

**Catholic Youth Festival here in Holy Trinity
Friday 21st November**

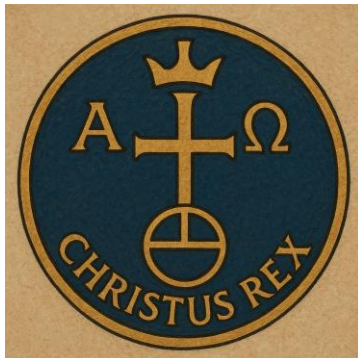
- The event will start at 6.00 pm in the Parish Centre with an introduction to the evening, and a foretaste of the Cine Club by watching an episode of 'The Chosen.'
- This will be followed by a one-hour Adoration, Rosary, Confessions and Benediction in the Church.
- After this time of prayer together, the over 18- year-olds will have a social gathering in the Pub next door. 'The Queen's Head'

Prayer to Christ the King

O Christ my King,
enthroned in glory and present in the Blessed Sacrament,
I come to adore You with all my heart.

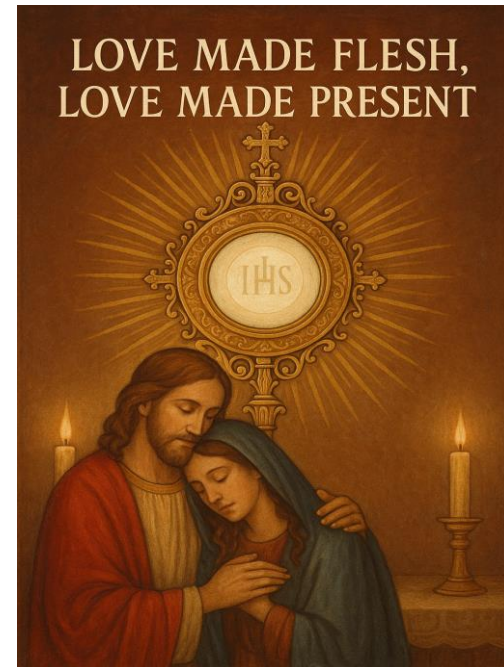
Reign in me through your love and mercy;
conduct my passions so that
every desire may honour your kingdom.

Be Lord of my thoughts, my words, and my actions,
for You are the beginning and end
of my wonderful existence. Amen.



**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
BROOK GREEN**

**THREE DAYS
OF ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**



**Thursday 20th and Friday 21st November
9.30 am – 9.00 pm
Saturday 22nd November
10.00 am – 6.00 pm**

Mass

**Thursday & Friday at 9.00 am
Saturday at 9.30 am & 6.00 pm**

Why Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament?

**Words of St. Francis of Assisi
in his Letter to the Entire Order, 26-28**

Let everyone be struck with fear, let the whole world tremble, and let the heavens exult when Christ, the Son of the living God, is present on the altar in the hands of the priest!

O admirable heights and sublime humility! O humble sublimity! The Lord of the universe, God and the Son of God, so humbles Himself that for our salvation He hides Himself under a little form of bread!

Look, brothers, at the humility of God, and pour out your hearts before Him! Humble yourselves that you may be exalted by Him! Therefore, keep nothing of yourselves for yourselves, that He Who gives Himself totally to you may receive you totally!

What do we need to do to prepare?

- We need to ensure there are people praying in the Church for the whole period of the Three Days.
- Please sign the list in the porch, to show the half hour or more when you will watch and pray in the Church.
- Individuals, parish groups and organisations, and our parish primary schools are invited to pledge to pray for a period in church.
- The prayer of individuals should be silent.
- Groups/organisations/schools may have readings, prayers, songs, directed to Jesus present in the Blessed Sacrament.
- Donations invited towards the cost of candles and flowers for the Three Days of Adoration – please use one of the special envelopes at the back of church, or the Contactless.

What are we praying for?

- For the poor, that we may see Christ in them.
- That we may ever be Pilgrims of Hope as celebrated in this Holy Year of Jubilee 2025
- Peace and Reconciliation in the countries of the Middle East and the Ukraine and for the innocent victims of aggression.
- The recognition of the sanctity of all human life, from conception until its natural end.
- The life and witness of our Parish and Schools.
- Those preparing for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Reception into the Catholic Church.
- Vocations to the Priesthood and to Christian Marriage.
- Our own families and friends, the sick and their carers.
- The Holy Souls in this month of November.

Special Events in Church during the Three Days

Thursday 7.30 – 9.00 pm

'Love made flesh, Love made present'

A Eucharistic meditation on God's presences in the Old Testament and his Sacramental Presence after Christ, with Benediction.

Friday 6pm onwards **Catholic Youth Celebration**

Cinema Episode, Adoration, Confessions, Benediction and Pub Social (for more information see back page)

Saturday 10.15 – 10.45 am **Prayer Time for Little Children**

led by Catechesis of the Good Shepherd.

Saturday 11.00 – 11.30 am **Prayer Time for Children aged 7- 11**

led by our First Communion Programme.

Saturday 22nd November

5.30 pm Solemn Benediction to conclude the Adoration

6.00 pm Sung Mass of Christ the King of the Universe

Main celebrant: Bishop Michael Campbell

Music led by our Family Mass Choir

7.15 pm Bring and Share Supper in the Parish Centre

Sign porch list to say what you will bring. Wine & drinks provided.