

The Holy Family Church Spinney Oak, Ongar Hill, Addlestone KT15 1BP Parish Priest: Fr. Peter Pagac & Fr John Dickson Tel: 01932 848616 Email: <u>Parish.Priest@holy-family-parish.net</u> Secretary@holy-family-parish.net Website <u>www.holy-family-parish.net</u> Arundel and Brighton Diocesan Trust is a Registered Charity No.252878

1st August 2021 – Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Bishop's Letter to Parishioners:

31st July 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As you will have learned, Fr. Peter Pagac SDB has been given a new appointment by his own Regional Superior. I am very conscious of the wonderful welcome that he has received at Holy Family and of all that he achieved in a very short time. His departure will be a source of sadness for everyone, but I know that you will keep in in your prayers as he takes on new responsibilities in Battersea.

The Salesian Community in Chertsey has been most generous in confirming that they are ready and willing to continue serving Holy Family. I know you will understand that, with one priest less in the community, this will be on a somewhat reduced basis.

The community will be able to provide for a **Saturday Evening Mass at 6.00pm and a Sunday Morning Mass at 10.00,** beginning next week (7th/8th August). Any requests for marriages and funerals will be overseen from St. Anne's, Chertsey. It will not be possible for the community to provide for a weekday Mass.

In order to facilitate this, Chertsey parish will be making changes to their own Mass schedule, with the Saturday Evening Mass at Addlestone accommodating both communities and an adjustment to the Chertsey Mass times to facilitate the Sunday Morning Mass at Holy Family.

These arrangements will be reviewed in twelve months' time.

May I thank you for your understanding at this time. I know you will appreciate that, as with the Diocese, so the Salesian Province must also ensure the best possible provision for its parishes and communities. I know you will continue to work with Fr. John Dickson and the other members of the community in Chertsey. The collaboration across the two communities will, I am sure, bear much fruit. With every Blessing,



Parishioners would like to say thank you

to Father Peter for all his hard work over the last 3 ¹/₂ months, he has achieved so much during his short time with us. The parish centre will be open for tea and coffee after 11.00am Mass on Sunday 1st August for Fr. Peter, all are welcome to come and wish him well.

Volunteers required;

We are looking for Sacristans – to open the church and set up for Mass at 5.30pm Saturdays and replace after Mass and similarly For Sundays to open at 09.30am, set up for Mass and replace afterwards. Please email secretary@holy-family-parish.net

The church will be open at 09.15-10.15am on Wednesdays for the Rosary all welcome.

<u>Weekday Mass times at St Anne's</u> Chertsev:

Monday to Friday 09.30am.

Young people:

Do you play a musical instrument? Would you like to be part of a group providing music for the 10.00am Mass from September? If so, please meet in the church with your instrument at 6.00pm on Wednesday 4th August 2021 or contact Nicola Garty on 07708 659 408 or gartynicola@gmail.com

SVP News:

Addlestone SVP Conference continue to assist local families in need.

We are looking for new members. If you would like to get involved, please email

secretary@holy-family-parish.net

Do you enjoy singing? The Choir are

looking for new members, contact Nicola Garty on 07708 659 408 or gartynicola@gmail.com

Red Missio Boxes:

Would all parishioners who have Missio boxes please return them to the Sacristy for emptying. For those who have already returned them please collect them from the table outside the Confessional, all empty boxes are there too. Please note there is a small delay with the processing if your box is not there. Donated money can be gift aided, forms will be available soon. I have taken over this task from Eileen who has blessed us for many years in this service – we are all missioners in various ways and I pray that you will continue your wonderful support. With blessings, Antonia Newell.

Offertory:

collection total is £438.63

If you prefer, you can also support the parish through a bank transfer or set up a standing order our Bank details are as follows: HSBC plc, 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY Holy Family Parish, Addlestone, Sort code 40-05-20 Account No. 21126415. Standing order mandates and gift aid declarations are available at the back of the church. Apparently, depending upon your bank they may not recognise the name of the parish bank account and they will ask you to confirm that it is the account you wish to credit.

Date	Intention	Liturgical Day
Saturday 31 July 18:00	Robert Cordial R.I.P.	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 01 August 09:30	Theresa Hart R.I.P	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 01 August 11:00	People of the Parish	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday 02 August	No Mass	Monday of week 18 in Ordinary Time
Tuesday 03 August	No Mass	Tuesday of week 18 in Ordinary Time
Wednesday 04 August	No Mass	St John Vianney, Priest
Thursday 05 August	No Mass	Thursday of week 18 in Ordinary Time
Friday 06 August	No Mass	The Transfiguration of the Lord
Saturday 07 August 18:00	No Intention	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 08 August 10.00	People of the Parish	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times