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Supporting The Christian Community

The Christian Community is funded by contributions by members and friends. In this time of crisis, when the priests' work is needed more than ever, we have to be aware that our income could fall through reduced collections and fundraising events.

We are aware that many people are suffering financial hardship and uncertainty in this time.

However, others may be in a different situation. We are very grateful to everyone who has taken out a standing order or increased their existing one. If you would like to do this, you can download a form with our bank details [here](#). This also allows you to fill out a Gift Aid declaration.

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THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

Movement for Religious Renewal

CANTERBURY CONGREGATION

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September 2023 to July 2024

Programme

"We stand, not at the end, but at the beginning of Christianity"
– Christian Morgenstern

The Christian Community recognizes Christ's deed of life and death as the pivot of renewal in humanity's history. He brought a new relationship between human beings on earth and the beings of the spiritual world. Through His indwelling in the sacraments - this revitalising impulse continues to be available to us individually and in community. Christ replenishes our life in sacramental community, which in turn offers us as individuals the opportunity to find and connect with his regeneration impulse in our own lives, in the life of the whole humanity - and in the life of the entire earth.

There are approximately 350 independent Christian Community congregations worldwide with 17 congregations in Great Britain and Ireland.

The Christian Community was founded 1922 in Switzerland and 1929 in Great Britain.

The Sacraments.

The sacraments are Christ's way of speaking to us. Through them, we connect to his deed of life and death at important junctures in our lives. They nourish and support our earthly existence. There are seven Sacraments in The Christian Community.

The Act of Consecration of Man, our communion service, is the centre of our sacramental life. In addition, there are six other sacraments that give renewal and direction to the natural course of our lives.

Baptism receives the child into the congregation, represented particularly by two godparents.

Confirmation takes place at the age of fourteen to strengthen and support a young person's path into life.

Marriage blesses the decision of a couple to share community of life, supported by two chosen witnesses.

The Anointing, along with the funeral service, helps the dying to free themselves from the body and move into body-free spiritual life.

Sacramental Consultation (by request and confidential) is religious counselling for one's life destiny. It can support individual efforts to take responsibility for life.

Sacrament of Ordination. The sacraments are performed by the priest through the power conferred by the Sacrament of Ordination. In The Christian Community both men and women can become priests.

If you would like to be on the email to get our monthly update,
please email: tccinf@gmail.com

Please contact our priest Natalia Shatna for pastoral conversations and further information.

On the Sundays when there is a service there will be a programme with talks and other activities. These will be publicised well in advance.

2023, 16th -17 of September

16th of September

10am-12pm Garden and house morning

17th of September

10am The Act of Consecration of Man

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

14-15th of October

14th of October

10am-12pm Garden and house morning

15th of October

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Michaelmas

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Biographical workshop with Christina Lines

25-26th of November

25th of November

6pm Evening Service for those who have died

26th of November

10am The Act of Consecration of Man

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

10th of December

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Advent

11.30am Conversation on Advent Epistle

26th of December

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Christmas

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Christmas bring and share lunch

2024 - 21st of January

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Epiphany

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

18th of February

10am The Act of Consecration of Man

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

28th of March

Maundy Thursday

10am The Act of Consecration of Man

11.30am Readings for Maundy Thursday

1st of April

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Easter

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Egg Decorating with adults and children and bring and share lunch afterwards

11-12th of May

11th of May

10am-12pm Garden and house morning

12th of May

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for Ascension

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Ascension Outing

15-16th of June

15th of June

10am-12pm Garden and house morning

16th of June

10am The Act of Consecration of Man

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

7th of July

10am The Act of Consecration of Man for St John's

11.15am Children's Service

11.30am Conversation

Gospel Readings

September 2023 - July 2024

Sunday, September 3 ...Luke 10:1-20

Sunday, September 10 ...Luke 17:5-24

Sunday, September 17 ...Matthew 6:19-34

Sunday, September 24 ...Luke 7:11-17

Michaelmas 2023

Friday, September 29 ...Matthew 22:1-14

Sunday, October 1 ...Matthew 22:1-14

Sunday, October 8 ...Revelation 3:1-6

Sunday, October 15 ...Revelation 12:1-12

Sunday, October 22 ...Revelation 19:11-16

Sunday, October 29 ...Ephesians 6:10-20

Sunday, November 5 ...Revelation 4:1-11

Sunday, November 12 ...Revelation 19:1-10

Sunday, November 19 ...Revelation 21:9-27

Sunday, November 26 Revelation 22:12-21

Advent 2023

Sunday, December 3 ...Luke 21:25-36

Sunday, December 10 ...Luke 21:25-36

Sunday, December 17 ...Luke 21:25-36

Christmas 2023

Monday, December 25

Midnight ...Matthew 1:1-25

Dawn ...Luke 2:1-20

Morning ...John 21:15-25

Epiphany 2024

Saturday, January 6 ...Matthew 2:1-12

Sunday, January 7 ...Matthew 2:1-12

Sunday, January 14 ...Luke 2:41-52

Sunday, January 21 ...John 2:1-11

Sunday, January 28 ...John 5:1-16

Sunday, February 4 ...Matthew 20:1-16

Sunday, February 11 ...Luke 8:4-18

Sunday, February 18 ...Luke 18:18-34

Sunday, February 25 ...Matthew 4:1-11

Passiontide 2024

Sunday, March 3 ...Matthew 17:1-13

Sunday, March 10 ...Luke 11:14-36

Sunday, March 17 ...John 6:1-15

Sunday, March 24 ...John 8:1-12

Holy Week 2024

Palm Sunday, March 24 ... Matthew 21:1-11

Maundy Thursday, March 28 ... Luke 23:13-32

Good Friday, March 29 ... John 19:1-15

Holy Saturday, March 30... ... John 19:16-42

Easter 2024

Sunday, March 31 ... Mark 16:1-8

Sunday, April 7 ... John 20:19-31

Sunday, April 14 ... John 10:1-16

Sunday, April 21 ... John 15:1-27

Sunday, April 28 ... John 16:1-33

Sunday, May 5 ... John 14:1-31

Ascension 2024

Thursday, May 9 ... John 16:24-33

Sunday, May 12 ... John 16:24-33

Whitsun 2024

Sunday, May 19 ... John 14:22-31

Wednesday, May 22 ... I Cor 12:4-13

Sunday, May 26 ... I Cor 12:4-13

Sunday, June 2 ... John 1:43-51

Sunday, June 9 ... John 4:1-26

St. John's Tide 2023

Monday, 24th June... ... Mark 1:1-11,

Sunday, 30th June.... ... Mark 1:1-11,

Sunday, 7th July..... ... John 3:22-36,

Sunday, 14th July... ... Luke 3:7-17,

Sunday, 21st July.... ... Luke 7:18-28