# **2024 Parish Events and Dates**

Actual dates for some events later in the year TBC

#### **Community engagement events**

Shrove Tuesday pancakes	@ HNE	13th February
St. Patrick's Day Soup lunch	@ HNE	15 <sup>th</sup> March
Open air mass	@ St. Paul's School	30 <sup>th</sup> June
Elderly mental health lunch	@ HNE	June
Parish volunteers Garden Party	@ HNE	15 <sup>th</sup> August
Carol singing	@ Local care homes	December
Christmas teas	@ OLOL	December

#### Charitable fund-raising events:

Int. Women's Day event	@ OLOL Your Sanctuary	7 <sup>th</sup> March
1st Holy Communion cake sale	@ HNE/OLOL KCAH	22 <sup>nd</sup> /23 <sup>rd</sup> March
Lenten Walk (OLOL to HNE)	@ HNE/OLOL CAFOD	23 <sup>rd</sup> March
Tapas and tunes	@ OLOL RentStart	15 <sup>th</sup> June
Olympics event	@ St. Paul's School Oasis & St. Paul's School	23 <sup>rd</sup> June
Race Night	@ HNE Parkinson's UK	29 <sup>th</sup> June
Wine-tasting	@ HNE CAFOD	September
Quiz night	@ OLOL Elmbridge CAN	September
Quiz night	@ HNE SOJ, Bethlehem	30 <sup>th</sup> November
Craft fair	@ OLOL Kingston Young Carers	November
Advent events	@ HNE/OLOL KCAH	December



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# **Events Update from the Community & Charities Team**

## **OUR PURPOSE**

The Community & Charities Team has an engagement and fund-raising mission. We organise and support activities and events, both to improve Parish and community engagement and to raise funds for our selected causes and charities. We are always pleased to welcome potential new Team members who share our passion for our mission.

The Charities Team has members from across the Parish who meet once every two months. In our meetings we plan our Parish and community engagement activities, select the causes and charities we wish to support, and agree the means by which we will raise the necessary funds.

# FUND RAISING EVENTS

We have many Parish engagement and charitable fund-raising events scheduled that we'd love to have you support and attend. Details of the events and how to sign up can be found on the website, and on our allocated Outreach noticeboards (in the Narthex at OLOL and in the Parish Rooms entrance at Holy Name) and will also be advertised in the weekly newsletter – they include quiz nights, race nights, craft fairs, etc. There is also a list on the back page of this leaflet.

#### Please put these events dates in your diaries and do try to come along and support them.

## **100 CLUB**

The 100 Club is a simple lottery draw that takes place in the Parish at the end of each month. You can become a member by buying one or more numbers at  $\pounds 24$  each per annum (equivalent to  $\pounds 2$  per month per number). The 100 Club year runs from 1st January to 31st December. New members can join at any time, and just pay pro rata. Payment must be received by the 20th of the month. Membership then continues on an annual basis until you notify otherwise in writing of your intention not to renewyour membership.

You can have as many numbers as you like and you are also encouraged to get family and friends to join - the more members we have, the bigger the prize fund and the more funds for our charitable causes. 50% of the membership fees go towards the '100' Club prize fund, and 50% goes to charitable causes supported by the Parish Community & Charities Group.

# Please go to our website <u>www.holyfamilyelmbridge.church</u> and download a 100 Club Application Form.

# 2023 EVENTS & CHARITY FUNDS RAISED

## Community engagement events:

Strawberry teas	@ OLOL	June
Outdoor mass	@ St. Paul's School	July
Carol-singing	@ Local care homes	December
Christmas teas	@ OLOL	December

## Charitable fund-raising events

1 <sup>st</sup> Holy Communion cake sales	@ HNE/OLOL	Kingston Young Carers £457 raised
Tapas and tunes	@ OLOL	RentStart £956 raised
Confirmation cake sales	@ OLOL	Sarcoma UK £320 raised
Quiz night	@ OLOL	MND Assoc/Sarcoma UK <b>£965 raised</b>
Craft fair	@ OLOL	ElmbridgeCAN <b>£2,013 raised</b>
Quiz night	@ HNE	School of Joy, Bethlehem £2,563 raised
Winter concert	@ OLOL	Princess Alice Hospice £540 raised
Soup lunch and knitting sale	@ HNE	CAFOD £537 raised
Advent events (hampers/vouchers)	@ HNE/OLOL	KCAH <b>£977 raised</b>

#### *SOJ* – School of Joy, Bethlehem *KCAH* – Kingston Churches Action on Homelessness