




# Corpus Christi Catholic Church

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HALF TERM FORTNIGHT EDITION			THIRTIETH & THIRTY FIRST SUNDAYS IN ORDINARY TIME		
SATURDAY	23RD	10:00	The BVM	Feast	Shirley Brennan RIP
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>23RD</b>	<b>18:00</b>	<b>Thirtieth Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Recovery of Sameer Polus
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>24TH</b>	<b>08:30</b>	<b>Thirtieth Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Guidance and Protection
	<b>24TH</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>Thirtieth Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	PRO POPULO
	<b>24TH</b>	<b>12:00</b>	<b>Thirtieth Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Cornelio Buquel RIP
MONDAY	25TH	10:00		Feria	Thanksgiving
TUESDAY	26TH	10:00	St Chad and Cedd		Soul of Gnawoua Simone RIP
WEDNESDAY	27TH	10:00		Feria	Mrs Theresa Eluwa
THURSDAY	28TH	10:00	St Simon and Jude	Feast	Canon Richard Hearn RIP
FRIDAY	29TH	10:00		Feria	Recovery of Claudio Lo Sterzo
SATURDAY	30TH	10:00	The BVM	Memorial	Guidance and Protection
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>30TH</b>	<b>18:00</b>	<b>Thirty-First Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Peter Ridgeway RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>31ST</b>	<b>08:30</b>	<b>Thirty-First Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Bolu Makinde RIP
	<b>31ST</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>Thirty-First Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	PRO POPULO
	<b>31ST</b>	<b>12:00</b>	<b>Thirty-First Sunday</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Recto Taguinod RIP
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>1ST</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>All Saints' Day</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Mai, John & Michael Howley RIP
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>19:00</b>	<b>All Saints' Day</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	<b>***Evening Mass***</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>2ND</b>	<b>10:00</b>	<b>All Souls' Day</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	Maria Fanny Crawford
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>19:00</b>	<b>All Souls' Day</b>	<b>Solemnity</b>	<b>***Evening Mass***</b>
WEDNESDAY	3RD	10:00	St Martin de Porres		Manuel dos Santos
THURSDAY	4TH	10:00	St Charles Borromeo	Memorial	For Theresa
FRIDAY	5TH	10:00		Feria	In honour of Jesus the Redeemer
SATURDAY	6TH	10:00	The BVM	Feast	Derek Turner RIP

**CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY: 5PM - 5:40PM [HALL]**

**OUR CHURCH IS OPEN DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS**



We pray for all who have died recently including Pat McBrien. As the half-term break begins we give thanks for all our teachers and support staff at our Catholic Schools. We remember in particular all of those for whom the beginning of term has involved struggle and who are in real need of a break. We pray for all families that this time of half-term may be an opportunity for leisure and happiness. May we give thanks for the times we are privileged to enjoy and always spare a prayer for those for whom half-term is difficult in whatever way.

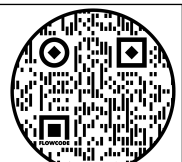
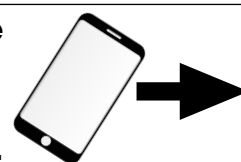
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## PARISH NEWS

**THE SYNOD 2023:** The Parish Consultation phase of the Synod - which you can learn more about [HERE](#) - is an opportunity for our parish to reflect upon communion, participation and mission. Our reflections will be communicated to the Archbishop by our two parish delegates (Katie Donkor and Edward Parry). There will be two opportunities for us to gather: firstly, an in-person meeting on **Saturday 13th November from 10:30 for 11:00 until 12:30pm** in the Church Hall. We will also meet via Zoom on **Monday 15th November at 7pm**. [ONLINE SUBMISSIONS](#) can be made if you are unable to attend and we will be distributing paper forms for the not-so-IT-savvy. More info to follow...

**ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS:** On Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd November we celebrate two of the most important liturgies of the Church's year: All Saints' and All Souls' Days respectively. The former is ordinarily a Holy Day of obligation and the latter the occasion on which Mass is offered for all deceased parishioners. In light of this **we will have an evening Mass on both days at 7pm.**

**NOVEMBER BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE:** During the month of November we will display a book in the Church within which will be written the names of those who are no longer with us whom you would like us to remember. Please submit the names you would like recorded in our book by Monday 1st November: you can do this by completing the online form by clicking [HERE](#).

**SUNDAY EVENING MASS AT 6PM:** It is encouraging to see so many of you return to the practice of your faith after such a challenging eighteen months. In light of this we shall re-introduce our Sunday evening Mass **from Sunday 7th November** and we pray that it will be an opportunity for more to get back into the habit of Sunday worship in anticipation of the Sunday obligation returning soon.

**YOUTH GROUP RESUMES ON SUNDAY 7TH NOVEMBER:** We welcomed **30 children** last Sunday at our youth group and it was a great success! **We meet from 4pm to 5:45pm.** I believe our children can grow in their understanding and practice of the faith by being given reasons to believe (input), Q&A, food, fun and prayer: this is youth group. It's only possible with volunteers: thank you to all! **Please encourage your child to come (I've made a video for them to watch - click [HERE](#)).** \*NB\* All must register using [THIS FORM](#).

**PRAYER SERVICE FOR COP26 GLOBAL SUMMIT ON CLIMATE CHANGE:** Thanks to all who prepared for and took part in our service last Wednesday evening which was such a great success!

**PRIMARY SCHOOL PRIEST'S REFERENCE FORMS:** **All parents applying to Catholic Primary Schools** for their children must fill in [this form](#) from our website. It contains all the info you need!

**MASS INTENTIONS:** The Mass is the most powerful prayer on earth since it is prayed by Jesus Himself as He offers Himself up on our behalf to the Father. Each Mass is traditionally offered by the priest for a particular intention and - you will notice from this Newsletter - that intentions are recorded in print. They are also announced at the start of each Mass. It is possible to arrange for a Mass to be said for a particular intention (**especially during the forthcoming month of November for someone who has died**). To do this you can take an envelope from the Church porch in which it is customary to place a donation which forms a significant part of a priest's annual income. Mass cards can be purchased from the parish office which you can send to relatives who are in mourning.