

Father Jeff's Induction

On 17th November 2005, St Hugh's Day, a big crowd of parishioners celebrated not only our patronal feast day but also the induction of Father Jeff Scott. The ceremonial induction was performed by Bishop Kieran,

supported by the Vicar General, Monsignor John Hull, some local priests and several of our former parish priests - Frs Terry McLean-Wilson, Brendan McCarthy, Charles Jeffries and Laurence Quin-Morris. The congregation joined in with a promise of support and collaboration and a warm round of applause.



Present also was the Mayor of Woking, Cllr. Ian Johnson and clergy from other Christian faiths locally who form CTAK (Churches Together Around Knaphill). Rev. Nick Oborski, representing CTAK, said he looked forward to them all working closely together, saying, "we are all the Body of Christ".



Bishop Kieran, in his sermon, said that with Father Jeff's induction, the parish celebrates a new phase, a renewal and a deepening of mission to go out to the world in recognition that God's chosen people includes everyone and to show that "there is a way to live that is better" .

The Induction Mass was followed by a party in the church hall, freshly decorated during October half-term week by a group of parishioners of all ages, in readiness for the Bishop's visit and Father Jeff's induction celebration.



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