

# Sacred Heart, Berkhamsted & Corpus Christi, Tring

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 28<sup>th</sup> August 2022 – Year C



SACRED HEART,  
BERKHAMSTED &  
CORPUS CHRISTI, TRING

The readings for this Sunday speak of humility, and help us think about the order of things in the kingdom of God.

The **First Reading** advises us to be gentle, humble and attentive, warning against pride. God is the source of whatever strength and goodness we have. By behaving humbly we will find the Lord's favour, which is all that finally matters.

This theme is echoed in the **Gospel**, where Jesus teaches us how to live according to his vision of a good society. Everyone is invited and welcomed equally, for we share a common humanity. By caring for and putting others first, 'repayment will be made to you when the virtuous rise again'.

The **Psalmist** sings of God's care for those on the margins, rejoicing at God's generosity to his people, bringing them new life.

The author of the **Second Reading** urges the Hebrews, and us, to remain faithful. Jesus, as mediator, has instituted a new covenant for his followers, and we can each celebrate our identity as a child of God and 'citizen of heaven'. There is no need to be afraid: we are not alone but part of God's family.

Let's rejoice, and like the psalmist, sing our praises to the Lord for his generosity. May we be attentive and gentle in all we say and do this week, always responding to God's call.

We continue to pray for the peace of the world, and for all who suffer.



## Mass Intentions:

Sat 27 Aug	Sacred Heart	10:00am	<b><u>NO MASS</u></b>
Sat 27 Aug	Corpus Christi	5.00pm	To be announced at Mass
Sat 27 Aug	Sacred Heart	6.30pm	Ignacy Krajewski RIP
Sun 28 Aug	Corpus Christi	9:00am	Betty Laweor RIP
Sun 28 Aug	Sacred Heart*	10:45am	People of the Parish
Mon 29 Aug	Corpus Christi	12 Noon	Susan Hobson RIP
Tue 30 Aug	Sacred Heart	10:00am	Marie Browne RIP
Wed 31 Aug	Corpus Christi	10:00am	To be announced at Mass
Fri 2 Sep	Sacred Heart	12 Noon	<b><u>NO MASS</u></b>
Sat 3 Sep	Sacred Heart	10:00am	<b><u>NO MASS</u></b>
Sat 3 Sep	Corpus Christi	5.00pm	Fr Sean Thornton Int
Sat 3 Sep	Sacred Heart	6.30pm	Fr Joseph Okoro Int

\* Livestream Mass

^ Public Mass

+ Note Mass Time change

## We Pray for:

### **The Sick and the Housebound in our parishes –**

We pray especially for: Andrew Reilly, Liz Salmon, Elizabeth Le Juge de Segrais, Winifred Winstone, Zachery Keehn, Lucy Chapman, Hilary Sweetman, Ann Johnstone, Michael Earls, Oliver Perrin, Fenella Stoner, Phil Kinsella, Sally Taylor, Chris Taylor, John Bromley, John O'Neill, Peter McCabe, Mary Murphy, Daniel Colbourne, Eve Clark, Jacqueline Kinsey, Serena O'Donnell, Jean Bolton, Robbie McClement, Douglas Twenefour, Colleen Reynolds, Valerie Haworth, Jane Hillier. We commend them to God.

### **The Recently Deceased & Anniversaries—**

We pray for those who have recently died including: Susan Hobson, Marie Browne, Maurice Cooper, Maura Duffy, John Slingo, Alison Page, Betty Laweor, Ignacy Krajewski, Jeremy Blood, Breda McArdle, John Curley, Margaret Cunningham, Martin Murphy, Bridget Nash, Catherine O'Rourke, Katherine Stuart, Simon Mostyn, Breda McArdle, Anthony Stevens, Alan Shanahan, John Joe Marum, Noreen Marum, Liz Johnstone, Canon Philip Cross, Sean Duggan, Maisie Burke, Eamon McGovern, Marie Swarbrick, Patrick Oliver Tierney, Fr Antony Thomas Brunning Judy Rock, and those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

### **Sacred Heart Church**

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### Car Park Private Hire

Sacred Heart have agreed to hire the carpark to a production company that are doing some filming in Berkhamsted.

We will ensure that parishioners have access to the carpark during mass times and a security guard will be onsite 24/7 to enable this.

Please can we therefore ask that alternative parking arrangements are made outside of mass times, between 1<sup>st</sup> September – 17<sup>th</sup> September and 2<sup>nd</sup> October – 5<sup>th</sup> November.

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation and our apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

If you wish to discuss in more detail, please speak to Laura.

### Sacred Heart Mass Times from 12<sup>th</sup> September

**Monday** - 10:00am

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**Wednesday** - No Mass

**Thursday** - 12:00 Noon

**Friday** - 10:00am

**Saturday** - 9:00am – Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (and confession alongside) with Benediction at 9:45am

**Saturday** – 10:00am (Mass)

**Saturday** – 6:30pm

**Sunday** - 10:45am

### Sunday Lunch – Sacred Heart

On the 6<sup>th</sup> November we will be back running our very popular bi-monthly Sunday lunch club. This will usually take place on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of every other month.

If you would like to join us, please add your name to the sign up sheet at the back of the church.

### Macmillan Coffee Morning

Rachel Franc and Jenny Holden will be holding their annual coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer at Rachel's house on Friday 2 September, 10am-12pm.

All parishioners and friends are welcome to come along. They would very much welcome donations of cakes, plants or fresh produce from your garden.

Details are on the poster in the porch.

### MARY'S MEALS

Thank you to everyone who supported us with fundraising for Mary's Meals on the weekend of 9th July, we raised a total of £550. This provides over 3500 meals for children! The funds really do go a long way. There is information about Mary's Meals at the back of the church. Our next drop-in soup event at Open Door will be on 24th September.

### Request for more Bidding Prayers Writers - Particularly from Corpus Christi

This is a shout out for any budding writers who would like to contribute to the bidding prayers. We have a smallish group and would love to expand. Full 'training' will be given. Please contact Edward Murray

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### Parishes Safeguarding Representatives (PSRs)–

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### Church Offerings at this time—might you consider a Standing Order?

If you are a weekly envelope or plate giver would you please consider setting up a standing order?

Our bank details are as follows. Please do include your name as your reference. Thank you for your continued generosity and support to our parishes, it is greatly appreciated.

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### Mass Intentions

If you would like to book a Mass intention please call the parish office or email Laura. The Diocesan suggested offering is £10. Thank you.

### Parishes Celebrations / Dates for your Diaries -

There is a lot happening within our parishes over the coming weeks:

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sep** Macmillan Coffee Morning
- 17<sup>th</sup> Sep** Justice & Peace Group Tringo Evening.
- 24<sup>th</sup> Sep** Mary's Meals drop-in soup event, Open Door
- 6<sup>th</sup> Nov** Sunday Lunch Club
- 8<sup>th</sup> Jan** Sunday Lunch Club
- 5<sup>th</sup> Mar** Sunday Lunch Club
- 7<sup>th</sup> May** Sunday Lunch Club

### Upcoming Masses – Sacred Heart & Corpus Christi

- 27/8 – 5:00pm** Corpus Christi (Fr. Benedict)
- 27/8 – 6:30pm** Sacred Heart (Fr. Benedict)
- 28/8 – 9:00am** Corpus Christi (Fr. Benedict)
- 28/8 – 10:45am** Sacred Heart (Fr. Benedict)
- 29/8 – 12:00pm** Corpus Christi (Fr. Sean)
- 30/8 – 10:00am** Sacred Heart (Fr. Sean)
- 31/8 – 10:00am** Corpus Christi (Fr. Sean)
- 3/9 – 5:00pm** Corpus Christi (Fr. Benedict)
- 3/9 – 6:30pm** Sacred Heart (Fr. Benedict)
- 4/9 – 9:00am** Corpus Christi (Fr. Benedict)
- 4/9 – 10:45am** Sacred Heart (Fr. Benedict)

\*\* All other masses cancelled, unless mentioned above.

### Fire Wardens – Sacred Heart & Corpus Christi

We are **URGENTLY** looking for volunteer fire wardens to cover both Berkhamsted and Tring. If this is something you would like to assist us with, please contact Laura or Patrick McLoone.