ST COLMAN & ST PAUL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY, COSHAM AND PAULSGROVE

JESUS PRINCE OF PEACE PARISH SOUTH EAST HAMPSHIRE

The Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth

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Sunday 17 August 2025: Twentieth Sunday of the Year

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Times of Mass this week				Mass Intentions
Saturday 16 August Reconciliation 5:30pm	6pm	St Colman	20th Sunday	Win & Tom Cummings
Sunday 17 August	9:30am	St Colman	20th Sunday	Marjorie Burton RIP
	11:30am	St Paul's School Hall	20th Sunday	Pro Populo
	3pm	Wedding of	Andrea-Scott Okeke	e and Nnedimma Onyene
Holy Hour 5-6pm St Colman	4pm Hospital Chapel		20th Sunday	QA Hospital Mass
Monday 18 August Adoration 9am-5pm St C	12:30pm	QA Hospital Chapel	Feria	Emmanuel Tsidivakis
Tuesday 19 August	9am	St Colman	St John Eudes	Mary Ann White
Friday 22 August	6:30pm	St Colman	Queenship BVM	Cecilia Middleton RIP
Sunday 24 August 2025 : Twenty-first Sunday of the Year				
Saturday 23 August Reconciliation 5:30pm	6pm	St Colman	21st Sunday	Helen Pollard ints
Sunday 24 August	9:30am	St Colman	21st Sunday	John Joseph Cummings
	11:30am	St Paul's School Hall	21st Sunday	Pro Populo
No Holy Hour this evening	4pm Hospital Chapel		21st Sunday	QA Hospital Mass
Monday 25 – Friday 29	August: No p	oublic Mass at	St Colman, St Paul	or QA Hospital Chapel
Saturday 30 August Reconciliation 5:30pm	6pm	St Colman	22nd Sunday	Helen Pollard ints
Sunday 31 August	9:30am	St Colman	22nd Sunday	Holy Souls
	11:30am	St Paul's School Hall	22nd Sunday	Pro Populo
Holy Hour 5-6pm St Colman	4pm Hospital Chapel		22nd Sunday	QA Hospital Mass

Enquiries, appointments and hall bookings:

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

Parish Safeguarding Ministers:

Jenny Verheist (St Colman): safeguarding.porsc.sc@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk Nathaly Speight (St Paul): safeguarding.porsc.sp@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

Thank you for your donations!

You can donate directly into the parish bank account: CDP P'mouth St Colman: account number 00884554; sort code 30 93 04; reference "offertory donation". Gift aid: UK taxpayers can give an extra 25p per £1 at no extra cost to you; please direct gift aid enquiries to Lesley Kilby via the parish office: scsp@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

GIFT AID AND PLANNED GIVING UPDATE

Many thanks to Lesley Kilby for taking over as our new Gift Aid co-ordinator. Lesley would like to meet as many parishioners as possible who give by standing order or direct debit, so that up-to-date Gift Aid and banker's forms can be completed and envelopes ordered.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION COURSE 2025-26

Application forms are available now from St Colman's Church and from the reception desk at St Paul's School: forms need to be counter-signed by a priest and returned by 14 October. Children in year 3 or above can join the course. Children who are not yet baptised can join and will be baptised for first Holy Communion. Do you have friends who have not had their children baptised or who do not come to Mass? Let them know about this opportunity: invite them to start coming to Sunday Mass as a family. This is your opportunity to re-evangelise your family, friends and neighbours!

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 5:30pm at St Colman

JESUS PRINCE OF PEACE SOUTH EAST HAMPSHIRE PARISH AREA CONFIRMATION

For young people in school year 8 or above who have not already received the sacrament of Confirmation, Sacred Heart Waterlooville will be hosting a journey towards Confirmation 2025 - 2026. The journey begins this Autumn with Youth Alpha, leading to enrolment on the course of catechesis for Confirmation in January 2026. Bishop Philip will be celebrating the Parish Area Confirmation Mass on Tuesday 2 June 2026 at 7pm at Sacred Heart Waterlooville. Families who would like to express an interest or get more information should contact Father James Lewis at:

confirmation@jesusprinceofpeace.org.uk

Please provide the candidate's name and age and a parent's name, address, email and mobile phone number.

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, 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, Hamilton House and Cosham Court.
- For St Paul's Primary School and Oaklands Catholic School: the staff, governors, children, parents and families.
- For the souls of the faithful departed: may they rest in peace.