MASS INTENTIONS

Mon 11:00am Requiem Una Feeney
Tues 10:00am Special Needs
Weds 10:00am Liturgy of the Word
Thurs 10:00am Holy Souls
Fri 10:00am Mass for teenagers
Sat 6:00pm Regina Pereira RIP
Sun 10:00am Thanksgiving
12:00noon People of the Parish

Fr Jack

Just stop for a moment and think of how good God has been to you. You may feel not a 100% but a good 90%.

JUST GIVE THANKS.

Today's gospel will have many people arguing about whether they are the wise or foolish people. And what should I do? Sometimes I feel we Catholics can be such begrudgers. What do I need to do to inherit eternal life? What is the least (littlest) I need to do?

Is that a venial sin or a mortal sin? Any good parent will just want to smother their child with love. They may be a little angry but they're still crazy about you their child. Why can't we return such great love to God,

The one great thing about being a good person is that we will go to heaven but in the Catholic church we will enjoy the journey together. Let us enjoy coming to Mass, sing and reach out to each other.

I don't just want to go to heaven, I want to enjoy the journey here and now.

Join us for a festive day out at Rochester Christmas Market

on **Saturday 12 December 2026

The coach leaves St James the Great at **10:00 am**, and tickets are £**20 per person**. To reserve your seat, text or WhatsApp Aga on 07494 937727 and confirm your name as soon as possible. Bring a friend, and please share this with anyone who attended last week's event but isn't in the group.

Remembrance Day is on 11th November

When we remember and honour the service and sacrifice of military personnel, veterans and their families, who have defended our freedoms and protected our way of life across the First and Second World Wars and all subsequent conflicts.

Deceased Clergy of the Dioceses Mass

Thursday 12th November at 12:30
at St George's Cathedral.
All Welcome

You are joyfully invited to
One Year Anniversary
of St James Catholic Women's Organisation
Sunday 15th November
Mass at 12:00 noon
Reception immediately after Mass.
We look forward to your presence as we give thanks to God for His faithfullness

Red Wednesday 18 November 2026

Red Wednesday is an annual initiative led by Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) to raise awareness of Christian persecution worldwide. In 2026, it forms part of the broader Red Week, during which churches, cathedrals, monuments, and public buildings across the world are illuminated **in red.**

A BIG THANK YOU for your harvest gifts

Your donation enables us to provide:
A breakfast & cooked lunch for approx.120 people everyday, 7 days a week.
Many thanks the Manna Society

Confession

It's almost the end of the year and time for confession. Remember to stir your coffee.

