

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES
OF MOLESEY & HERSHAM
St Barnabas Vine Road Molesey
All Saints Queens Road Hersham

16 JULY 2023

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

*As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.*

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Confessions: *By appointment and before and after the
Saturday Masses at Molesey & Hersham*

WELCOME TO MASS Readings and
prayers are found in the Parish Missals for The
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Dear Parishioners, dear friends,

I always enjoy celebrating the Feast of St
Camillus de Lellis on the 14 July. Whilst France
is in the spirit of its Fete National the universal
Church honours this Roman saint and
remembers his story. Locally we remember
dear Fr Con Foley whose name day this is.

Camillus never tired of work amongst the sick
and founded his community with this charism
in mind. Even towards the end of his life, when
he had given up authority and responsibility, he
still worked tirelessly for the sick. The stories of
the sick, especially those for whom we regularly
pray and whose personalities and situations are
invested deeply in our consciousness, are very
important to us all.

If you find yourself in Rome, make your way to
the Pantheon and its piazza and walk away
from it; pass the expensive bars of that
beautiful square towards the via Magdalena.
There you will find a modest restaurant serving
all sorts of unspeakable bits of assorted birds
with polenta and, seasonally, tartufo bianchi
(white truffles). The road takes its name from
the church of the Magdalene which is quite

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beautiful.

Before lunch make a visit to this little gem of a
basilica and, after praying before the Blessed
Sacrament, find your way into the little chapel
of the crucifixion. The crucifix here would have
been known by Camillus during the later part
of the sixteenth century, although it is much
earlier. Camillus had a mystical experience
praying there, a sort of inspiration for his
particular work. The Corpus seemed to
embrace him as he prayed and called him to
work amongst the sick. As we gaze upon Christ
the Healer we often find ourselves asking (in
our own way, of course) that He might come
down from His cross and heal our loved one,
our friend, the little one we have seen on the
telly, ourselves. We find ourselves asking the
deepest questions of the purpose of suffering
and grappling with it's often harsh lessons.

When my own dear mother was so sick a priest
friend in Rome would visit this church and this
crucifix everyday, to pray for her. I shall never
forget this act of love and kindness. May our
own heartfelt prayers be heard and, more
importantly, may we find the confidence of
knowing that the Lord is with us and close to
us and embracing us all in His love.

With my prayers and affectionate good wishes
Fr Richard

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Holy Ones of Encouragement

For regular updates, news and devotions

Access the page by going to

www.stbarnabasmolesey.org

and click on the Facebook icon.

You do not have to join Facebook to see this.

THE LIVE STREAM

AT MOLESEY: All Live streamed
Monday at 9.30am, Tuesday at 9.30am,
Thursday at 9.30am, Sunday 11am & 6pm.

AT HERSHAM: All live streamed
Wednesday 11am (*Requiem Mass*), Friday
9.30am, Saturday (*Vigil Mass*) at 5.30pm &
Sunday at 9am.

*To access the live stream Molesey & Hersham go to
www.stbarnabasmolesey.org and click on the picture
of the appropriate church.*

AN HOUR OF PRAYER FOR PEACE WITH EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ALL SAINTS, HERSHAM Friday 10am-11am

**BOTH CHURCHES ARE OPEN FOR
PRIVATE PRAYER FROM 9am to dusk**

PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;
Body of Christ, save me;
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;
Water from the side of Christ, wash me;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
O good Jesus hear me;
Within your wounds hide me;
Suffer me not to be separated from you,
From the evil one protect me;
At the hour of my death, call me;
And bid me come to thee; That with thy
saints I may be praise thee
For all eternity. Amen.

Act of Spiritual Communion

*This prayer is said when it is not possible for us to
receive Holy Communion. If you are watching a live*

*stream Mass, you might like to say the prayer as
the priest receives Holy Communion.*

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in
the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to
receive You in my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You
sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You and unite myself wholly to
You. Never permit me to be separated from
You. Amen

For those who are suffering

O God, who willed that our infirmities be
borne by your Only Begotten Son to show
the value of human suffering, listen in
kindness to our prayers for our brothers
and sisters who are sick; grant that all who
are oppressed by pain, distress or other
afflictions may know that they are chosen
among those proclaimed blessed and are
united to Christ in his suffering for the
salvation of the world. Through Christ Our
Lord. Amen

Merciful God, come to the help of your
people. Be our shelter in this time of peril
and strengthen the bonds of our
community. Bring healing to all who suffer
the ravages of disease and assist those
whose skill and art can put an end to this
affliction. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

LET US PRAY FOR: *For those who are sick
in our parishes:* Maureen & Bill Dodds, Carol,
Rosa Saccente, Peter Kissinger, Sonia
Chenery, Antony Leonard, David Morgan,
John O'Reilly, Kevin O'Connor, Eptisam
Yusef, Peter Weeks, Patrick Russell, Ann
Griffin, Andy Hanges, Patricia Malcolm,
Rose Collins, Maureen Lloyd, Ann
Livingston, Dina Yates, Richard D'Alton,
the Superville and McComb family, Mark.

*Please advise the parish offices of those names and
intentions you would like added to our list for our
prayers.*

Those who have died:

David Nigel, Giuseppe Grizzanti, Julian

Varadi, Manuel Campello Barro, Danny Boyle, Nicoletta Lanzisera, Tim Haines, Nora Tierney, Elizabeth (Lizzie) Obi, Paul O'Brien, Therese Ayres, Judith Carratu, Antonia Pacitti, Patricia Clarke, Mike Robinson, Marianna, Viscountess Monckton, Clara de Souza, Arthur Mohan, Michael O'Reilly, Barbara Carter, Mary O'Riordan, Eileen Firth, Bob Baillie, Pat Gamba, Sheila Day, Matthew Slingo, Theresa Sant, Elisa Sciales, Jossie Jackson, Christina Ward, Brian Binnington, Anthony Wright, Ann Daly, Roy Fields, Jean Sciales, Trevor Davies, Antony Wright, Edna McLaughlin, Fr Desmond Baker, Fr Dominic Byrne, Ann Daly, Tina Cruz Riquet, Eddie Murphy, Wally Grey, Cathy Stayne, Lucian Farcasi, Geoffrey Hayes, Wally Grey, Tim Lamb, Nick Harvey, Tim Hipperson, Geoffrey Maud, Esther Inskipp, Fr Kevin Alban, Julie Benton-MacLeod, Jose Odackal Joseph, Ben Adderley, Eileen Creed, Sandrine Atkins, Charles Alexander, Nellie Widdup, Bette Reed, Bobbettie McColl, Beatrice Hammond, Desmond Alphonso, Dennis Lackey, Gilly Becker, Mgr Barry Wymes, Fr Richard Lear CJ, Sue Bolton, Patrick Duggan, Kathleen Bell, Peggy Fitzgerald, Edward Quigley, Carl Zalman, Carmen Szkwirko, Harry O'Sullivan, William Ritchie, Teresa Redmond, Rosanna Hilling, Helena Wallis, John Knowles, Kathleen Kelly (Lambert), Gerry Firth, Glen Adderley, Salvator Messini, Rui Da Silva, Maria Camara.

Those who anniversaries fall this week:

Fr John Gillespie, Fr Richard Garnett, Fr Thomas Lane, Canon Peter Freed, Fr Peter Edwards.

An On Line Link for Mass Prayers

The readings from daily Mass:

<http://universalis.com/mass.h>

THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC? We have two groups running in our parishes at All Saints and St Barnabas. Please contact Fr Richard or Yvonne Foster through the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS are gladly received. Please fill out a Mass Intention envelope (available from the back of the church). Hersham Masses can be organised in the sacristy after Mass there and Molesey through the parish office. *When requesting a Mass Intention, please indicate whether the Mass is for the deceased, the sick or another reason.*

NEW PARISHIONER? Welcome to All Saints, Hersham & St Barnabas, Molesey! Please make yourself known to Fr Richard, or the Parish office. Registration forms are available from the back of the church. If you would like a visit from Fr Richard, please contact him. Please feel free to call by the presbytery to simply say hello.

ARE YOU DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING? Would you like to attend the monthly diocesan Mass signed in BSL, with specific Liturgical Mass Signs for the Mass? If you would like further information about our Signed Mass or the diocesan Deaf Group, please text or email the diocesan Inclusion Adviser Margaret Fraher; Mobile: 07508-459-315 or Email: margaret.fraher@abdiocese.org.uk

WELCOMERS NEEDED AT ST BARNABAS The wonderful service of welcoming people in at Mass is a relatively easy and quite enjoyable way of contributing to the Parish life. We currently need help at the 11am & 6pm Mass. Full training and help will be given, please contact Anny through the parish email or phone the parish office or talk to her after mass on Sunday mornings.

SYNOD: 2021-2024

The Synod process has now been expanded with a new opportunity to reflect on a document summarising all of the world's submissions prior to the next phase. To access the document, FAQs and an online feedback form, please go to W: www.abdiocese.org.uk/synod For any questions, please email E: synod@abdiocese.org.uk

ST BARNABAS YOUTH CLUB FOR YEAR 3 & UPWARDS

New rules -

1. Children must be registered.
2. Cost £1 per session
3. Times 6pm to 7.30pm
4. Parents are **NOT** to come into the hall they must wait outside.

Registration: If your child would like to attend you must text Jean Casha 07960-654-813 with the following information – Name, surname, School Year, phone number, address and permission to add your number to the closed WhatsApp group. Term time only.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION NEEDED

Many people within our parish community are unable to attend Mass due to sickness or are housebound, and so they require Holy Communion to be taken to them at home. A team of Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion are needed for this to take place. If you can help with this ministry, please contact the parish office 02089418400. Diocesan DBS and safeguarding training is required, and training for this ministry will be provided.

FOODBANK DONATIONS AT HERE TO HELP -ELMBRIDGE

David Bone (a parishioner) has set up a Facebook site called Here to Help – Elmbridge. This initiative is to offer help to people in our local community who are in need in terms of food, gifts, clothes and furniture. **If you are in need or would like to help** or are able to offer your time to collect and deliver items, please contact David on **07714 683090** or via Facebook via the following link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/732010290666981/>

ALL SAINTS HERSHAM & ST BARNABAS MOLESEY FOOD BANK DONATIONS.

Items urgently required:

1. Long life sponge puddings
2. UHT Milk

3. Jam / Peanut butter / Marmite
4. Pasta sauce/ Pesto
5. Deodorant
6. Tinned rice pudding
7. Non-Bio washing pods
8. Razors / Shaving foam
9. Tinned or instant potatoes
10. Shampoo

NO FRESH FOOD, PLEASE.

Collection points:

1. At the back of All Saints and St. Barnabas churches.
2. The Food Bank Warehouse, Faulkners Road, Hershams - opposite Lilliput's Nursery. On Wednesday 10am-12.00 noon. OR PLEASE CONSIDER GIVING A FINANCIAL DONATION, which will be used to buy fresh fruit, vegetables and eggs on the day of the distribution of the food parcels. A financial donation can be made online at waltonhershams.foodbank.org.uk

BRONZE DUKE OF EDINBURGH

Want to try new things, make a difference and have exciting adventures? Then DofE Bronze is the award for you! If you have missed the opportunity at your School, we are happy for you to take a place! It is open to Year 9 students and above. For more information or to sign up please contact Jean Casha 07960 654 813 or email jean@cashaonline.de

A GAP YEAR OPPORTUNITY: Are you 18-30, or do you know someone who is? Do you want to develop a wide range of skills including leadership while learning about global justice and inspiring others to use their faith in action? CAFOD, the Catholic Agency for Overseas Development, believes in equipping and inspiring young adults to contribute to a more just and peaceful world. Step into the Gap is a fully funded year of volunteering, with food, accommodation, stipend and training within a UK placement plus a Rome and Assisi pilgrimage. Visit the CAFOD website for more information: cafod.org.uk/gapyear

VACANCY AT ST ALBAN'S SCHOOL

St Alban's School is looking for an enthusiastic and reliable Playworker to join their Breakfast and Afterschool club.

No experience needed, just a desire to work with children.

If you are interested in becoming a Playworker (Term time only) please contact the School office on 020 8979 5893 or email admin@stalbans.surrey.sch.uk

CAFOD

(CAFOD is The Catholic Agency for Overseas Development and is the official laid agency of the Catholic Church in England and Wales and part of Caritas International. CAFOD works with local partners in Africa, Asia, Latin America, The Caribbean and the Middle East - a total of 165 countries)_

How to contact CAFOD
www.cafod.org.uk or email
cafod@cafod.org.uk or telephone
0303 303 3030

Address: CAFOD Head Office,
Romero House, 55 Westminster
Bridge Road, LONDON, SE1 7JB
UK charity number 1160384
company limited by guarantee
number 09387398

Parish Representative (All Saints)
Marion DAWES -01932 231317

CAFOD URGENT APPEAL - Turkey – Syria Earthquake disaster

CAFOD is of the 15 UK charities that form The Disaster Emergency Committee (DEC). They have launched an emergency appeal to help the survivors of the earthquake in Turkey and Syria. The UK government has agreed to match the appeal pound for pound, up to £5 million, so any received donations will be doubled to this amount.

These charities are well aware of the financial constraints that all of us now have. In the past you have been **very generous** for which CAFOD and other charities thank you.

If you can donate, then please either go onto the CAFOD website
cafod.org.uk

or write a cheque and hand it to the office at St Barnabas or All Saints churches or post it to CAFOD Head Office, Romero House, 55 Westminster Bridge Road, London, SE1 7JB

Thank you for your prayers, your support and your generosity.

ORDER OF MALTA – APPEAL FOR UKRAINE

As the conflict in Ukraine continues, more and more lives are being lost, and homes, hospitals and schools destroyed. Road blockages mean people cannot reach food or medical care. Those fleeing their homes have few resources as they enter neighbouring countries as refugees.

Food, medicine, shelter, welcoming of refugees, care of the elderly and disabled who are not able to flee. This is the work the Order has carried out for centuries and is recognised in the surrounding regions as a trusted frontline provider.

These are the people who need our help now!

BASMOM through our Foreign Aid Service (FAS) is seeking donations towards the Order's frontline care in Ukraine and in the surrounding countries.

You can donate on the following and input BASMOM's charity number 1103567:
cafonline.org or you can send a cheque or Bank Transfer to

BASMOM FOREIGN AID Services
Sort code: 15-99-00. Account number:
03801990. The Foreign Aid Service
Craigmyle House, 13 Deodar Rd. SW15
2NP

BIBLE STUDY

How well do you know your scripture? Why not take up the invitation to study the Bible. All you need is a Bible, a notebook and pen. All are welcome!

When: Wednesday evenings, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Where: St Barnabas Parish Hall

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

Bookings are open for World Youth Day!
Journey to Lisbon with a group of 18-35

years olds from across the Diocese to meet with the Holy Father and celebrate our joyous faith with millions of others from across the world. 31 July to 7 August 2023. ContactE: lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk for more information.

HERSHAM DAY CENTRE PROGRAMME

Please pick up the latest activity programme. There are a range of activities every day in the Centre, and outings to Windsor and Worthing. Plus, some special events including an evening ballroom dance. There are some programmes at All Saints, Hershams or pop into the day centre between 9.30 and 4pm or telephone Amy 01932 246267.

RELAUNCH OF LOVE HERSHAM – An ecumenical project from Churches Together, Hershams. There are several people, who already work hard to help others in our community. They are usually silent, conscientious volunteers, so **FIRSTLY, THANK YOU** for all you do.

Love Hershams is to further build our community spirit. If you have an idea, or already involved in an activity that needs more support please contact Marion Dawes (01932 231317 marion.dawes@gmail.com).

CREATING A SAFER ENVIRONMENT TRAINING SESSIONS

Upcoming dates for our Creating a Safer Environment training sessions (all on Zoom). This training is aimed at PSR's, Group Leaders, and Coordinators of activities in Parishes, who also need to know the elements of our Creating a Safer Environment Policy. If you would like to sign up for one of the sessions please email Safeguarding@abdiocese.org.uk to register.

- Thursday 10th August 14:00-15:30
- Wednesday 16th August 19:00-20:30
- Wednesday 6th September 10:00-11:30
- Wednesday 11th October 10:00-11:30
- Thursday 26th October 14:00-15:30
- Tuesday 7th November 19:00-20:30

PARISH FINANCES

With the previous suspension of Sunday Masses and the lack of a Sunday collection, please consider the financial needs of the parishes. Whilst it might be possible to set aside your Sunday contribution why not think about a standing order to the parishes?

FOR HERSHAM

Account Name:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Arundel and Brighton. All Saints, Hershams.

Account Number 21077295

All Saints Hershams now has a contactless terminal so you can contribute to various church funds by using debit or credit cards. You can also contribute Online by going to this link:

<https://donate.myдона.com/all-saints-church-hershams>

FOR MOLESEY

Account Name:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Arundel and Brighton. St Barnabas, Molesey

Account Number 71077252

The Sort Code for both accounts is 40-05-20 Many parishioners already support the parishes by direct giving through their bank. You will understand that we need to support our parishes even though we may not be at church as regularly.

DIOCESAN RUN EVENTS

- **MENTAL HEALTH CHAMPIONS**

Our Parish communities should be places of comfort and solace for the troubled and weary, and in today's society, one of the great struggles people face is mental ill health. Would you like to support mental wellbeing in your Parish, ensuring that it

reaches out to those in need? Contact lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk to find out more about the upcoming Mental Health Champion training days.

**GIFT REALLY MAKES A
DIFFERENCE TO OUR PARISH**

Gift Aid is a UK Government initiative that allows tax relief on money donated to UK charities. Gift Aid increases the value of your donations and means that All Saints, Hersham and St Barnabas, Molesey can benefit even more at no extra cost to you! If you're a UK taxpayer, add Gift Aid whenever you make a donation and St Barnabas, Molesey and All Saints, Hersham can reclaim the basic rate of tax on your gift, currently 25p for every £1 you give. If you would like to become a Gift Aid donor please complete the Gift Aid declaration at the back of the church.

AND FINALLY, if you know of anybody in difficulty, or anybody who is not receiving news or anybody who is anxious, please, please contact the parish priest who will be only too pleased to do what he can. May the good Lord continue to bless us all.

Fr Richard Biggerstaff,

Parish Priest of All Saints Hersham with St Barnabas Molesey