

**Camberley and Bagshot Catholic  
Parish Newsletter**  
**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Year C**

**4<sup>th</sup> August 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 reading, Jesus instructs his disciples and the crowd on how to be ready for the coming judgment. A crowd of many thousands has gathered to hear Jesus. At first he speaks only to the disciples, reminding them that it is not persecution they should fear but the judgment that is coming for all who do not acknowledge the Son of Man. Suddenly a man in the crowd shouts out to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me." He seems to have grown tired of Jesus speaking only to the disciples. Jesus offers the man no help. Instead he uses the question to teach, in light of the coming judgment, of what life really consists.

Jesus tells the crowd a parable. A rich man's lands have yielded more crops than expected. His response is not to consider how he might share all the extra food with others but to wonder how he can possibly store it all. He has what he thinks is a brilliant idea: to tear down his present barns and build larger ones. Then he will have many things stored up for years of eating, drinking, and making merry.

"You fool" is God's response to this man because that very night his life will be taken away. To whom will everything belong then, God asks. The rich man's world is small, just him and his possessions, and now he learns that he is to lose his life. What good are his possessions now? Jesus states the moral of the story. This is how it will be for everyone who stores up treasure for himself or herself but is not rich in what matters to God.

Centuries later St. Gregory the Great taught that when we care for the needs of the poor, we are giving them what is theirs, not ours. We are not just performing works of mercy; we are paying a debt of justice. Life does not consist in possessions but in sharing what we possess with others. The goods of the earth have been given to everyone.

**Mass Readings for the Solemnity of 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C**

**Ecclesiastes 1:2,2:21-23**      What has man from all his toil

**Psalms 90**      OH LORD YOU HAVE BEEN OUR REFUGE FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION

**Colossians 3:1-5,9-11**      "Seek the things from above, where Christ is"

**Luke 12:319**      "The things you have prepared whose will they be"

**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>Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug</b> <i>Votive Mass of Our Lady</i>	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am <b>11.00am</b>	Adoration confessions and rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church First Saturday Devotions <b>Baptism of Ayda DeSouza</b>
<b>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John <i>Baby Rory Corkery RIP (2<sup>nd</sup> Aniv)</i>
<b>Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug</b> <b>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9.15am 11.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Bruce Scrambler RIP</i> Sunday Mass Christ the King Church <i>People of the Parish</i>  <b><i>There is a retiring collection for First Days Children's Charity</i></b>
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>St John Mary Vianney</i>	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Christ the King Church Holy Mass Christ the King Church <i>Chrissy Torrens RIP</i>
<b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>Week 18 in Ord Time</i>	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
<b>Wed 6<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b><i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i></b>	19.15am 9.30am  10am – 12noon	Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Ernest &amp; Dorothy Jolliffe RIP</i> <i>/Norah &amp; John Ratcliffe Ints</i> <b>ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT</b> St Tarcisius
<b>Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> August</b>		<b>NO Mass</b>
<b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup> August</b> <i>St Dominic</i>	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Ss Peter & John Holy Mass Ss Peter & John <i>Kam Patel RIP</i>
<b>Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Aug</b> <i>St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</i>	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am	Adoration confessions and rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church First Saturday Devotions
<b>19th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	5.30pm	Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John <i>Lily Grines RIP</i>
<b>Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Aug</b> <b>19th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9.15am 11.15am	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>People of the Parish</i> Sunday Mass Christ the King Church <i>Gail Graves 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 10<sup>th</sup> October 7.00pm – 8.30pm** at St Tarcisius Church hall. *It meets every second Friday of the Month £1 entrance.*

There is a retiring collection this weekend for the ***First Days Children's*** Charity which supports families suffering financial hardship They provide School Uniforms, laptops and equipment for learning to children aged 4-18 and a baby bank, with everything parents need for babies and into the early years.

**Uprising, 11-12 October, Brighton, BN1 9QF. The Meeting House, University of Sussex** A free Life in the Spirit seminar for 18-30s, a generation who refuses to settle for ordinary. This seminar will equip you to live the miraculous life Jesus promised. Email: [abcdsc@gmail.com](mailto:abcdsc@gmail.com) Website: [abcharismatic.org](http://abcharismatic.org)  
Instagram: @arundel\_brighton\_cdsc

### Baptisms

**Heidi Catherine Anderson** Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August 1.30pm St Tarcisius Church  
**Alice Matos-Awan** Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October 11am at St Tarcisius Church

## 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: [ga.camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:ga.camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk)** or TEXT Stana on 07910 119974 TEXT ONLY please

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### Special Collections

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup>/Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

First Days Children's Charity

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup>/Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September

Home Mission Sunday Collection

### Future Events

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> August **Finance Committee** 7pm at 11 Bell Place

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September **Family Faith afternoon** 3pm until 5pm Mass at Ss Peter & John Church



**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;. If you are interest in attending with your family please let Fr Paul know

We are looking for **Eucharistic Ministers** to join the team serving Frimley Park Hospital on weekday visits, with a flexible schedule to suit availability. Full training and support will be provided. For further information, please contact Deacon Simon Tierney [simon.tierney@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:simon.tierney@abdiocese.org.uk) / 07980 445301

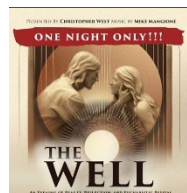


**Festival of Hope**; Celebrating Jubilee Year and 60th Anniversary of our Diocese in Ardingly, West Sussex on **Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September**. We have **50 places** available for the Diocesan Festival with coach travel from St Peter & St John, Camberley

Top class input includes; worship led by the 'One Hope Project' beginning at 10.30am; Michelle Moran (from Sion Community); Dai Woodbridge (Bible Society) and Christine Allen (Director of Cafod), and ending with mass with Bishop Richard at 3.30pm.

If you are interested in joining a thousand people from across the diocese in this celebration of the past and to focus on the future mission of the Church in Surrey and Sussex **please email Fr Paul**.

**Building the Domestic Church**, 4 October, 10am-3pm, The St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley, RH10 6RP. How can we help parents experience a deeper encounter with Christ and bring their family into a more intimate, lifelong relationship with the Lord? If you have any questions about this event please contact Deacon Simon South, Marriage and Family Life Advisor E: [simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk)



**The Well: Evening of Eucharistic Revival**, 11 September, 6.30-9.30pm, St George's Cathedral, Southwark (Cost: £21). Engage the imagination and the senses with live music by Mike Mangione and a dynamic presentation from Christopher West - for a revival like you've never experienced before. [Click here](#) to book.





**First Communion Course 25/26.** Children who will be in school year 3 or above in the new academic year can be enrolled for the forthcoming First Communion course. The course begins with Zoom sessions with Fr Paul on Thursdays 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 7pm -8pm and a meeting with the catechists on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 7pm at Ss Peter & John Church Hall.

**The confirmation Course 25/26.** Young people who are in the school year 10 or above in the new academic year can be enrolled for the forthcoming Confirmation Course". The course begins with a meeting for parents and catechists on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm at Ss Peter & John Church Hall. Forms should be returned to the Parish Office in times for this meeting



*The enrolment forms 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*



**The next course for parents who wish to have their child(ren) baptised is on Saturdays 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September 10.45am at Ss Peter & John Church Contact the Parish office.**

**Pilgrims on the Journey of Life: what walking the Camino teaches us, 22-24 August, Ladywell Franciscan Centre, GU7 1ST (Cost £190).** franciscancentre@ladywell.org.uk or 01483675575 to book.



**Calling all hands, big and small.** Please help weed the cobble stones and gravel pathway at the front of St Tarcisius church. You can pop along anytime and as often as you like. **Or** if you're robust, please help us weed the rear garden, dig up a few chunky saplings and lop a few overgrown

bushes, for these tasks please contact the parish office for access. Prayers of thanks will be offered for all helpers.



**Youth 2000 Summer Festival, 22-25 August, Ampleforth, YO62 4ER (Cost: from £170).** A chance for young adults (18-35) to encounter Jesus as our hope, the One who brings light to even the darkest places; illuminating every aspect of our lives. Explore faith, build relationships and find hope. Email: [info@youth2000.org](mailto:info@youth2000.org)  
<https://www.youth2000.org/events>

We will be running our first **Family Faith Afternoon** on **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September** from 3pm until 5.00pm Mass at Ss Peter & John Church. The event will include prayer activities for children, guidance for parents, and faith activities for families. For more information speak with Fr Paul



**Ss Peter & John Church** 1 Caesars Camp Road, Camberley GU15 4ED  
**St Tarcisius Church** 227 London Road Camberley GU15 3EY  
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