ST COLMAN & ST PAUL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY, COSHAM AND PAULSGROVE

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Sunday 8 June 2025 : Pentecost

Pentecost is the birthday of the Church, the anniversary of the gift of the Holy Spirit from heaven to the Apostles and other disciples, gathered in the upper room in Jerusalem with Mary the Mother of Jesus. The Cenacle where Jesus instituted the Eucharist becomes the place where the Church gathers for the first time, convened by the Holy Spirit and constituted into the Mystical Body of Christ. Immediately, the Church's missionary nature is apparent, from the proclamation of the Gospel by the Apostles in every language. What better day to celebrate the inauguration of our new Parish Area of South-East Hampshire? Let us gather at Oaklands Catholic School this afternoon, to celebrate our diversity with music, language and dress, and to celebrate our unity by offering together the Holy Eucharist!

Times of Mass this week				Mass Intentions
Saturday 7 June Reconciliation 5:30pm	6pm	St Colman	Pentecost Vigil	Stuart, Eunice and Arthur Smeeth RIP
Sunday 8 June	9:30am	St Colman	Pentecost	V P Pappachan RIP
WHITSUN Holy Hour 5-6pm St Colman	Зрт	Parish Area Concelebrated Mass at Oaklands School		
	4pm Hospital Chapel		Pentecost	QA Hospital Mass
Monday 9 June Adoration 9am-5pm St C Lectio divina 5-6pm St Colman	12:30pm	QA Hospital Chapel	Mary, Mother of the Church	Rosina Ward & Christina Murphy (FM)
Tuesday 10 June	9am	St Colman	Votive Mass	Catherine & Jane Tsidivakis wellbeing
Wednesday 11 June No Bible Study this week	7:30am	St Colman	St Barnabas	Celebrant's intention
Friday 13 June	6:30pm	St Colman	St Anthony of Padua	Fr George M. Roth wellbeing
Saturday 14 June Reconciliation 5:30pm	6pm	St Colman	Holy Trinity	Ciara's intentions
Sunday 15 June	9:30am	St Colman	Holy Trinity	Thanksgiving
Infant Baptisms 3pm St C	11:30am	St Paul's School Hall	Holy Trinity	Pro Populo
Holy Hour 5-6pm St Colman	4pm Hospital Chapel		Holy Trinity	QA Hospital Mass

Enquiries, appointments and hall bookings:

Parish Office opening hours: 9:30am – 1:30pm Monday – Thursday 02392 376151 <u>scsp@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk</u> 07555 182118

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St Colman and St Paul Catholic Community Midsummer Social

St John's Bonfire

Saturday 21 June 7pm after the Vigil Mass of Corpus Christi

Celebrate the longest day with a traditional bonfire, barbeque, drinks, snacks and a chance to win the 50/50 bucket – and to raise funds for the Dominican Sisters' Summer Camp

Funeral Mass for Fr Vincent Convery RIP 2pm Wednesday 18 June at Kiln Green

> Second Collection next weekend for the Day for Life.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 5:30pm at St Colman

This Summer in Cosham and Paulsgrove

Saturday 7 June: Vigil of Pentecost 6pm Vigil and first Mass of Pentecost with Blessing of the Font and Baptisms

Pentecost Sunday 8 June: Parish Area Pentecost Celebration 3pm Concelebrated Mass at Oaklands School followed by tea and cakes

Saturday 21 June: St John's Bonfire Party After 6pm Vigil Mass: Bonfire in the church yard garden; barbeque and refreshments

Saturday 21 June – Sunday 22 June Corpus Christi & First Holy Communion Saturday 12:00 FHC Mass St Colman Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass St Colman Sunday 9:30am FHC Mass St Colman Sunday 11:30 FHC Mass St Colman

Saturday 19 July: St Colman's Summer Fair 2pm – 5pm at St Colman's Hall Bouncy Castle, Ice Cream Van, Pony Rides, Dog Show with 3 categories and prizes, Raffle, 50/50 Bucket, Barbeque, Book Stall, Bottle Stall, Plant Stall, Bric-a-Brac, Crafts

Of your charity, please pray:

- For friends and neighbours who are ill or housebound: Kana Blyth, Joe Charlton, Elizabeth Christian, Christine, Anne & Michael Colley, Tommy Cooper, John Cox, Pauline Crook, Moira Cunningham, Julie Fry, Jean Gartshore, Bob Guy, Sheila Ilott, Janet, Dawn Marie, Sajimon Mathew, Paula Medd, Phoenix, Valerie O'Donnell, Terry Orchard, Dawn Rugman, Maureen Smeeth, Beryl Walters, Pauline Webb, Verena.
- For patients in the Queen Alexandra Hospital and for residents in the care homes and nursing homes in our district: Kinross, The Haven and Hamilton House.
- For St Paul's Primary School and Oaklands Catholic School: the staff, governors, children, parents and families.
- For the souls of the faithful departed: especially Fr Vincent Convery and Peter Galvin RIP.