

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

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21ST - 27TH SEPTEMBER 2025

AN – ANNUNCIATION

EC– ST. EDMUND CAMPION

SW– ST. WALBURGA'S

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS:

**WEEK BEGINNING 22ND SEPTEMBER:
TUES, WED, THUR 8.30AM-5PM**

FATHER ANTHONY: 07780 975037 DEACON BARRY: 07591 750613
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Sunday 21st September 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

EC 9.00am Mass: Thresiamma Varghese RIP
AN 11.00am Mass: Theresa Musial RIP
AN 6.30pm Mass: for the people of the parish

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Monday 22nd September 25TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

EC 9.30am Mass: Shaji Anthony RIP

Tuesday 23rd September

AN 7.00pm Mass: Theresiamma Paulose RIP

Wednesday 24th September

EC 9.30am Mass: Peter Hendy RIP

Thursday 25th September

AN 9.30am Mass: All souls in purgatory

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Friday 26th September

EC 9.30am Mass: Sarah, Abraham, Vulsa & Jaksey RIP

EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Saturday 27th September

AN 10.00am Mass:

FIRST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION 2026 - Application forms are now available from Father Anthony or Deacon Barry after all Sunday masses from the 7th September. Forms are numbered and cannot be collected for friends or relatives. It is important that families should be regular members of the church community and attend Mass on a regular basis. **Classes will be held on Wednesday evenings and 3 Saturday afternoons;** these classes must take priority over other social events. A timetable and further information will be issued at a parents meeting in November.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR: HOME MISSIONS

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

First meeting of **The Catholic Young Adults Group 18+** on Saturday, 20th September, 3pm at 22 Keswick Road BH5 1LR. We will have a short walk followed by a cream tea. Come with ideas for future events. These could include New Forest walks, craft evenings, helping local charities, Alpha, retreats, friendship and fun. Please contact Nicola on 07932 142594 if you would like to attend.

LIFE IN TRUTH - Hand on the teaching of Jesus with confidence. Examine contemporary challenges and learn to give credible answers to practical questions. Discover not only what the Church teaches, but why the Church teaches as it does, and how that teaching is related to Scripture. Learn how to read the Sacred Page – how to go beyond a superficial reading and how to begin to penetrate deeply the Word of God. Visit Lux in Tenebris - Light in Darkness <https://www.lux-edu.com/> and begin your journey. **FLYERS AT THE BACK OF BOTH CHURCHES.**

Claritas Spiritual Theology offers a two-year Diploma in Spiritual Theology & Formation (or for personal enrichment without assignments). We explore the workings of grace, the virtues, the mystical life, including the gifts of the Holy Spirit, meditation and contemplative prayer, (primary text: St Teresa of Avila's Interior Castle). We also examine the three stages of the spiritual life and spiritual discernment. Live weekly two-hour sessions (with notes). To register or to find out more, please visit: www.claritas-st.com

St. Peter's School seeks to appoint an outstanding Assistant Chaplain wanting to join a supportive and committed team who are passionate about teaching and learning. This role is UK based and your Right to Work will need to be established as part of the appointment process. If you would like to discuss the post prior to submitting an application or to request a School visit, please contact Mr B Doyle, Headteacher 01202 421141. An online check will be conducted for candidates shortlisted to check their suitability to work with children (KCSIE 2024). **Closing date for applications is 24th September 2025.**

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY - INTERNATIONAL FOOD FESTIVAL 27TH SEPTEMBER 2025, 2PM IN THE LARGE ANNUNCIATION HALL. The food festival is a bring & share event. There will be authentic food from different countries. Please bring and share your favourite dish. Please bring your own refreshments as there are no bar facilities.

SAVE THE DATE - Cafod Fast Day Soup lunch at St. Edmund Campion hall Friday 3rd October 12noon - 2pm. Sign up sheets will shortly be at the back of both churches. Donations will be gratefully received.

Marriage support - Does your relationship need some TLC? Need help with deeper issues? Next programme starts 17th October www.retrouvaille.org.uk Tel: [+44 7887 296 983](tel:+447887296983)

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)
Reconciliation (CONFESSIONS)	01202 513369