



Parish of Corpus Christi-St. Peter, St. Justus



Corpus Christi

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ONE PARISH

ONE FAMILY

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The Sacrament of Confirmation

The Second Vatican Council stressed the centrality of the call to holiness for each and every Christian. On Saturday 25th June, twenty one young people responding to this call of the Holy Spirit received the sacrament of confirmation administered by Canon Luke Smith. We thank Canon Luke for confirming our young people, and let us congratulate them and hold them in our continued prayers. I thank their parents for their support in helping their children to celebrate this unique Sacrament and I am very grateful to our committed Catechists who prepared our young people for their confirmation.

Confirmation enables candidates to renew their faith not simply as an intellectual exercise, but as a personal experience of God's grace. It is about entering into a renewed relationship with Jesus and forming our lives like that of Jesus himself. The Spirit which today has been poured out on these young people must become active in their hearts and in all our hearts, challenging us to confront the realities of our life with courage. I wish and pray that our young people will continue to experience their friendship with Jesus amidst the believing community, in particular on Sundays as we gather together to celebrate the life of Jesus in the Holy Mass. It is my earnest wish that they ALL continue to cherish friendship and fun among themselves by becoming part of our youth club, subsequently taking our parish into the future. Fr Saju.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS 25th June 2022

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY OT (C)

SATURDAY 25 th June	12.30pm 6.00pm	Mass of Confirmation God's Blessings on Jimmy Durkan
SUNDAY 26 th June	8.30am 10.00am 12noon	St Justus: For the People of the Parish Susan Watkins RIP (Colin O'Hara) St Peter: Sally Myatt RIP & Robert Warburton RIP (T Fleming)
MONDAY 27 th June	10.00am	Welfare of Ivan and Alex Leigh (Catherine Collins)
TUESDAY 28 th June	10.00am	St Justus: Anastacia AlbasinRIP (Simplicia Ramm)
SAINT PETER & SAINT PAUL -APOSTLES		
WEDNESDAY 29 th	10.00am 12noon	Margaret May RIP (Colin O'Hara) St Justus: Holy Souls
THURSDAY 30 th June	10.00am	Intentions of the Bradley family (Catherine Collins) Adoration 10.30am – 10.00pm
FRIDAY 1 st July	10.00am	Welfare of Maya (Catherine Collins)
SATURDAY 2 nd July	10.00am 6.00pm	Marie May RIP (Terence May) Margaret Edmonds RIP (Colin O'Hara)
FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OT (C)		
SUNDAY 3 rd July	8.30am 10.00am 12noon	St Justus: Philip Weston RIP (Barry Weston) Margaret May RIP (D Cole) St Peter: For the People of the Parish

HALL BOOKINGS: Please call parish office 01732 352984 or email: tonbridge@rcaos.org.uk during office hours.

St. Margaret Clitherow Primary School, Trench Road, Tonbridge Tel. 01732 358000Principal: Mrs Caroline Ryan.
St. Gregory's Catholic School, Reynolds Lane, Tunbridge Wells. Tel. 01892 527444 Principal: Mr Sean McQuillan

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

YOUTH: Next meeting Fisher Hall Sat 10th July at 7pm. Years 7 – 11 are welcome. tonbridgeyouth@rcaos.org.uk

ARCHBISHOP'S PARISH VISIT – 23 Oct 2022 at 10 am Mass

NEXT PARENT'S Baptism Preparation Sessions: Sat 3 September, Sat 3 December. You must speak to Fr Saju first and make contact with the Catechists before you can attend these meetings.

SACRAMENTS: Confessions: Corpus Christi

Saturdays- 10.30am-11.00am and 5.00pm-5.45pm
St Justus-Tuesdays after Mass.

BAPTISM: Please speak to Fr Saju after Mass. Congratulations to Julianna Kunicka who was baptized last weekend and to her family and God-parents.

MARRIAGE: Congratulations to Lucy and Stephen who were married on Tuesday.

First Holy Communion Programme. Starts in November please watch for details in the newsletter nearer the time. tonbridgecatechist@rcaos.org.uk

Confirmation is every other year so next programme will start Autumn of 2023 for Confirmation in 2024.

RCIA: Fridays at 7.30 pm in Lady Chapel. Please contact David Burford on tonbridgercia@rcaos.org.uk for more information.

Adoration- All day on Thursdays after 10.00am Mass until 10pm.

ROSARY Fridays 9.30am: Saturdays at 9.30am, Mass at 10am, followed by the Holy Face Devotions at 10.30am.

Cherubs- Children's Liturgy group runs every Sunday at the 10.00am family Mass at Corpus Christi. All children from pre-school age to Year 3 are welcome.

Christian Meditation-weekly on Tuesdays from 6.30pm - 7pm @Corpus Christi. All welcome.

RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS:The Jesuits in Britain are running retreat for UK based young adults in their 20s and 30s in late July, They would like to invite young people to set out on a journey with them. Join them for a young adult retreat, online or in person. Online 27th July - 1st August St Beuno's - Residential 28th July -1st August 2022.

MASS INTENTIONS: Mass requests can be made through the parish email or by telephone. Donations for Mass intentions can be paid directly into the parish account or use an envelope available at the back of the church and drop it in the parish office.

FISHER HALL We are experiencing problems with rubbish and the hall not being left clean after use. Should the bin in the car park be full, please DO NOT leave bags on the top of the bin or outside of it as the Waste Contractor WILL NOT empty it and we are left with an accumulation of rubbish which will attract

PARISH FINANCE: Your donations are needed and greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support. Many of you use internet or telephone banking so our bank details are below but please follow the next step: Stipends: Quote ST. Offertories: Quote OFF. Malawi Twin Quote MT; in all of these cases you do not need to refer to Gift Aid as I know who you all are:

Account: RCAS Tonbridge

Sort Code: 60-21-28; Account No: 71367780

Please contact - Ken Marsh 01892 527270

Email: tonbridgegac@rcaos.org.uk

SECOND COLLECTIONS: TBA Thank you!

PARISH NOTICES THIS WEEKEND There is a second collection for Peter's Pence this collection provides the means for the Holy Father & the Apostolic See need to exercise works of mercy and charity and its service to the Universal Church.

NEXT SUNDAY at 10.00am we welcome the Uniform Groups for Church Parade.

CC SOCIAL GROUP Meets on Tuesday (28th June) from 10am Normal tea/coffee cake and a plenty chat, at 11am have a trip to Spadework, we will car share for those wishing to visit, for those not visiting Spadework, you can continue the chat and enjoy refreshments, everyone is very welcome bring your friends.

CORPUS CHRISTI MUMS NIGHT OUT 7th July 8pm, Wetherspoons. All mums welcome. Telephone Anna on 07782413258 for more info.

REPOSITORY CORPUS CHRISTI There is a wide variety of greetings cards, books and other items available, together with a good selection of First Communion and Confirmation gifts and cards. Please do have a browse but kindly handle items carefully and place money for all purchases in the box on the wall marked 'Repository'. Thank you.

SVP CORPUS CHRISTI Donations of non-perishable food items, no clothes, please. Items can be left in the boxes in the Narthex.

ADORATION takes place at Corpus Christi every Thursday from 10 am until 10 pm. We have a rota of regular Adorers who have committed to spending an hour every week with Our Lord, but we are very much in need of more Adorers, throughout the day and evening. Can you give an hour to Our Lord? If you would like to join our team of Adorers, please do give me a call - 01732 773531. Thank you, Anne Mahoney.

A BIG THANK YOU from the Catechists to the parents of the First Holy Communion children for their generous gifts and cards.

ST PETER'S SUMMER COFFEE MORNING Sunday 26 June after 12 noon Mass. Hot and cold drinks and cakes. All Parishioners are warmly invited; donations of cakes welcome!

FISHER HALL cont'd. vermin! Cleanliness, please leave the hall, kitchen, toilets clean and tidy. Thank-you.

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISH: Danny Henry, Bob King, Ewart Beardshaw, Michael Francis, James Feeley, Nicky Byrne, Jim Ford, Teresa Thomas, Ronnie Brown Gloria Gorrige, Mary Girdlestone, John Seeley, Brian Wilkins, Ivan Leigh, Carol Mapply and Charlotte Ford. **HOLY SOULS:** Please remember in your prayers, those who have died especially Tom Boden, may they rest in peace. Amen. Also, for those whose anniversaries occur at this time Andrew Allen, Violet McKay, Tony Nicholls, Greg Czerniawsky & Katrin Cope,