

# Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish Newsletter

## Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

27th April 2025



### 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

In today's Gospel, Jesus commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun. As Jesus was sent by God, so too does Jesus send his disciples. This continuity with Jesus' own mission is why the Church exists. Jesus grants the means to accomplish this mission when he gives his disciples the gift of the Holy Spirit. Jesus breathes in his disciples and says "Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain they are retained" Forgiveness and reconciliation are gifts to us from Jesus. The source of our mission of reconciliation is the sacrament of penance in which we come to the Lord with our personal sins. St John Paul II declared the 2nd Sunday of Easter as "**Divine Mercy Sunday**". Christ appeared to a Polish nun, Sr. Maria Faustina Kowalska, in a series of visions that took place over almost eight years. Among those visions, Christ revealed the **Divine Mercy Novena**, which He asked Sister Faustina to pray for nine days, beginning on Good Friday. Part of the novena is this simple prayer that we could all say in our private time with the Lord *'Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!'*

### Prayer for Pope Francis RIP

O God, faithful rewarder of souls, grant that your departed servant Pope Francis, whom you made successor of Peter and shepherd of your Church, may happily enjoy for ever in your presence in heaven the mysteries of your grace and compassion, which he faithfully ministered on earth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Eternal rest, grant unto him O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon him.

May he rest in peace.

Amen.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Amen.

### The Readings of Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday

<b>Acts 5:12-16</b>	The numbers that came to believe in the Lord increased steadily
<b>Psalms 117(118)</b>	GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD, FOR HIS LOVE HAS NO END
<b>Apocalypse 1 9-13,17-19</b>	I was dead and now I am to live for ever and ever
<b>Sequence</b>	"Christians to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise...."
<b>John 20:19-31</b>	Eight days later, Jesus came again and stood among them

**GIFTS SURVEY** We would love to hear about any gifts, skills and talents you wish to offer – please 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>Easter Sat</b> <b>26th April</b>	<b>8.00am</b>	<b>Holy Mass at Ss Peter and John Church</b>	Pope Francis RIP
	11.20am	First Confessions Ss Peter & John Church	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John Church	<i>Christina Boyce RIP</i>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> <b>27th April</b>	9.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church	<i>People of the Parish</i>
	11.15am	Sunday Mass Christ the King Church	<i>Suseth &amp; Darrell Spring Int</i>
<b>DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY</b>	1.30pm	Baptism of Jasmine Jayne Pais St Tarcisius Church	
	3.00pm	<b>Divine Mercy Devotions</b> <b>St Tarcisius Church</b>	
<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St George Martyr, Patron of England</i>	9.15am	Morning Prayer Christ the King Church	
	9.30am	Holy Mass Christ the King Church	<i>Jacinta &amp; Palienca Labral RIP</i>
	10.00am	Intercession before the Blessed Sacrament	
	6.00pm	Live streamed Rosary	
<b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Catherine of Siena</i>	9.15am	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church	
	9.30am	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church	<i>Pam Munroe Ints</i>
<b>Wed 30<sup>th</sup> April</b>	10am	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT until 12 noon	<i>St Tarcisius Church</i>
<b>Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> May</b> <i>St Joseph the Worker</i>	12 noon	Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church	
<b>Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May</b> <i>St Athanasius</i>	9.15am	Morning Prayer Ss Peter & John Church	
	9.30am	Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church	
<b>Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> May</b> St Philip & James Apostles	9.00am	Adoration, Confessions, and Rosary St Tarcisius Church	
	10.00am	Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church	<i>Rosaleen O'Neill Intentions</i>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John Church	<i>People of the Parish</i>
<b>Sun 4<sup>th</sup> May</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	9.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church	<i>Pope Francis RIP</i>
	11.15am	Sunday Mass Christ the King Church	<i>Peter Gracia RIP</i>

**'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>



**Trinity Troopers Youth Club - (Children in school years 4-7)** Next meets **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May** 7.30pm – 9.00pm at St Tarcisius Church hall. *The Youth Club meets every second Friday of the Month £1 entrance.* New members welcome - Parents should contact Fr Paul for more details.

**Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church, Frimley, is running a youth club for ages 12-14**

(Years 7 to 9 at school) in the church hall. *meets every third Friday of the Month.*

Contact Christiana via email at [omakolo@yahoo.com](mailto:omakolo@yahoo.com) or mobile - 07885 593400



**St Tarcisius Church Garden.** Fr Paul will be leading working parties to tidy up the Garden at St Tarcisius Church to prepare it for the summer, on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2pm to 4pm and Bank Holiday Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 11am to 1pm. **Please let Fr Paul if you will join him on either date.**

## Financial Giving

**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 You can **donate online** via our website

[www.cbparish.com](http://www.cbparish.com) If you are a taxpayer, you can contribute to the Parish via the **Gift**

**Aid scheme. To obtain** Gift Aid Envelopes please contact **Stana Juvan:** [stana\\_m@hotmail.com](mailto:stana_m@hotmail.com) or TEXT Stana on 07910 119974 TEXT ONLY please



### Special Collections

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>/Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May

Education of Future Priests

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May/Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Apostolate of the Church in the Mass Media



**First Friday Mass :** On Friday 02/May there will be a 7pm Mass at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church, 111 Portsmouth Road, Frimley GU16 7AA. For those who wish to remain, Mass will be followed by Adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Prayer Ministry during a time of musical worship and silence concluding at 8:30pm.

### Parish Events

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April

**First Confessions** 11.20am – 12.30pm at Ss Peter and John Church

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

**First Confessions** 11.20am – 12.30pm at Ss Peter and John Church

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May

**New parishioners Tea Party** 3.00pm Ss Peter & John Church

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May

**Finance Meeting** 7.00pm 11 Bell Place

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May

**Confirmation Mass** 11.00am Arundel Cathedral

**Assisted Dying Bill** The legislation is heading for its Third Reading (at which the Bill passes or falls) in mid-May (delayed by the bill's sponsors perhaps in order to have more time to convince wavering MPs – suggesting that correspondence with MPs is even more important at this time). Bishop Richard has written a letter (which you can access here [abdiocese.org.uk/news/](http://abdiocese.org.uk/news/)), explaining why the Bill runs contrary to Catholic Social Teaching, both in its principle (we may not actively take life) and because of the inherent risks in such laws (gradual widening of criteria for eligibility beyond those expected to die in six months to other groups deemed not to have good 'quality of life', the change in relationship between medical professionals and patients, the possibility of pressure on the elderly and infirm 'not to be a burden', etc.). Please write to our MP, Dr Al Pinkerton MP at The House of Commons SW1A 0AA to express your concerns, even if you have written before.



**Icon-making Workshop, Tuesdays from 6 May, 10am-4pm, The House of Prayer 35 Seymour Road East Molesey, KT8 0PB (Cost: £300).** A six-week introductory course offering participants the opportunity to make a Byzantine head and shoulders icon, with support and guidance from Cari Bridgen. All materials will be provided with the icons blessed at the end of the course [www.christian-retreat.org/contact-us](http://www.christian-retreat.org/contact-us) to find out more and book

"Homily Feedback - As part of his ongoing formation, please could you provide anonymous feedback regarding any or all the homilies which Deacon Simon has preached over the Easter Triduum. The link -> <https://bit.ly/250420Feedback> includes further links to recordings and transcripts of the homilies." Thank you

**Childhood and Contemporary Catholicism Talk, 8 May, 5pm-6.30pm, online.** Current member of the House of Lords, Lord Lemos join Chris Beirne to examine the profound influence of the Catholic faith on children worldwide. Drawing from interviews with young people and educators, the talk will underscore the value of Catholic practices in education and community life. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/childhood-and-contemporary-catholicism-tickets->

# Jubilee Year Events

## Pilgrims of Hope



**Celebrate Festival: Witness to Hope**, 16-20 August, Worth School, RH10 6SB (Cost: from £100/adult). A relaxed, faith-filled Catholic festival for all the family, with inspirational speakers; Masses and worship; prayer, fun and fellowship. [www.celebratetrust.org/festival](http://www.celebratetrust.org/festival) for find out more and book. If you are interest in attending with your family please let Fr Paul know

**Celebrate the Jubilee at WeBelieve**, a festival of Catholic Life gathering the Church to share the hope that we have in Christ. From 25th-28th July, join us for four days of music, keynotes, conversation & worship at St Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham. Featuring Dr Gianna Emanuela Molla (daughter of St Gianna Molla), Fr Paul Murray, Mgr. Michael Nazir-Ali, & many more. Early Bird Tickets available now at [www.webelievefestival.com](http://www.webelievefestival.com)



**Jubilee Year pilgrimage to Walsingham with Bishop Richard, 6-8 June (Cost inc. travel, accommodation & food).** People across our community of faith are invited to mark the 60th Anniversary of our diocese and Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee Year, by joining a summer pilgrimage to Walsingham. The Pilgrimage group will travel together by coach, departing from The St Philip Howard Centre in Crawley at 12pm on 6 June. Our accommodation is in Elmham House, the Shrine's pilgrim hotel, where simple rooms are provided. The cost is from £237.00.

**Jubilee Year pilgrimage to Rome, 5-10 November (Cost: £1,220 inc. travel, accommodation & half board; single supp. £188).** Join diocesan priests Fr Gus Campanello, Fr Nick Harden on pilgrimage to Rome. To find out more and book, [email Sarah](mailto:sarah@tangneytours.co.uk) at Tangney Tours or T: 01732 886666.



We are hosting a **New Parishioners Tea Party** on Sunday **11<sup>th</sup> May 3pm** at Ss Peter and John Church Hall. It is for all who have started worshipping in our parish or moved into the area during the past 12 months. **Please contact the parish office if you would like to attend.**

<b>Ss Peter &amp; John Church</b>	1 Caesars Camp Road, Camberley GU15 4ED
<b>St Tarcisius Church</b>	227 London Road Camberley GU15 3EY
<b>Christ the King Church</b>	Guildford Road Bagshot GU195LE
<b>Parish Office:</b>	1 Caesars Camp Road, Old Dean, Camberley, Surrey, GU154ED

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