

ALL SAINTS NEWS

4th November 2018
Fourth before Advent
Year B – Week 31

From Fr Charles

Remembrance Sunday

■ St John's Whiteladies Road War Memorial Act of Remembrance

This will take place on Friday 9th November at the Farmers Market location (as usual) at 10.45. This is programmed to enable the schools to attend during the week and those who work in Whiteladies Road and nearby to attend in working hours.

Friday Mass at ASC will be at 9.30am (and not the usual 10.30am) on the 9th November.

■ All Saints Act of Remembrance on Armistice Day

This year Armistice Day falls on a Sunday (11th November). The act of Remembrance (and the start of Parish Mass) will take place at our War Memorial at 10.45. This day will mark the centenary of the conclusion of World War I.

○ Family Service - Act of Remembrance

Remembrance Sunday Family Service will be at the usual time of 9.30am – it will then lead into the joint act of Remembrance with the Parish Mass at 10.45am

This year it takes place on Armistice Day (11th November).

The Right Reverend Vivienne Faull, Bishop of Bristol

Make sure the date of **Christ the King (Sunday 25th November)** is fixed in your diary. This will be when +Viv spends the day with us, she will attend the Family Service at 9.30 and then Preach and Preside at the 11.00am Parish Mass.

This will also be the final act of celebration and thanksgiving in our 150th Anniversary Year.

Parish Mass will be followed by a wine and buffet lunch for all, served in the Atrium.

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What the Poppy Means

The poppy is

- A symbol of Remembrance and hope
- Worn by millions of people
- Red because of the natural colour of field poppies

The poppy is NOT

- A symbol of death or a sign of support for war
- A reflection of politics or religion
- Red to reflect the colour of blood



History of the Poppy

Wearing a poppy is a personal choice and reflects individual and personal memories. It is not compulsory but is greatly appreciated by those it helps – our beneficiaries: those currently serving in our Armed Forces, veterans, and their families and dependants.

During the First World War (1914–1918) much of the fighting took place in Western Europe. Previously beautiful countryside was blasted, bombed and fought over, again and again. The landscape swiftly turned to fields of mud: bleak and barren scenes where little or nothing could grow.

Bright red Flanders poppies (*Papaver rhoeas*) however, were delicate but resilient flowers and grew in their thousands, flourishing even in the middle of chaos and destruction. In early May 1915, shortly after losing a friend in Ypres, a Canadian doctor, Lt Col John McCrae was inspired by the sight of poppies to write a now famous poem called '**In Flanders Fields**'.

McCrae's poem inspired an American academic, Moina Michael, to make and sell red silk poppies which were brought to England by a French woman, Anna Guérin. The (Royal) British Legion, formed in 1921, ordered 9 million of these poppies and sold them on 11 November that year. The poppies sold out almost immediately and that first ever 'Poppy Appeal' raised over £106,000; a considerable amount of money at the time. This was used to help WW1 veterans with employment and housing.

The following year, Major George Howson set up the 'Poppy Factory' to employ disabled ex-Servicemen. Today, the factory and the Legion's warehouse in Aylesford produce millions of poppies each year.



The demand for poppies in England was so high that few were reaching Scotland. Earl Haig's wife established the 'Lady Haig Poppy Factory' in Edinburgh in 1926 to produce poppies exclusively for Scotland. Over 5 million Scottish poppies (which have four petals and no leaf unlike poppies in the rest of the UK) are still made by hand by disabled ex-Servicemen at Lady Haig's Poppy Factory each year and distributed by our sister charity Poppy Scotland.



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EVENTS

The Harvest Charity

The total raised by our harvest charity for the Sisters of the Church was £937.58 Thank you to everyone who contributed to such a great result .

Requiem Masses during November

The lists are out in the Atrium for those you would like to be remembered at the Requiem Masses during November. The dates are:

5th November Monday at 9.30am 16th November Friday at 10.30am
22nd November Thursday at 7.00pm 27th November Tuesday at 7.00pm

Mass on Friday 9th of November will begin at 9.30 am

10.45 am Sunday 11th November

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE & PARISH MASS

*Please gather outside around the
War Memorial.*



Remembrance Day 2018



Short Service of Remembrance

Whiteladies Road War Memorial
outside former St John's Church

10.45 am
Friday 9th NOVEMBER

TWO-MINUTES
SILENCE AT 11.00 AM

'Lest we forget'
All most welcome

Arranged by Churches Together in Clifton, Cotham & Redland.
Local schools are supporting along with those who live or work in the
Whiteladies Road area



ALL SAINTS NEWS PRAYER

5	Requiem Mass 9.30am The ordained and licensed priests and ministers who work in this parish. Those who perform other ministries in this parish – choir, servers, teaching, preaching, administration, sidespeople, cleaners, tea rota, wardens, and the daily office team												
6	Mass 7.00pm Members of Parliament - for Bristol, Kerry McCarthy, Charlotte Leslie, Karin Smyth and Thanam Debbonaire. May they benefit from your wisdom and guidance.												
7	Mass 9.30am Willibrord of York, Missionary 739 The people who live and work in the Netherlands (historically Frisia and the home of Willibrord). May we learn from the government and organization of this liberal and socially tolerant nation.												
8	Mass 7.00pm Saints and Martyrs of England. British bishops attended the Council of Arles (314) suggesting a church with order and worship – since that time, Christians in Britain have worked for the Kingdom living simple lives of holiness and giving their lives. <i>Pray for the Anglican Communion throughout the world.</i>												
9	Mass 9.30am Margery Kempe, mystic 1440 Pray for spiritual writers that their work may enlighten and lead. <i>Pray for those on pilgrimage who know they are not where they want to be. Pray for ourselves that we may understand better and be drawn toward the path that grows our faith</i> 10.45 Whiteladies War Memorial Remembrance Service												
10	Mass 10.30am Leo the Great, Bishop of Rome 461 Ours often feels a world of conflict. <i>Pray for those who work to bring agreement and understanding. Those who work for peace and concord – be it in places of turmoil and physical danger, in societies without tolerance, or in homes broken apart by difference.</i>												
11	3 before Advent Remembrance Sunday Armistice Day Father, your will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of all: govern the hearts and minds of those in authority, and bring the families of the nations, divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin, to be subject to his just and gentle rule <i>Pray for those who find their faith or values incompatible with the expectations of others. Especially we pray for conscientious objectors and pacifists. Remember those who gave their lives in the Great Wars, and those who continue to put their lives on the line from duty and in our defence.</i> <table><tr><td>Mass</td><td>8.00am</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Family Worship</td><td>9.30am</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Parish Mass</td><td>10.45am</td><td>Afternoon Service 3.00pm</td></tr><tr><td>Evening Prayer</td><td>6.00pm</td><td></td></tr></table>	Mass	8.00am		Family Worship	9.30am		Parish Mass	10.45am	Afternoon Service 3.00pm	Evening Prayer	6.00pm	
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