

# SACRED HEART PARISH

Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth  
Reg. Charity No. 1199568



## CORPUS CHRISTI (The Body and Blood of Christ) - Year C - 22 June 2025

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**St Vincent De Paul Society (SVP)** now have a confidential mobile phone line to assist & help. 07434 773219.

**Please note we now have CCTV Cameras around the premises for security purposes.**

### MASS TIMES

Mass in the Convent on Monday mornings at 9:30am

Daily Eucharistic Service at Maryfield Convent at 10:00am (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri & Sat)

### MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

#### CORPUS CHRISTI (The Body and Blood of Christ)

Sat 21 June	6:00 pm	Mass	
Sun 22 June	10:00 am	Mass	<b>Alice (Pat) Patricia McHugh RIP</b>
	12:00 pm		<b>Corpus Christi Procession</b>
Mon 23 June	9:30 am	Mass in the Convent	

### Ss PETER & PAUL

Sat 28 June	6:00 pm	Mass	<b>Penny Gould RIP</b>
Sun 29 June	10:00 am	Mass	
Mon 30 June	9:30 am	Mass in the Convent	

### CONFESSIONS & SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Father John will be available after Mass for Confessions and/or the Sacrament of the Sick.

### MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass Intention, please contact Jan in the Parish Office on 01256 577007.

### PARISH FINANCE

Dona Plates Contactless giving made easy (with Gift Aid optional) - See the machine at the back of the church

Standing Orders Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

#### BACS Transfer

Our bank details if you need them are:

CDP Hook Sacred Heart (Lloyds Bank) : Sort Code 30-93-04 Account 00880117

Cheques Payable to 'CDP Hook Sacred Heart'

Gift Aid payers are encouraged to contact the office at: office@sacredhearthook.org

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

Lord, have all those who are unable to be with us at Mass in Your safekeeping as we remember: Debbie Cavedon, Jacob Weston, Mike Murch, Ken Musgrave, Sylvia Hosking, Patrica Ringrose-Voase, Fr Jean Patrice, David Xavier, John Kidd, Anne Mitchell, Peter Ward & Sheila Barlow



### REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the soul of **Dermot Wallace RIP** who died this week. His funeral is on Friday 18th July at 11:30 am in the Sacred Heart.



Also please keep in your prayers **Patrica Ringrose-Voase RIP and Maureen Gallagher RIP** who both died this week. Patrica's funeral is on Monday 7th July at 10:45 and Maureen's funeral is on Monday 14th July at 12 noon both in Sacred Heart

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God.*

*Rest in Peace. Amen*

### CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

On Sunday 22nd June, after Mass, The Feast of Corpus Christi, we hope that you will join us in a traditional Corpus Christi procession, within the Church and Convent grounds. This is an exciting opportunity for the children of the Parish to lead the procession and scatter flower petals in honour of the Blessed Sacrament.



### PARISH BBQ 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2024 ALL ARE WELCOME.

Please come and join in our annual Parish Get together to be held at the Parish Hall/ Back Garden after the Corpus Christie Procession on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June. There is a list at the back of the church so please put your names down together with the number of attendees coming from your family, stating if you are vegetarian. If you would like to provide a dessert (not compulsory!) please state what you will bring so we do not have too many of the same. Thank you.

### POPPY APPEAL

In November, Hook Village is adorned with knitted/Crochet poppies, and this year, we thought we would arrange our own display at Sacred Heart. If anyone is willing to help knit or crochet poppies, that would be a great help. You can use your own pattern, or we can provide one. Alternatively, if you would just like to donate some red wool, that would be much appreciated. For further information, please speak to either Maggie Wood or Candy Head.



### WELCOME

A very warm welcome to all parishioners and visitors who join us. If you are new to the area, please contact the Parish office to register as a member of our Parish. Parish Registration forms are available from the welcomers table.

### ILL AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL

If you are ill and are unable to attend Mass, please let Sister Mary-Doris know, we can then arrange for communion to be brought to you. If you are in hospital or know that you are going to go in, let us know in the office by phone 01256 577007 and Sister Mary-Doris on 07899 653413

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)



**First Reading** Genesis 14: 18 - 20

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 109

**You are a priest for ever,  
a priest like Melchizedek of old.**

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 11: 23 - 26

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**I am the living bread which has come down from  
heaven, says the Lord.**

**Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.  
Alleluia!**

**Gospel** Luke 9: 11 - 17

### MARYFIELD CONVENT

#### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Divine Mercy chaplet followed by the Holy Rosary will take place in the Convent Chapel at 3pm on Fridays.

Everyone is welcome

#### FAITH SHARING PRAYER MEETING

First Tuesday of the month.

At 10:30am

in the tea room

#### TUESDAY UCM KNITTING AND CROCHET GROUP

2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesday of the month

At 10:30 in the tea room

#### ADORATION FOR PEACE

Tuesday evenings 7:30—8:30pm

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Sun 22nd June Corpus Christi Procession & BBQ

### **June's Prayer Intention**

During June Pope Francis had asked us to pray for the promotion of peace and reconciliation in areas of conflict.



### **ADORE Spiritual Mini-Retreat**

28th June 10.00-1.00 on Zoom. "PILGRIMS OF HOPE – ALONG WITH MARY." Including Mass, Adoration, Praise, Prophecy, Prayer for the gifts of the Holy Spirit and inspiring talk from guest speaker Joe Livingston. Please register for the free Zoom meeting in advance at [bit.ly/ADOREJUN2025](http://bit.ly/ADOREJUN2025)

### **VICTORIA'S PROMISE HELPING LOCAL YOUNG WOMEN DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER**

- Victoria's Promise is a local charity dedicated to supporting young women, aged 25-50, diagnosed with cancer. When Victoria was diagnosed with a rare and aggressive cancer at just 29 years of age, she asked one thing of her family "Promise me you'll help others through this." Sadly Victoria passed away soon after and in honour of her wish, **Victoria's Promise** was born — to support young women through cancer and beyond.

We offer full services to young women, and their families, who are diagnosed or treated at Basingstoke and North Hants Hospital, The Royal County Hospital, Winchester and now Frimley Park Hospital. Our In Person Support & Services provide essential support, including home visits, VP meetings (for the young women to meet others on the same journey, providing essential connections with others who truly understand) as well as providing additional services such as complementary therapies to ease treatment side effects, nutritional advice or counselling for the woman and/or their children. These services are tailored to each individual women to ensure we support her specific needs. The demand of our services is greater than ever with the number of young women diagnosed with cancer on the increase. Please support this worthwhile charity if you can.

For more information visit [www.victoriaspromise.org](http://www.victoriaspromise.org) or speak to Sarah Brown

Thank you

### **PARISH COLLECTION**

Collection for the weekends of the 8th & 15th June amounted to £1,555.61 from Standing Orders, Direct Debits and Mass Collections.

**Thank you for your generosity.**

### **SURVIVE MIVA**

David Johnson would like to thank everyone for their most generous response to his Appeal on behalf of The Charity Survive Miva. The amazing sum raised on the weekend of the Appeal was £508.33. This money will be invaluable in helping to provide transport to enable outreach work to take place in developing countries.

The Charity would welcome you with open arms if you would consider being a speaker for them.

If you would like some more information, please email me at [jdavidjohnson42@gmail.com](mailto:jdavidjohnson42@gmail.com) David

### **THE SACRISTY**

Is a place of prayer and contemplation and should be an oasis of calm, before and after Mass. The Priest and Servers need time and space in order to prepare them selves for The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. **Please respect this and refrain from visiting the Sacristy in the last 15 mins before Mass.** Unless there is an emergency, of course.

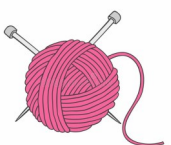
### **THE CHURCH—BEFORE MASS**

Many have asked me that we try and keep our voices down before Mass so that we can all offer our prayers to God in relative peace before Mass begins. We are a beautiful family of faith at Sacred Heart, therefore very important we chat and catch up. But if we can try and leave this until after Mass it would be much appreciated.

Many thanks. Fr J C

### **UCM TUESDAY KNITTING AND CROCHET GROUP**

We have been running for a few months now, and our numbers are growing, and the group is evolving. You don't have to be a member of the UCM to come along. Everyone is welcome just drop in. We meet on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesdays of every month in the Convent after 10 am service. Donations of spare wool would be very much appreciated. Look forward to seeing you.



### **SAVE THE DATE.....**

Advent Fayre at St Bede's on Saturday 29 November between 11:30 and 3:00—monies raised to be split between St Bede's church and St Michael's Hospice.

### Trinity – Year C – 2025 – Hook

*“In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while **you will see me.**”*

God has no desire to be separated from us, ever. Just as Jesus was physically present to the Disciples, the Lord continues to be present to us through His Spirit. The Trinity celebrates the sacredness of relationship, Father with the Son, in the power of the Holy Spirit. If God exists and operates in relationship, so must we, if we are to reflect God’s image and likeness. **We meet God when we relate**, when we connect with others.

I met God a few days ago in Joan. Years ago, she lost her son, to be followed shortly afterwards by her husband. A few days ago, she lost her daughter Anne. “Why shouldn’t it be me?” she exclaimed. She seemed unshakeable, just like God is, unshakeable. Such faith!

I met God in Siobahn, Anne’s sister. Turns out she is one of the top ophthalmic surgeons in the country, yet completely and utterly unassuming about it. Her humility shone. God’s Spirit shone.

I met God in Gloria living her final days. As I anointed her, she said, “you have such a lovely face.” Despite the temptation to be a little egotistical, I absolutely knew she was seeing someone else, our Blessed Lord. I watched the Lord give her His peace.

I met God in Ryan, soon to be Fr Ryan, on a Traveller site the other week. He disappeared for over two hours. He just wanted to connect with God’s people, how Grace works, the Good Shepherd in action.

So, a Christian must be someone who is prepared to connect with other people. Yes, there are risks attached. Yes, we will need to be courageous at times. Yes, we will get hurt sometimes, **but relate we must**, if we are in any way serious about a relationship with God.

#### **John 16:12-16**

“I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you. Jesus went on to say, “In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me.”

Fr John C

### **PORTSMOUTH DIOCESAN DON BOSCO BOYS CAMP – 27 JULY TO 2 AUGUST 2025**

We are delighted that camp will once again be held this summer for boys who are currently in Year 6 Primary school to Year11 Secondary school at St. Cassian’s, Kintbury. There will be plenty of sport, outings, competitions and fun and games to ensure that boys will have a fantastic time. This will continue to take place within the context of the celebration of the Catholic Faith, including daily Mass and morning prayer.

The cost of the camp is £230 (part bursaries may be available on application).

For more information please see our website <https://www.portsmouthdiocesdonboscocamp.co.uk> or email [dbcamps@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:dbcamps@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

### **CALLED AND GIFTED ONLINE INFORMATION EVENING**

Monday 7th July at 7pm - 8:30pm The Called and Gifted team in the Diocese are planning to hold an online information evening for Called and Gifted on Monday 7th July. This is intended for anyone who may be interested in hearing more about discerning charisms and the spiritual and practical benefits this can bring for individuals and communities. To register, please email [calledandgifted@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:calledandgifted@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) with your name and parish.

### **BISHOP CHALLONER’S 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION!**

If you were a student at Bishop Challoner or know someone who was, and they still play an instrument, the current head of music would love to hear from you. They’re planning a musical performance as part of the school’s upcoming 50th anniversary celebrations, and they are looking at forming an orchestra of current and former pupils.

All you need to do is send an email to Mr. Bryant letting him know what instrument you play and how well you play it. He’ll take care of the rest and be in touch. Email: [James.Bryant@bcs.hants.sch.uk](mailto:James.Bryant@bcs.hants.sch.uk)