

The Catholic Parish of the Annunciation & St. Edmund Campion
(part of Bournemouth & Christchurch Pastoral Area)

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2ND - 8TH NOV 2025
AN – ANNUNCIATION
EC– ST. EDMUND CAMPION
SW– ST. WALBURGA'S

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS:
WEEK BEGINNING 3RD NOVEMBER:
TUES & WED & THUR 8.30AM-5PM

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Sunday 2nd November ALL SAINTS

EC	9.00am	Mass & Rosary:	AN	9.00am	Polish Mass
AN	11.00am	Mass & Rosary: 16th Wedding Anniversary of Alan & Lryia	EC	11.30am	Polish Mass
AN	6.30pm	Mass & Rosary: for the people of the parish	EC	6.00pm	Polish Mass

Monday 3rd November Commemoration of ALL SOULS

EC 9.30am Mass & Rosary: the well-being of Andrew
AN 7.00PM Mass:

Tuesday 4th November 31ST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

AN 7.00pm Mass & Rosary: for the housing & spiritual needs of the Miller family

Wednesday 5th November

EC 9.30am Mass & Rosary: the well-being of Christopher & family

Thursday 6th November

AN 9.30am Mass & Rosary: Ann Cusack RIP EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Friday 7th November

EC 9.30am Mass & Rosary: Bruno Quaglia RIP EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Saturday 8th November

AN 10.00am Mass & Rosary: Special prayer intention for the Thottapallil family

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR: BAMENDA

BLESSING OF GRAVES - The blessings of graves will take place after 9.30am mass on Monday 3rd November at approximately 10.30am at Wimborne Road Cemetery & North Cemetery, please meet near the chapels.

LEGACY - Have you thought about leaving a gift to the parish in your will? Including a gift to the Parish is a meaningful way to support the ongoing mission of the Church. If you would like further information, please speak to Fr Anthony or Deacon Barry.

REMEMBERING THOSE WE LOVE – St Peter's school - Once again, the Chaplaincy Team at St Peter's School would like to warmly invite you to join them for their annual prayer initiative running this November. "Remembering Those We Love" is an opportunity to pray, light a candle and write intentions for those that we love, both living and deceased. We know our students greatly benefit from the witness of local parishioners who come and pray alongside them in the School Chapel so we hope you can join us.

The event is running on Tues 11th, Weds 12th and Thurs 13th Nov in the Chapel at our secondary site, St Catherine's Road, Southbourne BH6 4AH between 3pm - 4pm – please come for as little or as long as you can. We will also be celebrating a Memorial Mass for all of our deceased friends and relatives at 3.45pm on Wednesday, 12th – everyone is very welcome. For more information please contact chaplaincy@st-peters.bournemouth.sch.uk

Celebrating Advent - This short season of preparation and reflection passes so quickly: Join us for four Tuesday evening gatherings, from 7.30-9.00 pm, in St Joseph's Parish Centre. [Refreshments will be available from 7 pm.] Each session will focus on the readings of the following Sunday, with opportunities for silent reflection, sharing in groups and prayer. Join others from our local parish communities as we prepare to celebrate Christmas. This is not a course or series of talks and you do not have to sign up beforehand.....Dates: November 25th, December 2nd, 9th & 16th, 2025.

ST. PETERS SCHOOL is seeking to recruit an Assistant Chaplain with wider student support responsibilities (a full time position.) Please visit the schools website for more information & for an application form.

Message for First Holy Communion Parents - Those parents who have returned their completed application forms to the Church office please remember to attend the Information Evening on Wednesday 12th November at 7.00pm in the Annunciation Large Hall. Further details of the course will be provided as well as the timetable (dates and times) for the Children's classes etc.

YMCA SLEEP EASY FUNDRAISER - Donna Smith's grandson Joe is taking part in the St. Peter's Six Form Sleep Easy event to raise money and awareness for the YMCA homeless charity. A group of students are sleeping outside at school on the 7th November. If anyone would be kind enough to donate to this very worth cause, donations can be given to Donna or left at the back of the church in an envelope with SLEEP EASY written on it.

WHAT IS RCIA? - RCIA, which stands for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, is a process through which non-baptised men and women are welcomed into the Catholic Church. It involves several stages marked by study, prayer, and rites celebrated during Mass. Participants in the RCIA are known as catechumens. It is also available to individuals who were baptised but then did not participate in or received limited faith formation. It is also for baptised non-Catholic adults who wish to be in full communion with Catholic Church. Our Parish will commence the RCIA program in the 2nd week of advent this year. Please contact the Parish office or speak to Fr Anthony or Deacon Barry if you are interested in joining this program.

MAIN ENTRANCE DOORS AT THE ANNUNCIATION CHURCH After many years of use the main church entrance doors need replacing due to damp and rotten wood. We now have the approval from the Diocese and the Historic Churches Trust to begin to replace them, and we are awaiting the return of tender quotes. If anyone would like to make a contribution towards the new doors, please send your donation into the parish office clearly marked 'New Doors' or speak with Fr. Anthony or Deacon Barry.

ALL ENQUIRIES FOR THE FOLLOWING (EXCEPT WHERE STATED) CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TEL: 01202 513369

PARISH OFFICE	TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 8.30AM - 5.00PM
CHURCH HALLS bookings & info.	PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE
HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS	(B'mouth) Hospital Chaplaincy 0300 019 4421 Main hospital number (01202 303626) (Poole) TBA - tel.442167 (leave message) or 665511 (Page R C Chaplain)
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