

THE HOLY GHOST PARISH

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Sunday 26th June 2022

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year C, Psalter Week I

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before all weekday Masses

Sun 26th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Jose Bonilla & Giovanni Petrucci RIP
	12 noon	HG	Baptisms
Mon 27th	2.00 pm	SB	Baptisms
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: Int. Noel Mooney
	12 noon	SB	Mass: In thanksgiving Mr. Mrs. Petr
Tues 28th	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. Paddy Byrne & Family
	St Irenaeus , Bishop, Martyr, <i>memorial</i>		
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Sighle Mary Twomey RIP
Wed 29th	Ss PETER & PAUL , Apostles, <i>solemnity</i>		
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Dec. Mbrs O'Connor Family
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: KT Tomas RIP, Lilly Kutty RIP
Thur 30th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Int. Jerome Munro-Lafon
Fri 1st	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Salvador Baptista RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. Ajith Govathoti & Family
Sat 2nd	11.00 am	SB	Significant Wedding Anniversaries Mass

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year C, Psalter Week II

Sun 3rd July	9.00 am	SB	Mass: Frank Aguis RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Terry, Breda Reilly RIP
	2.30 pm	SB	Syro Malabar Mass
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: People of the Parish

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Jesus declared that He had nowhere to call His home. Having been ejected from Nazareth, He made Capernaum His base and occasionally visited His friends Martha, Mary and Lazarus in Bethany. Apart from His times of solitary prayer, Jesus made Himself available to others, known and unknown, at every hour of the day and night. Jesus wanted people to see and know Him. He didn't want His disciples to prevent access and He didn't gravitate towards people according to their bank balance and high status in society. Was Jesus, the source of love, unloving when He said that the dead should be left to bury the dead? He appeared to stop someone from saying goodbye to his family before following Him. He promised His followers no fixed abode, hard work, tiredness, inconvenience and criticism. If that's love, it's tough. Jesus' words in today's Gospel do not make for easy reading. They are hard-hitting. He was blunt and uncompromising in saying that to follow Him requires wholehearted commitment and determination to give until it hurts. Today's Gospel is about putting others before self. That's what it means to lay down one's life on behalf of others.

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.

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.



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.

FLAME 2023

The largest youth gathering of Catholics, Flame is back, taking place at the OVO Arena, Wembley on Saturday 4th March 2023, with the theme 'Rise Up!'. All young people from parish, school or university are WELCOME! The only stipulation is that you must be in at least year 9, so around 14. There will be loud music, bright lights, and moments of stillness. Please contact the Parish Office to register your interest via email: office@stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk

KNEELER GROUP

The next meeting will be on Wednesday 29th June at St Bede's Hall from 7pm until 9pm.

SEN LEARNING SUPPORT ASSISTANT REQUIRED

St. Bede's School is seeking to appoint a full-time SEN Learning Support Assistant to support pupils with SEN in EYFS and KS1. Candidates who have experience of, or an interest in, working with children with autism would be particularly welcome to apply. More details are available on request. The successful candidate will:

- *Have previous experience of working with children
- *Be able to work as part of a team with a positive, 'can do' attitude
- *Have excellent communication skills, relating well to children, colleagues and parents
- *Have a calm, positive and kind approach
- *Be able to work independently and with initiative
- *Be resilient, flexible, organised and resourceful
- *Be supportive of the Catholic ethos of the school
- *Have a clear understanding of confidentiality and safeguarding procedures
- *Be comfortable in supporting young children with personal care and hygiene

Please visit our website or email Mrs. Colleen Mitchell at the school to obtain an application form or to arrange a visit: c.mitchell@st-bedes.hants.sch.uk. All applications must be submitted on forms from the Catholic Education Service that are available on request from the school. Annual salary £19,265 - £20,290 pro rata, Actual salary £12,561 - £13,229

Ss PETER AND PAUL

On Wednesday 29th June we celebrate the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul. St Augustine of Hippo said of Saints Peter and Paul: *"Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first and Paul followed. And so we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their labours, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."* Saints Peter and Paul pray for us.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (Journey in Faith)

The current Parish RCIA programme has now finished. A new programme will begin again in the autumn. Details will be published in the newsletter nearer the time.

RELICS OF ST. BERNADETTE TO VISIT DIOCESE

In this weeks e-News Bishop Philip writes 'The relics of St. Bernadette are coming to visit the Diocese! You may well have seen reports in the Catholic press that the relics of St Bernadette are to tour Britain from 3rd to 30th September. The dates and venues of the tour have now been confirmed and I'm delighted the relics of St Bernadette will be with us here in Portsmouth, in the Cathedral, on 8th September and on the morning of 9th September 2022. More details will be available in the coming weeks but for now I invite you to save the date.'

HOLY GHOST CHURCH HALL

The hall at Holy Ghost Church is now available for use. If you would like to book the hall for a meeting or an event please contact the Parish Office.

FUNERAL

Funeral Service on Friday 15th July at 2 pm at the Crematorium for Charles Gook RIP. We remember his family and friends at this sad time. May he Rest in Peace.



SECOND COLLECTION FOR PETER'S PENCE

This Second Collection for Peter's Pence (in anticipation of the Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul), will be taken this weekend. This Collection is offered by the Faithful across the world to the Holy Father, as a sign of their sharing in the concern of the Successor of Peter for the many different needs of the Universal Church, and for the relief of those in need. The Faithful's offerings to the Holy Father are destined to Church needs, humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See. For further information click the link: [Peter's Pence \(obolodisanpietro.va\)](https://www.obolodisanpietro.va) To donate click: [Peter's Pence Second Collection 2022 | Give as you Live Donate](#)

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

Next weekend there is a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea (Stella Maris).

PARISH COLLECTION

Collection for week ending 19th June amounted to £2,517.89. Thank you for your generosity to the Parish.