am Veronica Rivers, RIP Private Intention

Wednesday 10th January (Green) Feria

9.30 am EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

10 am Repose of the soul of Niall O'Doherty, RIP
E. Haugh

Thursday 11th January (Green) Feria

NO MASS TODAY

Friday 12th January (White) Saint Aelred of Rievaulx

9.30 am EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

10 am Honora Burns, RIP Avril Mobim

Saturday 13th January (White) Saint Hilary

9.45 am MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

10 am In Thanksgiving Caroline Bailey

Collections: 30th/31st December 2017

	Gift Aid	Loose Plate	TOTAL
Offertory	£253.00	£328.89	£581.89
CHRISTMAS OFFERING			£40.00

Thank you for your generosity

JUSTICE PEACE AND INTEGRITY OF CREATION MEETING: will be on **Tuesday 9th January** in the Parish Hall following the 10 am Mass. *Open to all parishioners.*

1ST HOLY COMMUNION: First Holy Communion Classes continue on **Saturday 13th January** at 11 am – open to all children from the age of seven. *Please see Canon David, Margaret Carter or the Parish Office.*

200 CLUB DRAW: 200 Club Draw and Coffee Morning on **Sunday 14th January** will take place in the Parish Hall following the 9.15 am Mass.

WHITE FLOWER APPEAL: the Annual White Flower Appeal collections will be taken up at all Masses on **Sunday 14th January**. *Please see cards at the back of the church and at the Mass Centre and support this appeal by completing the card and sending to SPUC.*



BAPTISM

We welcome into the parish of The Holy Family – Thanet **Alba Shannon Huckstepp** who will be baptised on **Sunday 14th January** in the Parish Church at 12.15 pm.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY: 18th to 25th January. In Westgate the Parish of The Holy Family will lead the Prayer Service on the opening day, THURSDAY 18th JANUARY in **St Saviour's Church, Westgate Bay Avenue** at 10.30 am (See poster for other venues)

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN BIRCHINGTON

Churches Together Coffee Morning to be held in the Parish Hall on **Wednesday 24th January** following the 10 am Mass.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED TO SERVE TEAS AND COFFEE.

Please contact the parish office ASAP.

WINTER QUIZ NIGHT: S.V.P : **Friday 26th January** in the Parish Hall at 7 pm for 7.30 pm. Tickets on sale at Birchington and Westgate **£5 – light refreshments provided.**

COMMISSIONING OF EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION will take place on **Saturday 3rd February** at **St. George's Cathedral, Southwark, London.** *Application forms available from the Parish Office.*

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Your prayers are asked for

Maureen London, Steve Kelly, Ina Evans,
Joan and James Hogan, Ron Wells and Andy Anderson.

MASS CENTRE REPOSITORY: we are seeking a couple of volunteers to staff the Repository on Sundays.
Please contact Canon David or the Parish Office if you are able to help.