

# THE MESSENGER

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## Sunday 13th June 2021

### ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B, Psalter Week III

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before all weekday Masses*

Sun 13th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Luciano Limbo RIP
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: Elena Sesdoyro RIP
Mon 14th	12 noon	SB	Mass: Int. Canon Cornelius Reidy
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: N.J. Thomas RIP
Tues 15th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Mary Johnson RIP
Wed 16th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Prince Philip RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. Jean 'B'
Thur 17th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Dec Mbrs Fitzpatrick Family
Fri 18th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Audrey Campbell 90th birthday
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. Betty Lawlor
Sat 19th	<b>Our Lady</b>		
	9.30am	SB	Mass: Mike Took RIP

### TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B, Psalter Week IV

Sun 20th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: Dec Members of the Parish
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: Maria Jose Silveirinha RIP
Mon 21st	<b>St Aloysius Gonzaga</b> , Religious, <i>memorial</i>		
	12 noon	SB	Mass: Caterina Mannino Francesco Giunta RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. David Chang
Tues 22nd	<b>Ss JOHN FISHER, Bishop &amp; THOMAS MORE</b> , <i>feast</i>		
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: In thanksgiving Gibson Family
Wed 23rd	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Joseph Rufino Cordeiro RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Int. family, friends, carers of the late Mike Took RIP
Thur 24th	<b>THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST</b> , <i>solemnity</i>		
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Terry, Breda Reilly RIP
Fri 25th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Newly Baptised in the Parish
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Kathleen & Stephen Synnott RIP
Sat 26th	<b>Our Lady</b>		
	9.30am	SB	Mass: Int. Louise Trower

### THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B, Psalter Week I

Sun 27th June	9.00 am	SB	Mass: Ursula De Sousa RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Int. Lampard Family
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: People of the Parish

## NEW PARISHIONERS

A very warm welcome to parishioners who have joined us for Mass or moved to the area. To register as a member of our parish, please complete the new parishioner form on our website.

## ATTENDING MASS

- \* Please wear a face mask at all times
- \* Apply hand sanitizer when entering and leaving the church
- \* The number of parishioners at each Mass will be limited and the maximum stated when you book tickets
- \* QR Codes are displayed for you to scan using your mobile for Track and Trace.

## BOOKING TO ATTEND SUNDAY MASS

To book tickets to attend Sunday Mass please go to our website <https://www.stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk> where links will be published each week.

## LET'S DO AFTERNOON TEA

Join Deacon Tony, Pam and other parishioners via Zoom for afternoon tea with chat, a quiz and prayer time from 3.00 pm until 4.30 pm on Sunday 13th June and 20th June. To receive Zoom meeting details please send an email to [stbedesocial@gmail.com](mailto:stbedesocial@gmail.com).

## POPE FRANCIS JUNE PRAYER INTENTION

The Beauty of Marriage - Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

## A REMINDER ABOUT VOTIVE CANDLES

Please do not group votive candles too closely together in the votive candle stands. If too many are too close they can cause a conflagration. Thank you.

## FOOD BANK DONATIONS

Thank you to staff, parents and the parish for all your Food Bank contributions. The total for the last 6 weeks was 50.32kg! The latest shopping list will soon be available.

## FANNING THE FLAME SUMMER CAMP

This year's Fanning the Flame summer camp will be at Kintbury from 16th-20th August. The theme this year will be HEROES FOR GOD. Further details can be found at <https://www.fanningtheflame.co.uk/> where you will also find booking forms and all you need to know about what is involved. Places are limited to 60 this year so book in ASAP.

## VOCATIONS

"The kingdom of God is like a mustard seed." Has Christ sown the seed of your vocation within you? Might it be to grow in holiness as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Contact Fr. John Cooke on 01329 318 869 or email [vocations@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:vocations@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

## PARISH OFFICE

Please note that the parish office will be closed from Monday 14th June and will reopen on Monday 21st June.

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Jesus' second parable expresses a related truth about the kingdom. This time Jesus draws imagery from the prophet Ezekiel, who spoke of God's kingdom becoming like a mighty cedar towering above all others, offering protection and security to all peoples, represented by the birds of every kind which can rest in its shade. Jesus uses the example of the mustard seed to respond to those who question His vision of the future greatness of the kingdom He is ushering in. Although the kingdom has only small beginnings - rooted in the life and ministry of one man, Jesus - just like the mustard seed, it has the potential of greatness within it and can become the biggest of all shrubs, able to offer welcome to all.

## YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST

Last Sunday, on Corpus Christi, Bishop Philip inaugurated for our Diocese a Year of the Eucharist. It will run until Christmas 2022 and be supported by our current focus on St. Joseph. To listen to Bishop Philip read his Pastoral Letter and hear how we might keep a Year of the Eucharist go to our website.



## THANK YOU FROM CAFOD



Thanks to your support, CAFOD has been helping communities around the world cope with the pandemic. Just in Zambia, in the past year, our reports show we've been able to reach 1,234,200 people with messages on COVID-19, provide 13,312 people with access to safe water, train 392 frontline health workers from Zambia's 11 dioceses on how to prepare and respond to COVID-19 in their local communities and donate over 1000 handwashing hygiene stations in communities to support handwashing measures. Thank you for standing alongside people in Zambia and for supporting people in more than 30 other countries worldwide.

## BAPTISM

Congratulations and welcome to Khloe and Kaia Lagamon, Oliver Newman-Webb and Bianca King, who were baptised recently. We also welcome Tinashe Nyamagodo who will be baptised on Sunday 26th June.

## FUNERAL

Requiem Mass for Mike Took RIP on Thursday 1st July at 11 am in St. Bede's Church, we remember Mike and his family at this sad time. May he rest in peace.



## PARISH COLLECTION

Collection for week ending 6th June amounted to £1,976.49. Thank you for your support and generosity to the parish.

## PARISH DONATIONS

The easiest way to make a donation to the parish is via Standing Order, forms are available on our website or you can make your donation online at [Donate to St Bede's Church](#) | [Give as you Live Donate](#) Thank you.