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Resources

Day by Day June edition is in the Advent Room £1.00/book: Please leave money in the box next to the books in the Advent Room.

Offertory Collection 5th June 2022

Envelopes	£ 15.00
Loose Cash	£300.21
Contactless payment	£ 60.00
Standing Orders	£ 669.23
2nd Collection for World Communication	£ 36.50

Thank you all for your kind donations.

Second Collection on 12th June is for Day for Life. 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. The focus of the Day for Life this year is older persons. The COVID pandemic highlighted the desperate plight of many older people, especially those in care homes and those struggling with long-term chronic conditions such as dementia. You can donate in church via the 2nd collection basket or via the contactless payment. Online donation link below:

<https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/campaign/day-for-life-2022>

The Most Holy Trinity	Year C	12th June 2022
Psalm Response:		
How great is your name, O Lord our God, through all the earth!		

Holy Trinity

Is it not just amazing to listen to the prayer of Our Lord and to experience His desire expressed to the Father when He said: Father, I want these whom you have given me to be with me where I am (Jn 17:24)? What Jesus added is, also beyond all telling when He declared: I will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them (Jn 17:26). The same Christ says: Father, I entrust my spirit into your hands! (Lk 23:46). We are introduced to the mystery of God through Jesus so we are taught that The Father has life in Himself, and he has granted that same life-giving power to His Son (Jn 5:26). On the one hand, we see that the Son lives for the Father; on the other hand, it is good to notice that the Father is for the Son till the point that whoever sees the Son, sees the Father (Jn 14:19).

This full of life 'totality', vibrancy, joy and love brings us fullness of life and joy on the unspeakable level of our being, far deeper than our conscience is able to grasp. In the community of hearts, we are able to see that the One enthroned in heaven laughs (Ps 2:4). The fruit of the love between the Father and the Son is being poured out and it is manifested as the Spirit of God, till the point of the equality of three of Them: three equal Persons. In this community, there are bonds, which unite the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit to one another, and as it transpired we dwell inside the bonds. We dwell in the very dynamic relationships in the minds of the Trinity where Father sends the Holy Spirit in the power of His Fatherhood, as He has sent the Son (Jn 3:16.34; Jn 6:57; Jn 17:3. 18. 23) as well as where Christ sends the Holy Spirit as the fruit of His Redemption and where the Holy Spirit searches the deep things of God (1Cor 2,10) and is 'an expert' of the Divine Unity till the point that the Trinity is the One God.

The Holy Spirit in this relationship is, then the intimate life of the Triune God as a total gift, as an exchange of mutual love and the name of 'endless self-giving love' describes Him well. Having been introduced to this reality we can be shocked that the same Holy Spirit who soars to the depths of our universe, in celestial wonders and whose elusive sounds are mixed with howling planets, comes to meet a person in a gentle whisper (1Kings 19:11-13). The same God, the Almighty, has another desire – to live in the depths of our hearts, but only when we want Him to come. If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him

Fr Stan

Visitors to the Parish are reminded that photography/video recording is not permitted at any time during mass services unless authorised by the Parish. Photography of children and young people is prohibited.

Catholics in Royal Berkshire Hospital

Contact duty priest: 0118 3227105.
 Chaplaincy at the RBH is covered and shared by Fr. Pat Madden (07510182722) and the priests from the FSSP (07445106330). Fr. Pat covers every Monday from 12 Noon until Thursday 12 Noon. The priests from FSSP cover from Thursday 12 Noon until Monday 12 Noon. On admission, all Catholics should inform the hospital staff that they are Roman Catholic & wish to receive Communion or see a priest. All arrangements in RBH are "Patient Led".

Reading Catholic Churches

Christ the King, Whitley	Fr. Pat Madden	0118 931 4469
St. John Bosco, Woodley	Fr. Bill Wilson	0118 969 3423
St. James	Fr Chris Heaps	0118 957 4171
English Martyrs, Tilehurst	Cn. Michael Dennehy	0118 957 2149
St. Joseph, Tilehurst	Fr Peter Glas	0118 942 8632
St. William of York	Fr. Mathew Goddard / Fr. Seth Phipps	0118 966 5284
Our Lady & St. Anne, Caversham	Msgr. Patrick Daly	0118 947 1787

Emergency numbers for a Priest –

Please call your own priest first

Date & Dedication	Time	Mass Intentions etc
Sun 12th June 2022 The Most Holy Trinity	8.00am 8.30am 11.00 am 2.30pm 5.00pm	Rosary For Lukasz for conversion & healing For Parishioners Divine Mercy Holy Hour Wilson family
Mon 13th June St Anthony of Padua	No Mass	
Tues 14th June	No Mass	
Wed 15th June	No Mass 4.00pm	Rosary
Thur 16th June St Richard of Chichester	No Mass	
Friday 17th June	11.00am 6.00pm No Mass	Adoration from 11.00am to 6.00pm Rosary
Sat 18th June	No Mass	
Sun 19th June 2022 Corpus Christi	8.00am 8.30am 11.00 am 5.00pm	Rosary Nancy Johnson & Brigid Turner's Intention For Lukasz for conversion & healing For Parishioners

Now Accepting Contactless Donations

You will find our new DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE, contactless terminal in the church. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/ device to make a donation. You can also opt-in for Gift Aid to increase your donation by 25%. If you are a UK taxpayer then donating with Gift Aid means that we can claim an extra 25p for every £1 received.

David Holland RIP: We pray for the soul of David Holland who died on Sunday 14th May. The parish offers condolences to Mary Holland & keep her in our prayers. Funeral Mass on Tuesday 14th June at 12 noon at St Thomas More Church, London Road, Twyford, RG10 9EL.

Anniversaries: Please keep in your prayers

12th June: Gladys Judd (1978); Yvonne Gilling (2000);
13th June: Gibson David Goodchild (2004);
14th June: Kathleen McDermott (2000); and Eileen Doye (1991).
15th June: Josephine Mary Hinchey; Michael McDonagh (2018);
16th June: Margaret Hickey (2015);
17th June: Sister Gabriel Duffner (1974); Carl Jones (2010); Mary Lansdowne (2011);
18th June: Frances Gallagher (1981); Winifred Passey (2000); Tim Laffey (2002);
19th June: Patricia Owen (2008); Valerie Murphy (2012);

We continue to pray for David Roper, Theresa Pashley & Caroline Hurst. We pray for God's mercy and healing for the sick and for health and strength for all who care for them.

Parish News

Sunday 12th June: We welcome Fr Pio who will be celebrating all three Sunday Mass.

Start of Youth Group on 12th June: We are really pleased to announce a new initiative to start our Parish Youth Group. 1st Meeting will be this Sunday 12th June after the 11.00am Mass. Please contact the Parish office if your child (11+) will be interested in joining the group.

12th June Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 2.30pm.

No weekday Mass from Monday 13th June - Friday 16th June. Friday Adoration will continue as normal.

Sunday 19th June - Parish get together "International meal" - You are invited to our Parish get together on Sunday 19th June after the 11.00am Mass. Please keep the date in your diary. The Plan is for everyone to bring food to share and we celebrate the diverse nature of our church community. If you are interested in helping, then please contact the Parish office.

Wednesday 29th June Ss Peter & Paul solemnity. Holy day of obligation. Holy Mass at 8.00am

Baptism: If you wish to celebrate the baptism (of a child) here, please contact Father Stan.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before Sunday & Weekday Masses. On Fridays and Holy Days of Obligation 5.30pm-6.30pm or by private appointment with Fr Stan.

The Parish Bereavement Support Group can be contacted via the Parish Office.

Community Support

Supporting Ukraine: For up to date information on how people can support the crisis in the Ukraine, visit the Caritas Website :[Caritas Portsmouth](#).

Anti-trafficking, anti-slavery and human rights groups have launched a new website for Ukrainian refugees in the UK, aimed at keeping them safe from trafficking and helping them adjust to their new home. Its a "one-stop shop" of useful websites, helplines, and other information

about anything from where to get basic travel and housing advice to opening a bank account and understanding your rights as a worker. Website is www.ukrainianswelcome.org

Woodley food bank :List of items needed are:- Toilet paper, Kitchen rolls, Cooking oil, Tinned meats, Tea bags, Sugar, Coffee, Puddings. (sweet), Tinned stewing steak, Tinned chicken in sauce, Long life milk. Items for the food bank can be left in the Advent room.

Pastoral News:

Youth Summer Camp 01/08/22-08.08/2022:

Our Parish has been invited to join the camp with St Mary's church in Gosport. The summer camp will be held in Gaveston Hall, Nuthurst, West Sussex England RH13 6RF. You can visit their website here: (gavestonhallsussex.com):

<https://www.gavestonhallsussex.com/>>. The summer camp is for boys and girls. There will be a lot of outdoor activities but priority will be given to the spiritual formation of the children. The aim of our camps is to gradually furnish our kids and teenagers with all the spiritual formation they need to help them grow as Catholics and children of God. More information about schedule and activities will be sent out closer to the time.

Significant Wedding Anniversaries Mass: Are you celebrating this year, 2022, a 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 60th anniversary, or an anniversary of over 60 years? If so, you are invited to a Mass of celebration at St Bede's church in Basingstoke on Saturday 2nd July 2022 at 11am. See poster in Advent Room for more information. If interested, please email lizmurphyatanniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk. detail.

Encounter Festival from 29th July - 31st July for ages 25-35. The encounter festival will help you discover God as a dear friend and deepen your prayer life. <https://www.carmelite.uk.net/retreats/encounter-festival/>. See poster for more details.