



Parish of Corpus Christi-St. Peter, St. Justus



Corpus Christi

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St. Justus

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ONE PARISH

ONE FAMILY

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Wishing you all a very Happy and Prosperous New Year. We Hope you all had a wonderful Christmas. Thanks also for the Christmas collection and for the many cards and gifts we received. This weekend of the Holy Family we have a pastoral letter from Archbishop John to be read at all Masses.
Fr Philip and Fr Bibin



MASS AND INTENTIONS 28th December 2025

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

SATURDAY 27 th Dec	6.00pm	Alan Branch RIP (Maura Branch)
SUNDAY 28 th Dec	8.30am	St Justus: For the People of the Parish
	10.00am	Tony Cronin RIP & for the consolation of Brenda & family (Elaine Slattery)
	12noon	St. Peter: For the welfare of Richard Shaw & God's blessings. (Jacqui Shaw)
MONDAY 29 th Dec	10.00am	Chapman family Intentions of Isaac
TUESDAY 30 th Dec	10.00am	St Justus: Kathleen Kirkwood (Theresa Stoves)
WED 31 st Dec	8.00pm	For the People of the Parish Adoration until 10.00pm
MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD		
THURSDAY 1 st Jan	10.00am	Redmond John Dill RIP Sheila & Stephanie)
FRIDAY 2 nd Jan	10.00am	Brian Wilkins RIP (Martina & family)
	10.00pm	All Night Vigil
SATURDAY 3 rd Jan	10.00am	Holy Souls in Purgatory (Liam Collins) Intentions Isaac
	6.00pm	Jose Mazavello (Jouin Mazavello)
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE NATIVITY		
SUNDAY 4 th Jan	8.30am	St Justus: Thomas Isard RIP (Pat Hook)
	10.00am	God's blessings on Bertha & Emmanuel (Ugochukwu family)
	12noon	St Peter: For the People of the Parish

WEEKLY IN THE PARISH

MORNING PRAYER

CORPUS CHRISTI

MON AT 9.40 AM

**CHRISTIAN
MEDITATION**

**AT CORPUS CHRISTI
TUE 6.30 PM -7.00 PM.**

ADORATION

**AT CORPUS CHRISTI
THURSDAYS AFTER**

10.30AM -10PM

ROSARY

**AT CORPUS CHRISTI
9.30 AM**

**ON THUR, FRI ,SAT &
SUN.**

**FIRST SATURDAY
DEVOTION
CHERUBS**

**IN THE HALL BEFORE
10AM MASS ON
SUNDAYS**

**HOLY FACE DEVOTION
AT 10.30AM SATS AND
1ST TUES AT ST. JUSTUS
ROSARY AT ST JUSTUS
ON TUESDAYS 9.20 AM**

St. Margaret Clitherow

Primary School, Trench Road, Tonbridge Tel. 01732 358000 Principal: Mrs. Fiona Oubridge

St. Gregory's Catholic School, Reynolds Lane, Tunbridge Wells. Tel. 01892 527444 Principal: Mr Mike Wilson

Hall Bookings: Please contact the parish office during office hours 01732 353984 or by email. Not in the evenings or week-ends

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

YOUTH GROUP-Are you in year 7-13 and would like to come and join us for pizza, fun and games? We would love to see you at our meeting in Fisher Hall after Saturday 6.00pm Mass- Stefano. Next meeting dates 10th, 24th Jan, 7th Feb.

The Lifeboat, parish bereavement support: these supportive monthly sessions for the bereaved of the parish will re-commence after Christmas. If help is needed please contact the parish office who will pass on calls to Isabelle and Sheila.

CONFESSION: Sat 10.30am – 11.00am 5pm-5.45pm at CC; St Justus-after Tuesday morning mass.

BAPTISM: Please speak to Father Philip after Mass to join the Parent's Baptism Preparation session. Once you have spoken to Father, please contact the Parish Office for details to attend the session.

CONFIRMATION tonbridge@rcaos.org.uk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION tonbridge@rcaos.org.uk

RCIA If you are interested in the Roman Catholic Faith and would like to become a Catholic or need adult Sacraments, please speak to Father Philip.

FAMILY SUNDAYS Faith in the Family group meets on the 1st Sunday of the month. You are invited to the Fisher Hall after 10am Mass for a fun, faith-filled, craft activity along with biscuits and a cuppa.

MUMS/DADS NIGHTS- Taking time to feed our own faith by exploring an aspect of Christianity with other parents in the parish. We meet in someone's home, watch some input to get us thinking and chat over pizza and drinks. All are very welcome. Contacts Isabel (07851062232 or Nick (07851609097)

COMMUNITY STOREHOUSE, PADDOCK WOOD Please continue with your donations which can be left in the Narthex at St Justus. If you'd prefer, here are the details for an online bank transfer: Community Storehouse, HSBC Bank Sort code: 40-36-35 Acc No: 11298410 Ref: St Justus member. Waitrose and Tesco gift cards are welcome as an alternative.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL are extremely grateful for your past support. We are renewing our appeal for large size nappies, baby food, sanitary wear, soap and other toiletries. As our donations go to a school please DO NOT donate anything that is PERISHABLE! Thank you.

PARISH FINANCE Thank you to everyone who contributes to the Parish for your generosity. For those eligible not registered for Gift Aid please do consider signing up so that your cash contributions to the Church can be increased by 25%. Please email or speak to Tony Mahoney for further information or use the QR code in the narthex to sign up electronically. Bank Transfer details are OFF for Offertories, ST for Mass Stipends, MT for Malawi Twin. Christmas. Thank you for your generosity.

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Sort Code 60-21-28 Account 71367780

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PARISH NOTICES

DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES 2026 are available from the parish office. £6.50. If you would like one please collect from the office and pay at the same time, they are not a Repository item.

THANK YOU to everyone who gave their time to decorate, arrange the flowers and to prepare our three churches to look beautiful for Christmas.

ITEMS NEEDED for Table Top Sale in the New Year in St Justus Church Hall. If you have any items in good condition that you no longer want, please contact John Murphy who will collect. 01892 836854

NB PARISH OFFICE is closed will re-open Monday 5th January. No parish emails will be dealt with during that time. For all urgent enquiries please contact Father Philip direct.

NEW YEAR With all good wishes for a happy and healthy New Year to you all. Jan.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISH: Bob King, Nicky Byrne, Richard Perry, Ronnie Brown, Mary Girdlestone, Martyn Bowman, Frank Moffatt, Brian Bayross, Rachel Branch, Gloria Gorringer, Christi Morgan, Rena Pope, Rosemary Rowley. And James Stone. HOLY SOULS: Please remember in your prayers, those who have died, and for those whose anniversaries fall at this time Agnes O'Hare, Polly Perkins, Thomas Ford, Frances Kiwan, Bronie Stethan, Redmond Dill, Eileen Harrington, John Feely, Carlene Ford and Brian Wilkins.