



CHRIST THE KING PARISH

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday 23rd November 11am-3pm

We will start collecting items from 5/6th October.

Preparations are now underway, and we need your support to make our only annual parish fundraising event as big a success as in previous years. You can help in many ways: by donating any of the items listed below; giving up some time before the day to help with preparations; or by helping on a stall on the day. Helpers are welcome and very much needed every year, as some of our long-term supporters are taking a step back – so please think about stepping up and helping at the fair this year.

CONTACT: Sharon Purtil on M: 07796 – 441066 or via email: sharon_purtill@yahoo.co.uk OR Leave a message at the Parish Office with Joanne Jacobs.

TREE OF PROMISES – a Parish favourite, this year we will be looking for parishioners, as well as local businesses, to donate gifts and services for this stall which we can sell on the Tree. We are a very talented parish - so if you could offer your time and your skills as one of the promises, please get in touch. For example, perhaps a couple of hours of gardening, some language tuition lessons, some DIY time, dog walking, baby-sitting, baking a special celebration cake, etc.

GRAND DRAW RAFFLE tickets, on sale from the 5/6th October. First prize is £250. A book costs £5.00

STALL DONATIONS: We need the following items for the planned stalls at the Fair. Please make sure that perishable items are in date; and all donations are complete, not broken or damaged. Each year we have to take a large amount of items to the tip – which is additional work for our volunteers.

PLEASE NOTE...We only need these items so please don't include anything we don't have a stall for as we won't be able to use them and we will then have to spend time getting rid of these items.

NEW GIFTS STALL – must be new items, perhaps unwanted gifts	TOYS – donations welcomed please make sure these are in good condition and complete. (No soft toys unless brand new).
CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA - We need boxes and packets of chocolates for this stall. Donation weekend is 9/10th November.	BOTTLE TOMBOLA – all sorts of drinks are welcome from the alcoholic to the non-alcoholic. Donation weekend is 12/13th October
JEWELLERY: new items and good condition items are needed.	BOOKS – donations in good quality condition please. We can take good condition CDs and DVDs. BUT NO Videos or Tapes, so please don't include these in your donations
CHRISTMAS STALL - new items or in very good condition – cards, wrappings, wreaths, decorations, and all things festive.	HANDICRAFTS – we have a wonderful handicraft stall – if you have any handcrafted items you have made, we welcome donations.
CHRISTMAS TREES - We will be taking orders for Christmas Trees again this year before and during the Fair. Watch out for the separate leaflet on this.	CAKES & HOMEMADE GOODS – calling all our bakers and chefs – the cake stall would welcome your cakes, cupcakes, jams and preserves, chutneys, fudge etc. Please hand in donations on the 22 nd November or on the morning of the fair.

