



# The Parish of Our Lady & St John & Christ the King



Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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## PARISH NEWSLETTER: 29/12/19. THE HOLY FAMILY

Sunday Mass times	6.00pm (Sat)	10.00am	11.30(Woodcote)
Readers: 28/29/12	M Wilkinson	D & E Singleton	Heath Family
" 4/5/01/2020			R Metcalf
Cleaning/Flowers next w/e	Group D (Goring)	(Woodcote)	////////////////////
Counting/banking(next 3 weekends)	29/12- P Ashton	5/01/20- G Dean	12/01- C Gregory

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: 22/12/19 = £428.15p. (Cash & Envs only. Thanks also to those who use SO & DD)

### CHRISTMAS 2019

Thank you to all who helped with cleaning and decorating the church for Christmas. Thank you also to our organists Sharmala and Alun, and to the choir at Goring, also to William at Woodcote whose electronic accompaniment helps encourage singing at Woodcote. A huge thanks also to readers and young servers at all the Masses.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** –Patricia Burse, Rosemary Allen, Ray & Margaret Lynch, Betty Browne, Elizabeth Leaver, Anne-Marie Hupé, Elizabeth Linley, Dora Nash, Kitty Holliday, Mary Hoban, John Warren, Fr Antony, Penelope Codner, Frances Shinkwin, Gill Flint, Joan Newbury.

### WOODCOTE 10K – ADVANCE NOTICE

This event will take place on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January and will mean that access to Christ the King Church will be severely restricted. Mass on that Sunday will take place at the usual time of 11.30 in The Old Chapel at the Oratory School, which is located less than half a mile away and has excellent parking space.



FR TOM sends seasonal greetings and best wishes to us all.

We pray for the repose of the soul of FR JOHN ELLIS RIP, for many years PP of Sonning Common. He and Fr Tom were good friends.

*HAPPY NEW YEAR to all our parishioners as well as seasonal visitors to the church.*

### SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sat 28 – The Holy Innocents  
5.00pm – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction  
6.00pm – Parish  
Sun 29 – THE HOLY FAMILY  
10.00am –  
11.30 – Miss Barford RIP  
Mon 30 – Octave of Christmas  
10.00am –  
Tue 31 – Octave of Christmas  
9.30am –  
Wed. 1 Jan 2020- SOLEMNITY OF THE MOTHERHOOD OF OUR LADY  
10.00am –  
Thu- 2 – feria  
12.00 –  
Fri – 5 – feria  
10.00-  
Sat 4 – feria  
5.00 – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, & Benediction  
6.00 pm – Parish  
Sun 5- THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD  
10.00am –  
11.30am –  
Confessions may be heard from 11-11.30am and after 6pm Mass on Sat. Confessions at Woodcote on 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat of each month.

SUNDAY HYMNS
475
325
753
257

### ANNIVERSARIES

Pat Gaynor, Kate Ward. Arwyn Lewis, Tina Rapinet  
*Requiescant in pace*

HEARTFELT THANKS from Fr Antony and Fr Jacob for your kind gifts and greetings and for your generous Christmas offerings.

The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity no 234216

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