

**Camberley and Bagshot Catholic
Parish Newsletter**
Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year C
2nd March 2025



WE ENCOUNTER JESUS - WE GROW TOGETHER IN HIS LOVE

Making disciples who encounter the saving love of Jesus Christ
Growing together by being known, loved and supported
Empowered by the Holy Spirit to worship, witness, and serve

This Sunday's gospel reading (Luke 6;39-45) is the last part of what is known as "*Luke's Sermon on the Plain*" The reading beginning with "Jesus told his disciples a parable" There are actually four parables, three of which we read today. They are all about how to be a good disciple.

The blind cannot lead the blind. And a disciple cannot be a good disciple unless he or she has learned from the teacher. Everyone who is fully trained is like the teacher who knows how to cure the blind. Before you can be a good disciple and teach others you must take care of yourself. Do not try to take a speck out of your brother's eye until you have taken the board out of your own. Finally, only when you have purified yourself can you produce the good works that the teacher requires. Discipleship asks us to produce good deeds. But to produce them requires the integrity and purity of heart found in the teacher. When people see your good deeds they will know that this is because you have a good heart. The final parable, which we do not read today, is about building on the solid foundation of rock and not on sand. This is the only way to face the difficulties a disciple will encounter and survive.



The Season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on the 5th March. The Celebrate trust have produced a Family Activity pack for Lent
www.celebratetrust.org/onlinefamilyactivitypacks It is packed full of engaging activities, ways to pray, books to savour and films that both entertain and promote conversation in faith. You can download it once you have registered. We will make these activities available for use throughout the season.

The Readings of Mass for the Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

Sirach 27:4-7	Do not praise a man before you hear him reason
Psalms 92	IT IS GOOD TO GIVE THANKS TO YOU O LORD
1 Cor. 15:54-58	He gives us the victory through Jesus Christ
Luke 6:39-45	Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks

GIFTS SURVEY We would love to hear about any **gifts, skills and talents** you wish to offer go to [Parish Gifts Survey · Church Suite Forms](#) or contact the parish office

Parish Timetable

Holy Mass is broadcast live on the [Camberley & Bagshot Catholic Parish Facebook Page](#)

Sat 1st March <i>St David</i>	9.00am 10.00am 10.30am -----	Adoration, confessions, and rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church First Saturday Devotions
8th Sunday in Ordinary time	5.00pm 5.30pm	Confessions Ss Peter & John Church Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John <i>Rose Farrelly & Farrelly Family RIP</i>
Sun 2nd March 8th Sunday in Ordinary time	9.15am 10.40am 11.15am 3.00pm	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>People of the Parish</i> Rosary at Christ the King Church Sunday Mass at Christ the King <i>Wieslaw Lawandowski with Halina & Jozek Lewandowski RIP</i> Pancake Social at St Tarcisius Hall
Mon 3rd March <i>8th week in Ord Time</i>	9.15am 9.30am 10.00am 6.00pm	Morning prayer Christ the King Church Holy Mass Christ the King Church Intercession before the Blessed Sacrament Rosary on zoom
Tues 4th March <i>8th week in Ord Time</i>	9.15am 9.30am	Morning prayer St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Sandie's Intentions</i>
BEGINNING OF THE SEASON OF LENT		
Ash Wednesday 5th March	9.30am 12 noon 7.30pm	Holy Mass with the Imposition of Ashes St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass with the Imposition of Ashes Ss peter & John Church Holy Mass with the Imposition of Ashes Christ the King Church
Thurs 6th March		NO MORNING MASS
Friday 7th March <i>Friday after Ash Wednesday</i>	10.30am 7.00pm	NO MORNING MASS World Day of Prayer Service at St Pauls Church Camberley First Friday Mass followed by Adoration at Christ the King Church
Sat 8th March <i>Saturday after Ash Wednesday</i>	9.00am 10.00am -----	Adoration, confessions, and rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church
First Sunday of Lent	5.00pm 5.30pm	Confessions Ss Peter & John Church Vigil Mass Ss Peter & John <i>People of the Parish</i>
Sun 9th March First Sunday of Lent	9.15am 10.40am 11.15am 4.00pm	Sunday Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Conolly & Denis families' intentions</i> Rosary at Christ the King Church Sunday Mass at Christ the King <i>Yasamma Mariappa Intentions</i> Stations of the Cross at St Tarcisius Church

'My ChurchSuite' is a database system used by this parish. Parishioners can manage their own personal details and sign up for events through the ChurchSuite system. To register as a parishioner with this parish please enter your details using the following link <https://cbparish.co.uk/cs-parishdatabase>

Second Collections

Saturday 15th/ Sunday 16th March
Saturday 29th/Sunday 30th March

CAFOD Fast Day Collection
Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice

Applications for this summer's Pilgrimage to Lourdes (25-31 July by air, 24 July-1 August by coach/jumbulance) are now open on the pilgrimage website. www.abdiocese.org.uk/lourdes

Financial Giving

Monthly Standing Orders can be set up using online banking or by writing to your bank **Bank: HSBC Account name: RCD A&B Camberley & Bagshot Parish Account number: 31077368 Sort code: 40 05 20**

Cheques made payable to 'The Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish', please write "Parish Offering" on the back of the cheque You can **donate online** via our website www.cbparish.com If you are a taxpayer, you can contribute to the Parish via the **Gift Aid scheme**. To obtain Gift Aid Envelopes please contact **Stana Juvan: stana_m@hotmail.com**



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Admission to St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School, Frimley - September 2025

Our school is linked to the Catholic Churches in Frimley, Camberley and Bagshot. We are also a named feeder school for two outstanding Catholic Secondary Schools - All Hallows (Farnham) and St. John the Baptist (Woking). To find out more about the school and to arrange a visit contact the school office on 01276 709099

Parish Events

Sat/Sun 8 th /9 th March	First Communion Preparation weekend
Tuesday 11 th March	Confirmation Preparation 7.30pm 11 Bell Place Bagshot
Saturday 15 th March	Confirmation group trip to the Flame Youth Event at Wembley Arena
Wed 19 th March	St Tarcisius Liturgy Group Meeting
Tuesday 25 th March	Finance Committee Meeting 7.00pm at 11 Bell Place
Sunday 30 th March	Mothering Sunday

Baptisms

William Jude O'Shea: Sunday 16th March 1.30pm at St Tarcisius Church
Jasmine Jayne Pais: Sunday 27th April 1.30pm at St Tarcisius Church

The World Day of Prayer ecumenical service will be on Friday 7th March at 10:00am at St. Paul's Church, Crawley Ridge, Camberley GU15 2AD. Also available at St Peters church, Frimley Green Road, Frimley, GU16 7AQ at 12.30 noon. This year the prayers have been prepared by the Christian women of the Cook Islands, a group of 15 islands in the South Pacific. The theme will be "I Made You Wonderful" which is based on Psalm 139. All are welcome."



Trinity Troopers Youth Club - (Children in school years 4-7)

Next meets **Friday 14th March 7.30pm – 9.00pm** at St Tarcisius Church hall.

The Youth Club meets every second Friday of the Month £1 entrance.

New members welcome - Parents should contact Fr Paul for more details.

Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church, Frimley, is running a **youth club for ages 12-14** (Years 7 to 9 at school) in the church hall. **This Youth Club meets every third Friday of the Month.**

Contact Christiana via email at omakolo@yahoo.com or mobile - 07885 593400.

First Friday Mass : On Friday 7th March there will be a 7pm Mass at Christ the King. For those who wish to stay on, Mass will be followed by Adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Prayer Ministry during a time of musical worship and silence concluding at 8:30pm. All are welcome.

APPEAL



"Are you an **audio visual expert with experience of live streaming**? If so, your expertise would be greatly appreciated for a project currently underway across the parishes of the Woking Deanery. Please contact Mary Keaney by email to marykeaney100@hotmail.com for more information.



LENTEN SMALL GROUPS; We're pleased to offer 'small groups' to help us to prepare for Easter. The premise is simple, but effective: We'll spend some time reading and discussing the upcoming Sunday's readings – it's amazing how much richness it brings when you then hear the readings in Mass on Sunday.

We'll be using materials provided by the St Beuno's Jesuit Community in Wrexham. If you would like to take a look, they can be found at this link: <https://stbeunosoutreach.wordpress.com/prego/>

There are three small groups opportunities;

- **Tuesdays** at 7:30pm on Zoom – starting on 4 March
- **Weds** at 1:15pm in the Parish Room at Our Lady Queen of Heaven , Frimley – starting on 5 March
- **Fridays** at Lindsay Williams' home at 7:30pm – starting on 7 March

Please advise Lindsay Williams or the Parish offices **by Sunday 2 March** if you would like to join a group

- C&B Parish Office: CamberleyandBagshot@abdiocese.org.uk Tel: 01276 473525
- Frimley Parish Office: frimley@abdiocese.org.uk Tel: 01276 504876
- Lindsay Williams: lindsay.williams.uk@gmail.com



Pancake Sunday on 2nd March at 3.00pm-4.30pm. at St. Tarcisius Hall. £3.50 per adult and £2.50 per child. Please come and join Father Paul to have a pancake or two with your family and friends and have a cup of coffee or tea while you catch up with other parish friends and family in a relaxed atmosphere. Our

First Holy Communion Families will be there who would love to meet up with the parish community Please email camberleyandbagshot@abdiocese.org.uk to let us know how many are coming with you to help us with our catering preparation. We are looking forward to seeing you there!



Celebrate Festival: Witness to Hope, 16-20 August, Worth School, RH10 6SB (Cost: from £100/adult). A relaxed, faith-filled Catholic festival for all the family, with inspirational speakers; Masses and worship; prayer. fun and fellowship. www.celebratetrust.org/festival for find out more and book. If you are

interest in attending with your family please let Fr Paul know.

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St Tarcisius Church 227 London Road Camberley GU15 3EY
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