

Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish Newsletter

Third Sunday of Easter
1st May 2022



WE ENCOUNTER JESUS - WE GROW TOGETHER IN HIS LOVE

Making disciples who encounter the saving love of Jesus Christ

Growing together by being known, loved and supported.

Empowered by the Holy Spirit to worship, witness, and serve



May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honouring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church. *“She is that woman who rejoiced in the presence of God, who treasured everything in her heart, and who let herself be pierced by the sword. Mary is the saint among the saints, blessed above all others. She teaches us the way of holiness and she walks ever at our side.”* —Pope Francis, *Gaudete et Exsultate*, no. 176

Historians aren't exactly sure why May was chosen to honour Mary, but many believe that May being the month when spring is in full bloom has a lot to do with it. May is the height of spring—gardens everywhere are alive with blooming flowers and trees are filling their branches with leaves. This new beginning and new birth in nature reminds us of the life Mary gave to Jesus. Without Mary giving birth to Jesus, all the events that followed: Jesus' life, death, and resurrection wouldn't have happened.

It's a Catholic tradition to honor Mary during the month of May by crowning her statue with flowers. The reason why we crown Mary is best summed up by Pope Paul VI who wrote in 1965 that May is an occasion for a “moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world pay to the Queen of Heaven.” The crown symbol is attributed to Mary because she is the Mother of the Son of God, who is our Heavenly King.

O Mary, my dear Mother, how much I love thee! And yet in reality how little! Thou dost teach me what I ought to know, for thou teachest me what Jesus is to me and what I ought to be for Jesus. Dearly beloved Mother, how close to God thou art, and how utterly filled with Him! In the measure that we know God, we remind ourselves of thee. Mother of God, obtain for me the grace of loving my Jesus; obtain for me the grace of loving thee!

Mass Readings Third Sunday Easter

Acts 5:27-32,40-41

We are all witness to all this; we and the Holy Spirit

Psalms 29(30)

I WILL PRAISE YOU LORD YOU HAVE RESCUED ME.

Apocalypse 5:11-14

I was dead and now I am to live for ever and ever

John 21:1-19

Jesus took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish

Parish Timetable

Holy Mass is broadcast live on the [Camberley & Bagshot Catholic Parish Facebook Page](#)

Saturday 30th April	9.00am 10.00am	Adoration, Rosary & Confessions St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
Third Sunday of Easter	5.00pm 5.30pm	Confessions SS Peter & John Church Vigil Mass SsPeter & John Church
Sunday 1st May Third Sunday of Easter	9.15am 11.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Sandra Winton Clark RIP</i> Sunday Mass Christ the King Church
Monday 2nd May <i>St Athanasius Bishop, Doctor</i>	9.15am 9.30am 6.00pm	Morning Prayer Christ the King Church Holy Mass Christ the King Church <i>Anna Gawlik Intentions</i> Live streamed Rosary
Tuesday 3rd May <i>Ss Philip & James Apostles</i>	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Peter Cassidy RIP</i>
Wed 4th May	10-12 noon	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament St Tarcisius Church
Thursday 5th May Third week of Easter	12 noon	Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church
Friday 6th May Third week of Easter	9.15am 9.30am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer Ss Peter & John Church Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church Youth Alpha on zoom
Saturday 7th May First Saturday	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am	Adoration, Rosary & Confessions St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Cecil D'Ancona RIP</i> <i>First Saturday meditations</i>
4th "Good Shepherd" Sunday of Easter	5.00pm 5.30pm	Confessions SS Peter & John Church Vigil Mass SsPeter & John Church <i>Gonzola DeSouza RIP</i>
Sunday 8th May 4th "Good Shepherd" Sunday of Easter	9.15am 11.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Neil MacDonald Intentions</i> Sunday Mass Christ the King Church <i>Retring collection for the Education of Future Priests</i>

'My ChurchSuite' is a database system by which parishioners are able to manage their own personal details and sign up for events. Please register at <https://cbparish.co.uk/cs-parishdatabase>



Youth Alpha on Zoom first Friday of the months at 7.30pm (young people in school years 7&8) The next meetings are 6th May, 3rd June and 1st July.

Contact Fr Paul or Sandie for the Zoom link

Trinity Troopers Youth Club – (Children in school years 4-7)

Friday 13th May 7.30pm – 8.45pm at St Tarcisius Hall Thursday 2nd June 7.00pm Bowling night

Friday 8th July 7.30pm – 8.45pm at St Tarcisius Hall contact Fr Paul paul.turner@abdiocese.org.uk

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 29 July - 4 August 2022

The pilgrimage requires stillle requires helpers for the pilgrims who will require assistance. Subsidies are available for helpers to go towards them meeting the costs of the pilgrimage. The Pilgrimage Office is happy to answer any questions anyone has prior to applying 01403 740110, office@ablourdes.org
Helpers Apply now lourdes.abdiocese.org.uk

The **Requiem Mass for Kitty Smith RIP** will be on Thursday 19th May at Christ the King Church

Pact, the Prison Advice and Care Trust, is bringing the **JustPeople workshop** to Woking. Free to attend, the workshop offers an opportunity for prayer and reflection upon Scripture, Church Teaching and Catholic Social Teaching through the lens of people affected by imprisonment. Saturday 7th May, 10am – 4pm St. Dunstan’s Catholic Church, Woking, GU22 7DT To find out more about this event or Pact’s online workshops, call Marie on 07581 194907 or email arie.norbury@prisonadvice.org.uk



Alpha is those who are seeking or growing in faith. We also invite existing members of the parish to participate so as to be better able to invite future “Guests”. It will run on zoom **from Tuesday 10th May** til 3rd July 8pm – 9.30pm including a “face to face” Saturday event of the 2nd July.

To sign up for Alpha contact the Parish office or go to <https://www.cbparish.co.uk/parish-calendar>



The Diocesan course Invited II ‘Growing in Faith’

This second episode of Invited II begins to help us understand how we might be transformed by the gifts that God has given us, and how this can help us to build the kingdom of God. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gU4DsNIpgH0&t=331s>

The Week three film “Reveal” will be available online from Monday 2nd May

Financial Giving to the Parish

- Monthly Standing Orders can be set up using online banking or by writing to your bank
Bank: HSBC Account name: RCD A&B Camberley and Bagshot Parish
Account number: 31077368 Sort code: 40 05 20
- Cheques, made payable to ‘**The Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish**’, please write “Parish Offering” on the back of the cheque and send to the Parish Office.
- If you are a taxpayer you can contribute to the Parish via the **Gift Aid scheme**. If you would like find out more about the Gift Aid Scheme, or you need numbered envelopes, please phone Roger Woodham on 01276 29037.

Collections

7th/8th May – The education of future priests

14th/15th – The Missionary Endeavour of the Diocese

Baptisms

Ivy Kerr

Sunday 22nd May 1.30pm at St Tarcisius Church

Kiara Polawska

Sunday 12th June 2.30pm at Christ the King

The Passage, a Catholic charity working in Westminster with homeless people is raising funds through the **Big Give** a matched giving scheme until 12.00 noon on **Monday 9 May**. Every £1 donated online before 12.00 noon on Monday 9 May makes £2 and £2.25 if you are a taxpayer through Gift Aid. Please visit: <https://bit.ly/BigGiveAprilMay22> to support the campaign. The campaign ‘It takes more than a house to make a home’ focuses on the services we provide to people who have been homeless in their journey to being happily settled in a new home. The Passage would be very grateful for your support. For questions about the campaign or assistance making a donation please ring 020 7592 1856.’ <https://passage.org.uk/>



The next **Baptism preparation for parents** is on Sundays 29th May & 5th June, and Saturdays 11th June & 18th June 10.45am at St Peter and John Church Hall. Parents who wish to have their child(ren) baptised should contact the parish office to enrol on the course.

New parishioners/worshippers We would particularly love to hear about the gifts, talents and interests of those who have moved into the parish or who started worshipping with us recently. We will be hosting another **New Parishioners Tea party** on Sunday 15th May 3.00pm at Ss Peter & John Church Hall. To come along contact the parish office.



St John's Beaumont is an Independent Roman Catholic, Jesuit boarding and day preparatory school for boys aged 3-13, located near Windsor. They are hosting an **Open Morning** on Friday 6th May sjb.admissions@sjb.email. 01784 494 053 <https://www.sjbwindsor.uk>

GIFTS SURVEY We would love to hear the **gifts, skills and talents** you wish to offer and if you have a particular **interest** and **passion** for our church e.g. prayer and worship, building community, sharing faith, social care, flower arranging, DIY, Social Media etc.– just follow this link [Parish Gifts Survey · ChurchSuite Forms](#)

Future Events

Tuesday 10th May 8pm New Alpha course on zoom

Saturdays 14th/21st & 28th May from 11.00am – Fr Paul is hearing children's First Confessions SPJ

Monday 16th May Mission Team meeting 7.30pm at 11 Bell Place

Saturday 21st May Divine Renovation Netwrk Connect Day st Peters Church Winchester

Monday 23rd May 7.30pm May Finance Team meeting at 11 Bell Place

Wednesday 25th May 7.30pm "Pray for Camberley" Launch Event St Michaels Church

Thursday 26th May The Ascension of the Lord (Holy Day of Obligation)

Sunday 5th June Pentecost

Friday 10th June 7pm Confirmation Mass at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church

Saturday 11th/Sunday 12th June First Holy Communion Masses

Sunday 26th June Parish Share Lunch 1.00pm at Ss Peter & John Church

Saturday 9th July 9.30am to 1.00pm Parish Leadership Summit



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