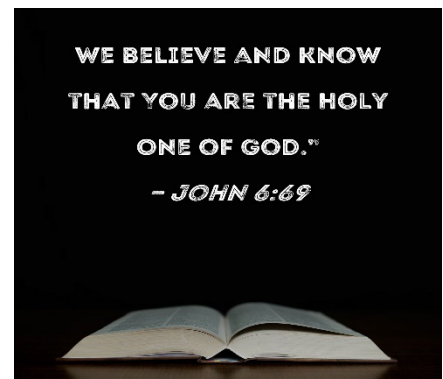


**Camberley and Bagshot Catholic  
Parish Newsletter**  
**21st Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**Year B**  
**25th August 2024**



**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



For our Gospel today we hear the conclusion of the “**Bread of Life discourse**” in the **sixth chapter of John’s Gospel**. In the preceding verses, which we have heard proclaimed in our liturgy over the past few weeks, we have heard Jesus explain that he is the Bread of Life, given so that those who believe may have eternal life.

Today’s Gospel first records the response of those in the crowd who are described as Jesus’ disciples. Just as the larger crowd had struggled with Jesus’ teaching, these disciples also cannot accept Jesus’ words. Jesus is said to know about their murmuring. He responds by acknowledging their unbelief and by reiterating that only those chosen by the Father will follow Jesus to the end. John’s Gospel reports that many of those who had been Jesus’ disciples ceased to follow him at this point. The number of people following Jesus dwindled from a crowd of more than 5,000 to only 12 people. And it is to these Twelve that Jesus now turns his attention. Simon Peter’s response to Jesus’ question as to whether those closest to him will also leave, reminds us of the reports of Peter’s confession of faith in the Synoptic Gospels. Peter announces, on behalf of all the Twelve, that they have come to believe all that Jesus has taught about himself: Jesus is the one from God in whom they have found the path to eternal life.

This conclusion of the Bread of Life discourse focuses on personal faith in the life of Christian discipleship. Each person must make his or her own judgment about who Jesus is and in doing so determine the way of life that he or she will follow. God’s grace invites us to be Jesus’ disciples, but each person must respond to the grace of God and confess as his or her own the belief that Jesus is the one from God. This faith then commits us to the path of life, leading us to eternal life.

**The Readings of Mass; 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B**

<b>Joshua 24:1-2,15-18</b>	We will serve the Lord, for he is our God
<b>Psalm 33(34)</b>	TASTE AND SEE THAT THE LORD IS GOOD
<b>Ephesians 5:21-32</b>	Chris loves the church because it is his body
<b>John 6:60-69</b>	Who shall we go to? You are the Holy One of God

. **GIFTS SURVEY** We would love to hear about any **gifts, skills and talents** you wish to offer go to [Parish Gifts Survey · Church Suite Forms](#) or contact the parish office

## Parish Timetable

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

<b>Sat 24th Aug</b> <i>St Bartholomew</i> <i>Apostle</i> <b>21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)</b>	9.00am	Adoration, confessions, and rosary St Tarcisius Church
	10.00am	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
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	5.00pm	Confessions Ss Peter & John Church
	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John Church <span style="float: right;"><i>Ann Lowther RIP</i></span>
<b>Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b>21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)</b>	9.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <span style="float: right;"><i>Antonia &amp; Piedade Milao-Barretto</i></span>
	10.40am	Rosary at Christ the King Church
	11.15am	Sunday Mass at Christ the King Church <span style="float: right;"><i>People of the Parish</i></span>
	<b>1.30pm</b>	<b>Baptism of Delilah Di Cristo-Brzezicki at St Tarcisius Church</b>
<b>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>Week 21 in ord time</i>	9.15am	Morning Prayer Christ the King Church
	9.30am	Holy Mass Christ the King Church <span style="float: right;"><i>Pat Knight RIP</i></span>
	10.00am	Intercession Before the Blessed Sacrament Christ the King Church
	6.00pm	Live streamed Rosary
<b>Tues 27<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>St Monica</i>	9.15am	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church
	9.30am	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
<b>Wed 28<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>St Augustine of Hippo</i>	<b>9.15am</b>	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church
	<b>9.30am</b>	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
	10am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 12 noon St Tarcisius Church
<b>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> Aug</b> <i>Passion of John the Baptist</i>	12 noon	<b>Requiem Mass for Dorothy Fletcher RIP</b> Ss Peter & John Church
<b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>		<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sat 31<sup>st</sup> Aug</b> <i>Votive Mass of Our Lady</i>	9.00am	Adoration, confessions, and rosary St Tarcisius Church
	10.00am	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <span style="float: right;"><i>Neil McDonald RIP</i></span>
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<b>22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)</b>	5.00pm	Confessions Ss Peter & John Church
	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John Church
<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> Sept</b> <b>22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)</b>	9.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <span style="float: right;"><i>William Clark RIP</i></span>
	10.40am	Rosary at Christ the King Church
	11.15am	Sunday Mass at Christ the King Church <span style="float: right;"><i>People of the Parish</i></span> <b>including the Baptism of Florence Vandenberg</b>
		<b>There will be a retiring collection for the new lectionaries</b>

**'My ChurchSuite'** is a database system used by this parish. Parishioners can manage their own personal details and sign up for events through the ChurchSuite system. To register as a parishioner with this parish please enter your details using the following link <https://cbparish.co.uk/cs-parishdatabase>

### Baptisms

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September **Thomas Winsall** 1.30pm at SS Peter & John Church  
 Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November **Chizitarem Hillary Ugwuanyi** at St Tarcisius Church  
 Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November **Coreen Isabelle Te Cardosa** 11.00am at St Tarcisius Church



The next course for parents wanting their children to be baptised course is Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> September at St Tarcisius church 9.15am and Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> September 10.45am at Ss Peter & John Church Hall. Please contact the Parish office for details

**Forthcoming Retiring Collections**

**31<sup>st</sup>/1<sup>st</sup> September** – collection for the new lectionaries

**14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> September** – collection for Home Mission Sunday

**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 & 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.
- You can even donate online via our website [www.cbparish.co.uk](http://www.cbparish.co.uk)
- Or by using the Dona contactless card machine in St Tarcisius Church



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If you are a taxpayer, you can contribute to the Parish via the **Gift Aid scheme**. If you require a fresh supply of Gift Aid Envelopes please contact Stana Juvan by email to [ga.camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:ga.camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk). Thank you.



**St Tarcisius Centenary**

**7<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> September 2024.** [www.heritageopendays.org.uk](http://www.heritageopendays.org.uk)

**Heritage Open Days**

**The Heritage Week will include the following events**

1. **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September** Surrey Heath Museum are hosting a “**Birthday Walk**” on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September beginning at 2pm from Camberley Park (Townside Place) and finishing at 3pm at St. Tarcisius for a Birthday Party/cake in the garden or hall. Gillian Ridings will be leading the walk and giving historical talks
  2. **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September** There will be a **talk about the life and martyrdom of St Tarcisius** on 7.30pm at St Tarcisius Church. The talk will be given by Fr Sean Finnegan who taught Church History at St Johns Seminary
  3. **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September 7.00pm mass followed by 7.30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** (8.30pm finish) The worship music during Adoration will be led by Stephanie Pena (from Adore Praise and the Wintershall Estate’s “Life of Christ”)
- **With volunteer support** we would like to offer on 3 separate occasions for approximately 2hrs only: a display of Vestments and Holy Vessels which will require 2 or 3 stewards and possibly a Tour of church and Garden followed by Refreshments requiring 2-4 stewards.
  - Please let Sandie know **before August 18<sup>th</sup>** if you would like to be a part of this welcoming experience to our parish. So that she can plan which events can take place during the week and update the Heritage Open Days Website accordingly.

**Funerals**

<b>Dorothy Fletcher RIP</b>	12 noon Requiem Mass on Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> August at Ss Peter & John Church
<b>Beata Cunningham RIP</b>	12 noon Requiem Mass on Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September at St Tarcisius
<b>Alan Howland RIP</b>	2.30pm Requiem Mass on Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> September at St Tarcisius Church
<b>Pat Knight RIP</b>	12.30pm Requiem Mass on Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> September at Christ the King Church



**Catechists' Formation Day, 21 September**, 11am-4pm, Worth Abbey Paddockhurst Road, Turners Hill, Crawley RH10 4SB · A day of formation, reflection and networking for parish catechists and those involved in adult formation, Any queries please email E: [jon.harman@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:jon.harman@abdiocese.org.uk)

**Marriage Anniversaries Mass**, 12 October, 11.30am, Arundel Cathedral. An opportunity for those celebrating a significant anniversary to renew their wedding vows. Mass with Bishop Richard is at 11.30am, followed by a drinks reception. Click below [Marriage Anniversaries Mass \(12-Oct-2024\) · ChurchSuite Events](#)



**Mass to celebrate 180 years of the St Vincent de Paul Society, 27 September, 6pm, Arundel Cathedral.** Bishop Richard will celebrate this anniversary Mass for the SVP and its work. Followed by refreshments in the Cathedral Centre. RVSP to E: [stcatherinessvp@gmail.com](mailto:stcatherinessvp@gmail.com)



### **First Communion and Confirmation Course 24/25**

Enrolment forms for the forthcoming First Communion and Confirmation courses are available at the back at our churches and on our parish website. <https://www.cbparish.co.uk> in the Sacraments page under "Our Mission"



Fr Paul is appealing for volunteers to join him in a another **St Tarcisius Garden tidy up** this Wednesday 28th August from 1pm to 3pm Please bring you own tools

**The Night and the Cross: Day Retreat, 30 November, 10am-4pm, The House of 35 Seymour Road East Molesey KT8 0PB (Cost: £30).** A day exploring the spirituality of two Carmelite saints, John of the Cross and Edith Stein (Teresia Benedicta a Cruce). This gentle and reflective day will offer times of input and space for personal reflection and prayer. *Starts at 10am and finishes at 4pm. Please bring a packed lunch.* <https://www.christian-retreat.org/houseofprayer>

**ADoRE (Alton Day of Renewal) are running online meetings. The next one is on Saturday 31st August "BEAR THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT -. 10.00 am to 1.00pm on Zoom.** More information [www.altonrenewal.com](http://www.altonrenewal.com) to Register go to [bit.ly/ADOREAUG2024](https://bit.ly/ADOREAUG2024)

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