

THE HOLY GHOST PARISH

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Sunday 19th June 2022

CORPUS CHRISTI

(The Body and Blood of Christ)

Year C, Psalter Week IV

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before all weekday Masses

Sun 19th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: June Bowers RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
	2.00 pm	SB	Celebratory Mass for Baptised Children
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: Mgr Moses Debono RIP
Mon 20th	12 noon	SB	Mass: Int. Catherine Denning
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Anthony Mendonca RIP
Tues 21st			St Aloysius Gonzaga , Religious, <i>memorial</i>
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Donald Rozario RIP
Wed 22nd			Ss JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE , Martyrs, <i>feast</i>
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Peggy & Reg Osborne RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Departed Souls
Thur 23rd			THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST , <i>solemnity</i>
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Mathew Thomas RIP
Fri 24th			THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS , <i>solemnity</i>
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Int. Maureen Reid
	3.30 pm		Funeral Service Pawel Grzegorz RIP (Crematorium)
Sat 25th			The Immaculate Heart of Mary , <i>memorial</i>
	9.30 am	SB	No Mass

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year C, Psalter Week I

Sun 26th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Jose Bonilla & Giovanni Petrucceli RIP
	12 noon	HG	Baptisms
	2.00 pm	SB	Baptisms
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: Int. Noel Mooney

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Today we are celebrating and sharing in a meal more wonderful even than the one described in today's Gospel. But as we do so, we are also experiencing a challenge. To receive the Body that was given for us and the Blood that was shed for us is to be called to follow the example of Jesus' total self-giving. To be fed by Sacred food is to be strengthened to live holy lives, devoted to God and our brothers and sisters. To be nourished by one who laid down His life for us is to prepare ourselves to make sacrifices. To be invited as a guest to the table of the Eucharist is to be invited to share with others. And so, as has often been said, the Mass matters. It is at the centre of our Christian life and witness.

Taken from The Living Word, Redemptorist Publications

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to all Parishioners who join us, whether in our Church or via the live-stream. If you are new to the area, please register as a member of our Parish using the form on our website.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our 43 Candidates who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday 18th June at our Cathedral in Portsmouth. Please keep all our Candidates, their Sponsors and families in your prayers. Thank you to all the Catechists who have prepared the young people, and all involved in organising the programme.



CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS' GROUP

Just a reminder that Catholic grandparents from across the Pastoral Area, are invited after Mass on Wednesday 22nd June to watch a 25 minute inspirational video on the vocation of grandparents. Over tea/coffee and biscuits, we can share ideas about the joys and the challenges of passing on the faith to our grandchildren in the secular climate.

AFTERNOON TEA



The next 'Afternoon Tea' will take place on Sunday 26th June at 3.00 pm in St Bede's Church Hall. *We would like to especially invite all new Parishioners who joined the Parish during the pandemic to this tea.* Do come along if you can.

BISHOP AND DIOCESE NEWS

To keep up to date with the news of the Diocese and the Bishop please follow us on:
Facebook: [@PortsmouthRC](#) LinkedIn: [Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth](#) Twitter: [@PortsmouthRC](#) The Diocese website: <https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/> If you have news that you would like to share with the Diocese, please email: communications@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

PART-TIME ROLE

The Society of Friends of Westminster Cathedral is seeking a part-time coordinator to assume responsibility for the day-to-day running of the charity. If you have strong interpersonal and organisational skills, coupled with the ability to work on your own, this role may be of interest. Full details at [The Friends seek a Co-ordinator - Westminster Cathedral](#)

FUNERAL

Funeral Service at the Crematorium on Friday 24th June at 3.30 pm for Pawel Grzegorz RIP. We remember his family and friends at this sad time. May he Rest in Peace.

HOLY DUSTERS

The next cleaning session will be on Thursday 30th June after the 9.30 am Mass (there will be no Rosary that morning). This is in preparation for the Significant Wedding Anniversaries Mass.

BACCA

BACCA meeting after 11.00 am Mass on Sunday 26th June.

SCAM: We have just been made aware of Parishioners in our Diocese being contacted by text, by someone pretending to be their Parish Priest. (See attached image). This person asked the Parishioners to buy vouchers or Goods needed urgently by the Parish Priest. Parishioners are reminded to:

Report the text Phone number to [Action Fraud](#) and send the text number to: report@phishing.gov.uk

Parishioners are advised to ignore any messages coming from a non-saved contact

POPE FRANCIS JUNE PRAYER INTENTION

During June, Pope Francis asks us to pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives



BREAKTHROUGH WORKSHOP

On Saturday 3rd September there will be a Breakthrough Workshop at St. Bede's Church. This is a 4-hour communication workshop which would be beneficial to ALL married couples, although spouses may attend on their own. This could be a real treat for couples after the summer break or even as an anniversary gift. Marriages need TIME & SPACE in our pressured world. Start time: 10.30am and Finish time: 3:30pm with a one-hour lunch break. Clergy and Religious, are also invited. All who support married couples may attend. Please RSVP by Saturday 30th 2022, via email, to marriagefamilylife@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk or contact us for further information.

ALTON DAY OF RENEWAL

Alastair Emblem invites you to join the next ADoRE Online spiritual mini-retreat morning which will take place on Saturday 25th June, 10.00-13.00, with Mass, Adoration, Reflection, Praise, Talk, Prayer and Discussion. This month's theme is: **"Give us this day our daily bread"** – we trust God for our needs. Please register for the Zoom meeting in advance by clicking the link: [Meeting Registration - Zoom](#)

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend there is a second collection in support of the Day for Life. This Collection assists the work of the Anscombe Bioethics Centre and other life-related activities supported by the Church. The Catholic Bishops this year invite people to think again about the value and worth of older persons in families and in society, and to make practical choices to build bridges between the generations, devoting quality time, energy and creativity to caring for the older persons in our communities. You can contribute to this collection online at: <https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/campaign/day-for-life-2022>

PARISH COLLECTION

Collection for week ending 12th June amounted to £2,427.14. Thank you for your generosity to the Parish.

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH

The easiest way to make a donation to the Parish is via Standing Order, Bank Transfer or Online at: [Donate to Basingstoke St Bede's Church | Give as you Live Donate](#)