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CORPUS CHRISTI BOSCOMBE NEWSLETTER



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MASS TIMES: Daily Mass: Mon - Sat at 10am **SUNDAY MASSES:** Sat 6.00pm vigil, Sunday 9.30am, 11.00am, 5.00pm

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays at 10.30 - 11.30am, 3.30 - 4.00pm and 5.30 - 5.50pm

We are part of Pastoral Area 21 (Bournemouth) in the Diocese of Portsmouth - www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/e-news/

OTHER PARISHES	PARISH PRIEST/CLERGY	TEL (01202)	SUNDAY MASS TIMES
ANNUNCIATION, Charminster ST EDMUND CAMPION, Castlepoint	Fr Bernardine Nsom Deacon Barry Jennings	513369	11.00am, 6.30pm, 9.00am
OUR LADY IMMACULATE, Westbourne	Fr. Andrew Moore Fr Bernardine Nsom	764027	9.00am, 11.00am
SACRED HEART, Bournemouth Congregation of the Oratory of St Philip Neri	Fr Peter Edwards Deacon Roger Carr-Jones	551013 428451	5.00pm vigil, 8.00am, 10.30am, 4.00pm

Youth Council: bournemouthcatholicyouth@hotmail.com

Churches Together in Boscombe: <http://www.ctib.community/>

Royal Bournemouth Hospital/Christchurch Hospital chaplain: Non-urgent matters, ring Chaplaincy Office directly on 01202 704221. Urgent/out-of-hours, Catholic duty Chaplain contacted via Switchboard on 01202 303626. *Mass 6pm Wed*

Poole Hospital chaplain: Deacon McConville 01202 442167 (leave message) or 01202 665511 (Page RC chaplain) *Mass 6.30pm Thurs*

LITURGICAL CALENDAR - All weekday masses Feria except; Tues 31: St Alphonsus Rodriguez SJ Wed 1: All Saints Thurs 2: Commemoration of all the faithful departed Sat 4: St Charles Borromeo.

NOTE: DIOCESAN COUNT - FINAL WEEK Could all collectors at each Mass count each congregation and please fill in the relevant column on the sheet in the SACRISTY. Thank you.

30th Sunday of Year A - 29th October 2017

THE HUMAN SIDE OF HOLINESS A truly Christian life is rooted in the earth and yet reaches up to the mystery of God through living in love. Another possible development might stem from Paul's noting of the Thessalonians' reputation spreading through the surrounding area. People were drawn to the Christian faith by the way these people were leading their lives. The word of the good news diffused itself quietly through people admiring the way the Christians lived. People can be quick to condemn those who have offbeat values or live a different lifestyle. We can fail to appreciate the faltering efforts others make to cope with the struggles of frail human nature. If we could plumb the depths of meaning in our own personal life histories we might be able to forge more effective link with others. The gift of our humanity, savoured and appreciated, can become mirror and window to the mystery of God for ourselves. It can be more a more effective means of evangelisation than all the hype of religious words that often only confirm the "converted" in their convictions.
www.associationofcatholicpriests.ie/2017/10/29-october-30th-sunday-in-ot/

ALL SAINTS HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION on Wednesday 1st November. Masses will be on Tuesday 31st Oct 7pm (vigil) and 10am and 7pm on Wednesday.

REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES IN NOVEMBER There is a remembrance book in front of the steps of the Altar for you to enter names of loved ones. They will be remembered daily at Mass during the month.

BAMENDA SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND (5th Nov). Every year we have a special collection to support projects driven by our friends in our twinned Diocese of Bamenda, Cameroon. Please ensure you take a copy of the Bamenda Newsletter to see the mutual benefits of our twinned relationship and how much your help is needed.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY The Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to his official charity for over-seas mission, **Missio**. This year, your support will help brave missionaries in pro-claiming the Gospel of peace in South Sudan and around the world. Please join Catholics all over the world in prayer, celebration and care for the mission of the Church. To find out more visit their website missio.org.uk **Envelopes for your donations can be found at the back of church.**

FATHER PETER HACKETT says thank you all for your kind cards, gifts and wishes on his recent 93rd Birthday.

COMPUTER FAILURE Apologises if you sent an email to the Parish Office or Fr Adrian or Fr David from 21st to 26th October, and have not had a reply. We were unable to receive or send any emails. Unfortunately our main server (which is very old and needs replacing) had a software failure and stopped working. It is currently now up and running but we will be looking for a new up-to-date way of moving forward!

PARISH OFFICE will be closed Friday 3rd to Friday 10th Nov (inc). It will reopen on Monday 13th November. There will be a double newsletter for 5th & 12th November.

Did you remember to turn your clock back this morning??!!



READERS NEEDED FOR 09.30 MASS. Whether you're an established reader or new to the idea, please consider joining the rota for this important ministry, guidance is available and encouragement in abundance. With Advent fast approaching, there will be plenty of opportunities to read. Please contact Clarissa Andrews on: goagirl69@googlemail.com

REPOSITORY Christmas items now in. Cards, 2018 Calendars, Diaries. Repository is open Saturdays 10:30-11:30am; and Sundays 9-11am. Christmas items for sale at all masses on: 11th/12th & 18th/19th Nov. **Fiona Foy.**

JOURNEY IN FAITH – RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS Next session Monday 30th October 7.30pm - 9.00pm in the Memorial Room.

ACI FAMILY (Links of Love) Monthly Meeting Monday 30th October. At the Convent 6 Parkwood Rd. Meeting starts at 11am. Exposition from 10.45am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Corpus Christi Church Friday 3rd November 2 - 5 pm. A time to sit and rest in quiet contemplation of the Eucharist...a time to allow our hearts to be opened... a time to give thanks. We pray especially for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon our world.



ST PETER'S COMMUNITY CHOIR, accompanied by Poole Borough Brass Band, in **A Night to Remember** on Saturday 18th November at 7.00pm in the De La Salle Theatre, Southbourne. The Choir is associated with St Peter's RC school. A evening of song, music and poems, with singing from children of St Peter's and Twynham Primary schools. Tickets £5. For tickets please call Muriel on 07948511313 **See poster for details.**

REFUGEE RESPONSE DAY Friday, 10 November 1-4pm at St Edward the Confessor RC Church 191 Winchester Road Chandler's Ford SO53 2DU Please join us for the afternoon to find out more about and maybe become involved in the local response to refugees. Information from Jesuit Refugee Service and Rural Refugee Network & Diocesan Refugee Response Working Group and other local initiatives. If you would like to attend, please email maidenhead@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk for catering purposes. To find out more about the Diocesan Refugee Response Working Group, please see www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/rwag

FRUITFUL DISCIPLESHIP IN OUR DIOCESE Saturday 18th November, at Winchester Parish Centre. 9.30am-5pm. Bishop Philip will be host-ing the day and giving a talk at the beginning and the end. There will also be talks by Katherine Coo-lidge (global head of Called and Gifted) on Fruitful Discipleship and developing a personal relation-ship with the Lord. We will have a number of testi-monies from parishes around the diocese and will hear from a number of active groups and teams who are doing wonderful work in serving others.

COME AND CELEBRATE YOUTH SUNDAY WITH BISHOP PHILIP "I would like to invite young adults from around Portsmouth Diocese to join me at St John's Cathedral on **Sunday 26th November:** Feast of Christ the King & National Youth Sunday. I will be celebrating the 6pm Mass, after which there will be a social with food, and talks from inspiring guest speakers in the Cathedral Discovery Centre. Isaac Withers from the Bishop's Conference of England and Wales; Former President of Birmingham University Cathsoc will speak on "Being a Catholic Student" and The Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS) will speak on "Discipleship on Campus" A fantastic opportunity for young adults to network, connect to events locally & further afield, and communicate the things they want to see happening in the Diocese." **Register by emailing youth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk Cost is £7.00 and includes food and drink. Open to 16+ See poster.**

GABY'S 90TH BIRTHDAY Gaby would like to invite all her friends to an informal tea in the Parish Centre Coffee Room on 5th November from 3.30pm. Cake cut at 4pm, Please come for tea and chat, No presents please, just your presence!

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS Completion of 'CONFIRMATION OF RELIGIOUS PRACTICE' or SIF Forms

Our procedure for members of CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH: To have a Religious Practice form signed by a priest, please put the **completed form (Please tick the appropriate attendance box and contact details but do not fill in the comments box or sign the form)** into an envelope with a **SEPARATE COVERING LETTER** that must include your contact details (inc tel number) and your regularity to WEEKEND Mass, how long you have worshipped at Corpus Christi, & any other involvement in the church. **Please be as honest and open as possible.** Then drop it through the door of the Parish Office, No:18 St James Square.

Out of courtesy, please do not ask any Priest directly to sign a form.

All St Peter's School Forms - the signed form will be **SENT DIRECTLY** to St Peter's, **not returned to parents.**
Corpus Christi & Primary School Forms (except St Peter's) - parents need to pick up from the Parish Office.

SVP St Vincent de Paul Society England and Wales Turning Concern into Action If you, or anyone you know, would like a visit from the SVP, please call: David (01202 248343) or Peter (01202 428899). More information about SVP at: www.svp.org.uk/

MONTHLY SUMMARY: AUGUST <i>Thank you!</i>	S/O & D/D	GA ENVS	ENVS	LOOSE PLATE	TOTAL
Society of Jesus Reg. Charity No. 230165 Diocese of Portsmouth Reg. Charity No. 246871	£ 2,234.00	£ 2,660.06	£347.89	£2,145.73	£7,387.68

STANDING ORDERS (Can be Gift Aided) **Setting up a standing order.** You will need the parish bank details, which are: **Sort code 30-93-04. Parish Account number: 01786041.** ("It's so easy to do!!")

MONEY BACK FROM THE GOVERNMENT!! If you are a UK taxpayer please consider **Gift Aiding** your donation, so parish can reclaim 25p for every £1 donated eg: your gift of £10 becomes £12.50! To join the Gift Aid scheme, please give contact details to Finance Administrator in Parish Office. Or use the **yellow GA envelopes** (back of church). If you want a box of annual envelopes please contact Finance Administrator .

