

# **Camberley and Bagshot Parish Newsletter**

## **ALL SAINTS**

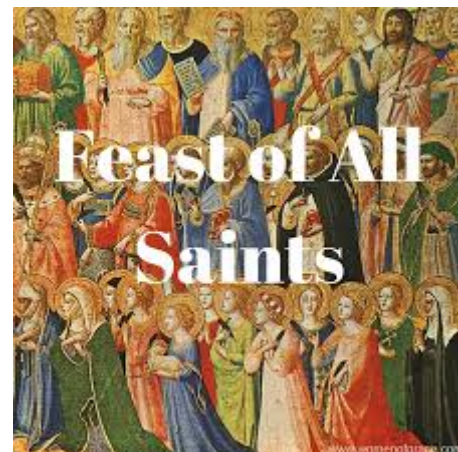
**1<sup>st</sup> November 2020**

**WE ENCOUNTER JESUS - WE GROW TOGETHER IN HIS LOVE**

Our parish forms disciples who encounter the saving love of Jesus

We grow together by being known, loved and supported.

We are empowered by the Holy Spirit, to worship, witness, and serve



30<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Dear brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ,

Why do we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints? All year round we celebrating feast of the canonised saints on specific days. There are also countless other saints, united with God in the heavenly glory. Many of these would be our family who were heroic women and men of faith. Today we keep their honourable memory. In many ways, therefore, today's feast can be called the feast of the Unknown Saint, in line with the tradition of the Unknown Soldier. We celebrate what the first reading calls *"a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands"* (Rev 7:9).

This feast gives us a peek into our eternal destiny. The saints were men and women like us. Where we are now, what they used to be, and where they are now with Jesus we hope to be in eternity. As Christians we know that a person's life story is not limited to what happens to them between the day they are born and the day they die but we have an eternal destiny.

This Sunday we are invited to walk the path of the saints, the way of the Beatitudes. We need faith and courage to walk it. The example of the saints and their prayers encourage us and help us on. St Augustine found it hard to live the Beatitudes, but when he read the lives of the saints he said, *"What these ordinary women and men have done, why not me?"* Why not? Faith assures us all who heed the call of Jesus and live the life of the Beatitudes that at the end of life we shall, together with all the saints, hear the consoling words of the Lord, *"Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joys of your master"* (Matthew 25:21).

The poet Francis Thompson said *"To most people, God is a belief. To the saints He is an embrace."* Let us today embrace God with all the saints.

With my blessings

Fr Paul

### **Scripture Readings for the Feast of All Saints**

<b>Apocalypse &amp;:2-4,9-14</b>	"Victory to the God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb
<b>Psalms 23(24)</b>	<b>Such are the men who seek your face O Lord.</b>
<b>1 John 3:1-3</b>	<i>"We are already the children of God"</i>
<b>Matthew 5:1-12a</b>	<i>How happy are the poor in spirit".</i>

All Streamed Masses can be found using the Facebook link on our website homepage **[www.cbparish.com](http://www.cbparish.com)**

## Parish Timetable

- To reserve a seat for Sunday Mass, go to the link on the parish website [www.cbparish.com](http://www.cbparish.com)
- As there is not obligation for Sunday mass currently you may consider coming to holy mass during the week or Saturday morning
- Weekday masses are not reserved but please register with the stewards as you arrive

All masses at **St Peter & St John & St Tarcisius** will be broadcast live on Facebook [bit.ly/CBPFBL](http://bit.ly/CBPFBL)

<b>Friday 30th October</b> Week 30 in Ord Time	8.30am	Private Mass live on Facebook <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Celebrants Intention</i>
<b>Saturday 31st Oct</b> Votive Mass of Our Lady  <b>Solemnity of All Saints</b>	9.00am 10.00am  5.30pm	Adoration, Confessions and Rosary <b>Public Mass at St Tarcisius</b> – live on Facebook <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Holy Souls</i>  <b>Public Mass at St Peter and St John Church</b> <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Neville &amp; Michael Lowe RIP</i>
<b>Sunday 1st November</b> <b>Solemnity of All Saints</b>	8.30am 9.15am  11.15am	Confessions at St Tarcisius <b>Public Mass at St Tarcisius</b> live on Facebook People of the Parish <b>Public Mass at Christ the King</b> POP <i>Celebrants Intention</i>
<b>Monday 2nd Nov</b> <b>All Souls</b>	<b>9.30am</b>   6.00pm	Private Mass – live on Facebook <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Deceased Benefactors</i>  <i>Rosary live on Facebook</i> <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a>
<b>Tuesday 3rd Nov</b> Week 31 in Ord Time	<b>9.30am</b>	Public Mass at St Peter and St John Church <i>Madeleine Olivade Intention</i>
<b>Wednesday 4th Nov</b>	10am-12 noon	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; St Tarcisius Church
<b>Thursday 5th Nov</b> Week 31 in Ord Time	12 noon  8.00pm	Public Mass at Christ the King Church <i>John Duffy RIP</i>  Online Alpha on zoom
<b>Friday 6th November</b> Week 30 in Ord Time	<b>9.30am</b>	Private Mass live on Facebook <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Tony Hillier RIP</i>
<b>Saturday 7th Nov.</b> <i>First Saturday Devotions</i>  <b>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9.00am 10.00am  5.30pm	Adoration, Confessions and Rosary <b>Public Mass at St Tarcisius</b> – live on Facebook <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Maureen O'Grady RIP</i>  <b>Public Mass at St Peter and St John Church</b> <a href="http://bit.ly/CBPFBL">bit.ly/CBPFBL</a> <i>Sanchez Family Intentions</i>
<b>Sunday 8th Nov</b> <b>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> "Remembrance Sunday"	8.30am 9.15am  11.15am	Confessions at St Tarcisius <b>Public Mass at St Tarcisius</b> live on Facebook Requiem Mass for those who died in War <b>Public Mass at Christ the King</b> POP <i>People of the Parish</i>



**Prayer Intercession** Have you anything or anyone you would like to be prayed for at this current time. We have prayer volunteers who will pray for your stated intentions. Please pass on your prayer requests to the Parish Office [camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk)

**Change of weekday mass times** From Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November there will be a change to weekday masses to allow Fr Paul to fulfil other pastoral duties.

- Mondays 9.30am Private Mass live on the parish Facebook page.
- Tuesday 9.30am Public Mass at St Peter and St John
- Thursday 12 noon Public Mass at Christ the King Church
- Fridays 9.30am Private Mass live on the parish Facebook page.

### November – Praying for the Deceased

**Blessing of Graves** This year due to COVID 19 Fr Paul will not be blessing of the individual Graves, However, he will visit, by himself, the cemeteries at St Michaels, Lightwater and Windlesham on to pray for those who buried there on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November in the afternoon. Please email Fr Paul to ask him to pray for your loved ones. He will read out the names at the Sunday masses 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> November.

**Praying for the those who have dies in the past 12 months.** Fr Paul will pray for those who have died in the past 12 months at the Sunday masses 21<sup>st</sup> / 22<sup>nd</sup> November. Please send him the names of your loved ones and friends.

#### November Book of Remembrance.

If you would like to have your loved ones included in the books of remembrance please email the Parish Office with the name of the deceased, the date of the anniversary and the church you attend. Alternatively post the details in the boxes that were place in the entrances to the churches. Their names will be included in the Books of Remembrance

**Admission to St. Augustine's School September 2021** Children born between 1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017 are due to start school in September 2021 and will need to apply for a place before 15th January 2021. Please contact the school office on 01276 709099 if you would like to request an application form. The SIF can be downloaded from the school website [www.staugustine.surrey.sch.uk](http://www.staugustine.surrey.sch.uk) Alternatively, call the school office on 01276 709000.

### 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 and Bagshot Parish**

- **Account number 31077368 Sort code 40 05 20**

☐ Cheque, made payable to 'The Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish', please write on the back of the cheque "Parish Offering" and send it to the parish office, 1 Caesar's Camp Road, Camberley, GU15 4ED.

☐ If you are a tax payer you can contribute to the parish via the **gift aid scheme**. If so please phone **Roger Woodham on 01276 29037**



**Parish Offertory Collections** are taken as your leave mass. **There will also be a basket for the Retired Priests Fund**

#### First Holy Communion and Confirmation

If your child is going into school Year 3 at school please contact Fr Paul about the First Holy Communion course. We plan to start preparation in the first week of December Any young person seeking to be **confirmed** should contact the parish office. The course will start with an online session for parents and candidates on Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec at 7.30pm





**Youth Alpha** Fr Paul will be starting a **20/21 Youth Alpha Group** on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November for young people in school years 8 and above. Meeting monthly and using you tube Alpha Youth Series engages young people in conversations about life, faith and Jesus. Parents should contact the Parish Office for a Parental Consent Form and a zoom link

**Friday Youth Club the Trinity Troopers;** for children from school years 4 to 7. The next meeting on zoom will be on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November from 7.30pm to 8.45pm. Please contact the Parish Office for more details



**Communal first Saturday devotions.** Saturday, 7th November at St Tarcisius beginning at 9 AM. . It was our Lady of Fatima's request, that on the First Saturday of the month we go to confession, pray the rosary, receive Holy Communion, and meditate on the mysteries of the Rosary, all with intention of making reparation to her Immaculate Heart. You can purchase your own personal devotions book to follow along for £10.00. Please email the parish office to order one. Or you could print the prayer

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/115sciymbRsVB5TMmnBNqbZ1PaXwK6Jx-/view>

**St John's Seminary in Womersley** where many of our diocesan priest were formed is soon to close The Seminary has served the Church for 130 years and there is great sadness that formation must now end at the site. With the seminarian body numbering just 17 the community is small, with the building and staffing costs too high to sustain. Arrangements have been made for the seminarians to transfer to the Allen Hall Seminary in London next September.

**Family Prayer Time** Our childrens liturgy catechists will be producing a Family Prayer Time service on You Tube and printable resources to use at home. The first **FPT** resource will be available on our website and Facebook page for each Sunday



With the introduction of the **NHS COVID-19 app**, we displaying a **QR code** in each of our churches to allow users of the app to anonymously "check-in". There is no legal requirement to install the app on your **smartphone** or to use it when entering one of our churches, although both are encouraged.

- To clarify, this does not replace the parish's separate requirement to **record the names and primary contact** details of each household / support bubble present within the church for NHS Test and Trace purposes.
- For **Sunday Masses**, we will continue to primarily collect names and contact details via the weekly **Eventbrite ticketing links**. We also use this information to optimise seating capacity through pre-assigning benches. We will continue to register attendance manually at Sunday Masses where there is seating available on a "first come first served" basis



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