

**A Season of Invitation:** On your way out of church today please collect the next invitation, which is for a 'Special Service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance' on Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Nov at 5pm. Our task is to carry on inviting people, especially on this occasion those who have been bereaved in recent times.

Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> Oct from 10.30am – 12.30pm in our hall  
**Children's Craft Morning:** Keep your children or grandchildren amused at our special creative craft event, with the theme of 'Colour'. There is no need to book in advance, so please just turn up and join us on the day. Refreshments will be available. Please note: all children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Time is running out to get your tickets for Sally and Hilary's '**Champagne and chocolate by candlelight**' event on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October, from 8pm onwards. Tickets are £12.50 each. Profits will help to pay for a case worker supporting refugees in Sussex. Contact Sally on 07917 063752 or [sally@sallypercy.co.uk](mailto:sally@sallypercy.co.uk)

**30<sup>th</sup> October: All Saints' Sunday.** Masses as usual.

**Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Nov: Patronal Festival of All Saints' Roffey, at 8pm.** Please sign-up on the sheet provided at the back of church.

**Fairtrade Advent Calendars:** Orders now being taken. £3.99 each. They ran out last year so you are advised to reserve yours today! **Deadline is 30<sup>th</sup> Oct.** We also have some **Traidcraft Christmas Catalogues** for people to borrow and see the range of very attractive presents & cards available to order. **Please see Anne.**

**Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov: All Souls' Day.** Requiem Masses at 12 noon and 7.30pm. If you would like a loved one remembered at the altar, please *print their name(s)* on the sheet provided relating to each Mass.

Our next **Family Mass** is Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 10am.

Just over a month to go until our **Autumn Fair** in aid of Church Funds. Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2- 4pm. Please offer to help today! Donations of bottles, books, cakes 'n' bakes, jams & chutneys please, but NO Bric à Brac. Cash donations for prizes would be most welcome too. See David G (07973 795626) to offer your time and for more info.

**Plant Sale 2017:** When tidying the garden please pot up any seedlings you find and any perennials that you are dividing, then label them & save them for our plant sale.

**THIS WEEK'S INTERCESSIONS**

**We pray for God's blessing on the life of our church and upon the other Anglican congregations in our town.**

**As a member of Churches Together this week we pray for:** St Luke's & the clergy team  
**In our parish we pray for:**

All who live in Sackville La, King George Ave, Neale Clo, Butterfield, Felbridge Clo

**Please pray those in need of healing:**

Joy Channon, Fr Craig Barber, Marion Baker, Andrew Bass, Ian Duerden, David Drew, David Hart, Tony Baker, Joan Turnbull, Sarah Spurdle, Pam Dray, Sarah Moody, Diana McDowell, Aisling Lyall, Eileen Buchanan, Zena O'hara, Nick, Stuart Nairn, Janet Mallaband, Philip Walker, Fr Charles Lansdale, Mary

**Please pray for all the departed**

**Recently:** Fr James Rhodes- Wrigley

**Anniversary:** Lucy Bass, Katie Gayford, Anne Wetherley  
 Jim Stone, Kenneth Piddlesden



**Welcome to  
 Saint Mary's, East Grinstead  
 on Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2016  
 TRINITY 21**

**(29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

<b>Today's Services:</b>	
<b>8 am Mass</b>	
<b>10 am THE PARISH MASS</b>	
<i>Hymns: Lit O &amp; N 690, 257, 251, 331    Gloria 27, Holy, holy...62</i>	
<b>12 noon Baptism of Adrian Junior Wedesch</b>	
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	St Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, Martyr, c.107
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>St Luke, Evangelist</b> <b>7.30 pm Mass</b> <i>9 am Junior Collective Worship</i>
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Sussex Martyrs of the Reformation Era <b>12 noon Mass</b> <i>9 am Infant Collective Worship</i> <i>1 pm Church Leaders' Meeting</i>
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Feria <b>9.30 am Mass</b> <i>Church open</i> <i>No Coffee and Craft Group in hall</i> <i>11 am Contact Coffee Morning at Moat</i>
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Feria
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Feria
<b>Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October</b> <b>LAST AFTER TRINITY</b> <b>(30<sup>th</sup> in Ordinary Time)</b> <b>8 am Mass</b> <b>10 am THE PARISH MASS</b> <i>Readings: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18; Luke 18:9-14</i>	

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**Everybody is welcome** to join us for coffee/tea after the 10am Mass, in the church hall next door.

We send our love and many congratulations to **Joyce Stevens** who celebrates her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday this week.

Please note: There will be **no** meeting of the Coffee & Craft Group this week as the hall is being used as a polling station.