



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



Corpus Christi

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St. Justus

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ONE PARISH

ONE FAMILY

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ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR In September and October (1st September -1st November) this year, the Relics of St Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage from Lourdes to the United Kingdom for the very first time. This very special once in a lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes in a church or cathedral near to their home. The visit will provide people across our community of faith with a valuable opportunity for prayer and healing. To ensure the comfort and safety of pilgrims, and to allow venues taking part in the Relic Tour to prepare for the large numbers likely to attend, we are strongly encouraged either as individuals or groups to register our attendance at our earliest convenience by choosing a free dedicated timeslot at our chosen church or cathedral in our diocese, which for us will be St George's Cathedral, and Aylesford Priory, as demand is likely to be high.

The reservation system is now open and can be assessed: website.stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/ for choosing a location. For general enquiries email: contact@stbernadette.org.uk If you would like to arrange groups within the parish and transport, please do so yourselves so as not to miss this wonderful opportunity. We have been assured that pilgrims who have been unable to register will not be turned away. There is some information on the noticeboards of our three churches.

IMPORTANT-GIFT AIDERS. Gift Aid can only be claimed on donations and collections that involve the diocese, this is easy to remember because there will be a printed envelope in your box. NO OTHERS ARE ACCEPTABLE. This is important because I cannot enter any others and so your return to HMRC will not agree with mine and you could be investigated. I also cannot accept any envelopes from previous years. Ken.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS 6th August 2022

NINETEENTH SUNDAY OT (C)

SATURDAY 6 th Aug	6.00pm	Welfare of Ken Marsh
SUNDAY 7 th Aug	8.30am	St Justus: Philip Weston RIP (Barry Weston)
	10.00am	Jean & John O'Shea RIP
	12noon	St. Peter: For the People of the Parish
MONDAY 8 th Aug	10.00am	Intentions Father Alfred Kalumbi (Ken & Sue Marsh)
SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS (EDITH STEIN) - Virgin & Martyr, Patron of Europe		
TUESDAY 9 th Aug	10.00am	St Justus: Wider family
SAINT LAWRENCE – DEACON & MARTYR		
WEDNESDAY 10 th		Priest will offer Mass, privately. Welfare of Matthew Green & Family (T Fleming)
THURSDAY 11 th Aug	10.00am	McKenna family Adoration 10.30am – 10.00pm
FRIDAY 12 th Aug	10.00am	Welfare of Brian & Martina Wilkins (Jill Davison))
SATURDAY 13 th Aug	10.00am	Welfare of Cecile & family (T Fleming)
	6.00pm	Denis O'Hara RIP (Colin O'Hara)
THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY		
SUNDAY 14 th Aug	8.30am	St Justus: For the People of the Parish
	10.00am	Mildred Perera and Felix Perera RIP (Perera family)
	12noon	St Peter: Paul Carter RIP and for the consolation of his family

St. Margaret Clitherow Primary School, Trench Road, Tonbridge Tel. 01732 35800 Principal: Mrs Fiona Oubridge (Sept)
St. Gregory's Catholic School, Reynolds Lane, Tunbridge Wells. Tel. 01892 527444 Principal: Mr Sean McQuillan

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

YOUTH: Next meeting will resume on **17 Sept**

at 7pm in the Fisher Hall, Years 7 – 11 are welcome. tonbridgeyouth@rcaos.org.uk

NEXT 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.

Parish Leads and Catechists meeting: Mon 12 Sep at 7.30 pm in the Fisher Hall.

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

PARISH FINANCE: July Income of £12,872 and Expenditure of £19,180. 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

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 when he returns from leave.

First Holy Communion Programme- starts in November. Please keep updated with newsletter.

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: Anne - 01732 773531.

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

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

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Pope's Message to Grandparents and the Elderly 2022

Pope Francis' message for the second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly reassures the older generation that Old age is no time to give up and lower the sails, but a season of enduring fruitfulness: a new mission awaits us and bids us look to the future.

From Cardinal Vincent Nicholls

"The pilgrimage of St Bernadette's relics offers us a welcome opportunity to bear active witness to our Faith, joining with one another across our many communities to encounter God's love and find spiritual, emotional, and psychological healing and renewal."

MASS INTENTIONS: Your Mass requests are very important to your Parish Priest as they are a vital source of income for him, as our priests do not receive a salary as do clergy in other denominations. Your Mass requests can be made personally via the Parish Office, through the parish email or by telephone. There are also envelopes at the back of the church. Your offering for your Mass

PARISH NOTICES:

BAPTISM Please do not make any arrangements for a celebration until you have attended a Parents Baptism Preparation session. Following attendance please made contact and check availability of dates with the Parish Office. Although, baptisms are usual held on the 1st& 3rd Saturdays of the month, circumstances can change.

SVP CORPUS CHRISTI Donations of non-perishable food items, no clothes, please. Items can be left in the boxes in the Narthex. Money donations are very welcome to buy goods, please put monies in the wall box marked SVP. Thank you.

PIANO St Peter's Chapel in Hadlow, we have an upright piano that is surplus to requirements. It needs tuning, but is otherwise in good condition. It is available free of charge to anyone who can arrange collection. If interested, or for more details, please contact Isabelle (07873 953423).

TABLE TOP SALE in St Justus church hall on Saturday 22nd October 9.30am-2.00pm. To book a stall please contact Joan 01892 838495. Items wanted: clothes, good quality Bric a Brac and good quality other unwanted items. All proceeds to church funds. John Murphy will collect 01892836854.

COMMUNITY STOREHOUSE PADDOCK WOOD Please see www.communitystorehouse.co.uk for update of items needed. Community Storehouse, HSBC Bank Sort code: 40-36-35Acc No: 11298410 Ref: St Justus member . Monetary donations in the form of supermarket (Waitrose / Tesco) gift vouchers are welcome. Please contact Joan & Liz. Joan 01892 838495: Liz 07981 989243.

PLEASE NOTE: The parking space beside the Presbytery is not for parishioner parking. It is private parking for clergy and office. Parishioners, please use Hall car park. Even though you may have to double park at Mass times.

VOLUNTEERS in the parish, if you do not have a current DBS check then you will need to contact our parish safeguarding representative, Emma Cannon, to get one done.

E: tonbridge1@safeguardingrcaos.org.uk

MASS INTENTIONS cont'd intentions can also be paid directly into the parish account, details above.

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, Charlotte Ford and Martin Milmo. **HOLY SOULS:** Please remember in your prayers, those who have died, may they rest in peace. Amen. Also, for those whose anniversaries occur at this time Maria Argento, Irene Ricketts, Ivy Swift, Deacon Bill Eason, Roger Goodman, Patrick Whelan and Angelica Raimondi.