

Parish of Our Lady and St Alphege, Bath together with St Joseph's, Peasedown St John

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Trinity Sunday

God loved the world

Mass Times at St Alphege or St Joseph's, Peasedown if indicated St Charles Lwanga and Companions Sat 3rd 10.00 **Trinity Sunday** Sun 4th 9.00 Parishioners (Peasedown) 11.00 18.00 Mon 5th St Boniface 10.00 Tue 6th Feria 10.00 Terence Joseph O'Shaughnessy + 11.00 (Peasedown) Wed 7th Feria No Mass Thu 8th Feria 18.00 Fri 9th St Columba 12.00 10th Feria Sat

 Sun
 11th
 Corpus Christi

 9.00
 Parishioners (Peasedown)

 11.00
 18.00

Sunday Coffee

Coffee is served in the Parish Hall after 11.00 Sunday mass Confessions.....Saturday 10.30 and at Call Choir Practice.....19.00 Wednesdays in Hall PsalterProper of Solemnity Sunday Readings:Year A Weekday Readings:Year 1 Baptisms & Marriages:Contact the Parish Priest Mothers Prayer Group.....Tuesdays 9.00-9:45 Term Time Diocesan Prayer League.....St Bonaventure, Bristol

Cycle of Prayer: Easter

New Members of the Church, Vocations, Human Work, The Right Use of the Media, The Church



The Trinity, Andrei Rublev 14th Century

A Prayer for Trinity Sunday

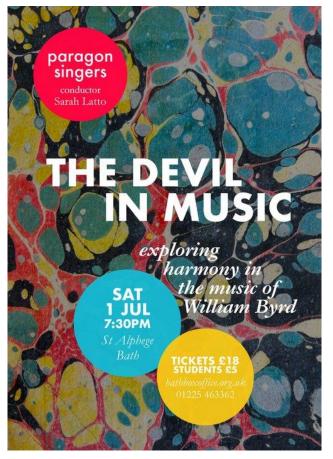
O God, your name is veiled in mystery, yet we dare to call you Father; your Son was begotten before all ages, yet is born among us in time; your Holy Spirit fills the whole creation, yet is poured forth now into our hearts.

Because you have made us and loved us and called us by name,

draw us more deeply into your divine life, that we may glorify you rightly,

through your Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

4th June 2023



Prayer consists of listening to God speak silently within us

Cardinal Sarah



International Evening

We are holding an International Evening on Friday 16th June in the Parish Hall. We are looking for parishioners of various nationalities who are willing to cook a dish typical of their region to share with their fellow parishioners. If you wish to cook, please contact emilytlaker@gmail.com, annedangleterre@hotmail.com or debbie.watson4301@ gmail.com. If you intend coming, please sign the list at the back of the Church so we can get an idea of numbers.

If you cannot find Christ in the beggar at the Church door, you will not find him in the chalice

St John Chrysostom

Flower Arrangers

We are looking for a couple of people who are willing to join the flower arranging rota. If you are interested, please ring Frances on 07940 583846. It should be only once a month. Training can be given by the existing flower arrangers.

Forthcoming Dates	
Corpus Christi Procession, Prior Park	11th June
International Evening	16th June
Paragon Singers	1st July
Glastonbury Pilgrimage	9th July
Parish Barbeque	16th July
Diocesan Day	7th October

Corpus Christi



There will be a Corpus Christi Procession for all the Bath parishes with Benediction over the City of Bath in Prior Park at 15.00 on Sunday 11th June. Please bring a picnic.

Confirmation

The Deanery Confirmation Mass 2023 will take place on Friday 10th November, celebrated by Mgr Liam Slattery at St Mary's Church, Bath. The preparation course for young people in Year 9-13 (under 19) will begin in September at St Mary's. Email bath.stmary@cliftondiocese.com with the name of the young person and contact details.

Autumn Talks

The talks that we have held on Matthew in Autumn 2022 and on the Elizabethan Jesuits in Spring 2023 have proved to be successful so we would like to continue with another four talks in the Autumn. This time the theme will be Important Figures from the Old Testament: Abraham, Moses, David and Elijah. A lot of Catholics don't know too much about the Old Testament so this will be an opportunity for us to become a bit more familiar with the Hebrew Scriptures.

Glastonbury Pilgrimage

The Glastonbury Pilgrimage takes place on Sunday 9th July. A procession through the town centre behind the statue of Our Lady begins at 14.15 and returns to the Abbey at 15.00. The Mass will be celebrated at 15.30.

Choir

We could do with a few new members of the Choir to enhance the singing at Sunday Masses. If you would like to join then please come along to rehearsals on Wednesday nights in the Hall at 19.00.

A garden is a thing of beauty and a job forever

Heritage Open Days

The Church will be participating once again in the annual Heritage Open Days. It will be open on Saturday 9th, Thursday 14th and Saturday 16th September. Dr Giles Mercer will give a guided tour of the Church at 14.30. All welcome.

Pastoral Ministry Course

The Diocesan Pastoral Ministry course is ideal for any parishioner who seeks to develop their capacity to serve their parish. If you are or would like to be involved in any kind of parish ministry then please do come to one of the following information evenings at 7pm on Monday 12th June: St George, Warminster, or Wednesday 14th June: St John the Evangelist, Bath. No need to book.

Beacons

The next meeting of the Beacons will be on the 19th June in aid of 'Move the Mind'.

National Gallery Exhibition

There is a free exhibition on at the National Gallery from 6th May to 6th July on St Francis of Assisi which looks to be worth a visit. www.nationalgallery.org.uk

Upcoming Special Collections

Priest's Retirement Fund Today 4th June, Day for Life 18th June Sunday Collection

Last week loose: £287.52, Gift Aid Envelopes £52 Readers

11.00: Liz n/w Anne V, 18.00; Duncan n/w Moira