

ST ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Parish Team

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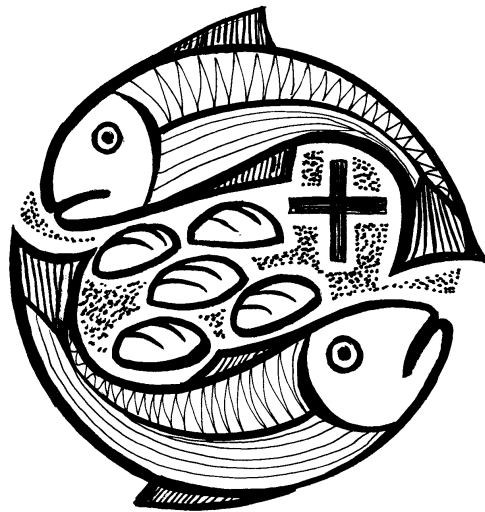
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A Warm Welcome to all Parishioners and Visitors

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sundays: Cycle B Weekdays: Year I 1st August 2021



Why do we go to work? To earn money so that we can buy food, pay our bills, and live. Jesus says today in the gospel: 'Do not work for food that cannot last, but work for food that endures to eternal life.' These words can seem difficult for us to take in as we don't normally think of 'spiritual food', because for many it is hard enough thinking of our spiritual lives. The way I got around this is to see that EVERYTHING, EVERYTHING THAT EXISTS COMES FROM GOD, so I just remember to say a quick 'thank-you' prayer for as many things as I can remember throughout the day.

God bless you all,

Father John

MASS INFORMATION

The Bishops Conference of England and Wales have issued new guidelines please see our website for the key mitigations.
www.stannsbanstead.com

From Our Bishop Richard:

It is most important that we exercise great caution in the implementation of this Step 4 Guidance. The wearing of face coverings is a protection for others, I urge most strongly that face coverings continue to be worn during celebrations, in accord with the now well-established practice.

People may wish to make use of lateral flow tests before they attend Mass, and this is especially recommended for such occasions as marriages when people are travelling from other areas.

You will no longer need to book for Mass, but we ask everyone to use the QR code as they enter the Church if you can, and always sanitise your hands. Stewards will still be needed to clean touch points after Mass and the Church will be cleaned thoroughly weekly.

Some of the benches will still be sectioned off to allow for social distancing, as some parishioners will still feel cautious. Please be respectful of each other.

A Link for our YouTube Channel to stream Mass is on the Homepage of our Website
www.stannsbanstead.com

ON OUR WEBSITE

Children's homily, and this Sunday's missalette will be available on our website
www.stannsbanstead.com

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE WEEKEND

October 8th – 10th, Sion Community, Brentwood, Essex. For those who find themselves single again following divorce, separation, or bereavement. Beginning Experience is a weekend programme to help you move from the darkness of your grief into the light of a new beginning. More details at
besouthofengland@gmail.com .



Could you volunteer for CAFOD?

Do you enjoy working with children and young people?

Could you help to inspire and empower children and young people in our Catholic schools in your local area to bring alive their sense of global justice? Could you deliver an assembly or workshops to young people about our work and encourage our young people to fundraise, take action and pray with CAFOD?

CAFOD will fully support you with training and resources. We need your help!

Please contact Jenny at

arundelandbrighton@cafod.org.uk or call 07710 094448 for more information.

NEW COLOUR AND SHAPE WEBSITE RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES.

Colour and Shape brand-new website.

Head over to

www.colourandshapeonline.com to check out the resources reflecting on the Sunday Gospel each week, plus links to Spotify playlists, ideas on how to pray together as a family, and information on how to join the online community supporting families.

VOLUNTEERS



We are looking for some extra volunteers to help with cleaning of our Church on **Friday mornings**. If you can spare an hour every 4-6 weeks, please contact the parish office banstead@abdiocese.org.uk or call 01737 353724

BEREAVEMENT GROUP

If you have been bereaved during this year, especially due to Covid 19, and you would like to talk to someone, please contact Allan Norman on 01737 357007 or Paula Thomas on 07710 099682.

ANNIVERSARIES MASS

Taking place at St Joseph's Guildford, on Saturday 9th October, at 11.30 am, with Bishop Richard. For couples and their families celebrating a landmark or significant anniversary. Numbers limited to 150. Parking off site. You can sign up by clicking [here](#). Or contact Katherine Bergin, Marriage & Family Life Adviser at katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk

FIGHTING MODERN SLAVERY

The latest edition of the diocesan newsletter is attached. Parish modern slavery awareness ambassadors are still needed. Information on the role is contained in the newsletter or contact tessa.ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



Adoration of the blessed sacrament will now be Wednesday's and Thursday's straight after 9.30am Mass, **10am to 12pm.**

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you.

Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH WHO ARE SICK

Andrea Wright	Doreen Oldroyd
Marie Grumitt	Maureen Reilly
Bob Graham	Eileen Graham
Indira Louis	Ashlee Rodgers
Christian Requena	Gillian Doherty
Wendy Counsell	Joshua Anderson
Damian Poole	Guilherme Guedes
Michael Monaco	Allan Norman
Helen Guinness	Edmund Louis
Helen Kershaw	Michael Ashman
Jane Scargill	Jake Brauer
Jonathan Lewis	Susan Smith
Cyrus Pascoe	Peter Baikie
David Ibbs	Arthur Harding
Amy Grey	Stephen Martin
Barbara Pearl	Sean Gilligan
Angela MacDonald	Spencer Thorpe
Gillian Wooldridge	Freda Griffiths
Catherine Roberts	James Joseph

BURGH WOOD MONTESSORI NURSERY SCHOOL

Many of you will be aware that under the current principle, our Church Hall has for the last 5 years been leased to Burgh Wood Montessori nursery school. The lease expires in October this year and is not being renewed for a further period. We have been informed the nursery School has purchased their own property in Brighton Road. This is currently being refurbished with an expectation of being operational from January 2022.

The nursery will cease to use our Hall from December this year after which it will be more readily available for Parish related activities and events.

STANDING ORDERS

If you would like to set up a standing order for your weekly offertory collection, please see our bank details below.

RCD A&B St Ann Banstead

Account details: Sort code 40 05 20

Account number 61076256.

Please Use your surname and initials as a reference and then the letters OC, e.g.,
Smith T OC

Mass Intentions			
Saturday Vigil	31 Jul	6.00pm	David Loader RIP
Sunday	1 Aug	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	Oliver Sheils RIP
Monday	2 Aug	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	3 Aug	6.00pm	David Loader RIP
Wednesday	4 Aug	9.30am	Pat Browning Wellbeing
		10am to 12 Noon	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday	5 Aug	9.30am	Marit Paterson 100 th Birthday
		10am to 12 Noon	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday	6 Aug	12 Noon	Bridgit Gannon RIP
Saturday Vigil	7 Aug	6.00pm	Holy Souls
Sunday	8 Aug	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	John Griffiths RIP

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday 10.00am to 11.00am or at call



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Newsletter Items to reach the parish office by 12 noon Wednesday.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 9am to 3pm, Wednesday 10am to 2pm, Friday 9am to 3pm.