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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

21st June 2026

Do not fear those who cannot kill the body

Mass Times

Sat 20th	St Alban	12.00	Mrs Lydia Atwell
Sun 21st	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.30	Mary Mulhall
		11.00	People of the Parish
Mon 22nd	SS John Fisher & Thomas More	10.00	Philip Leslie Jones+ & Valerie Jones(w)
Tue 23rd	Feria	10.00	Basing Family Intentions
Wed 24th	Nativity of St John the Baptist	10.00	The Hartley Family
Thu 25th	Feria	No Mass	
Fri 26th	Feria	10.00	Roger Furniss+
Sat 27th	St Cyril of Alexandria	12.00	Christopher Hartley+
Sun 28th	SS Peter & Paul	9.30	David Machesi+
		11.00	People of the Parish



The Sermon on the Mount, Fra Angelico 1440

Tea & Coffee in the Parish Hallafter Sunday masses
 Children's Liturgy (Sign in required)..... Sunday 9.30
 Holy Hourafter Wednesday morning mass
 Confessions.....during Holy Hour Wednesday & at call
 Choir Practice..... 18.00 Monday in Church
 Sunday Readings:..... Year A
 Weekday Readings: Year 2
 Baptisms..... Contact the Deacon
 Marriages: Contact the Parish Priest
 Mother's Prayer Group..... 2nd & 4th Fridays 10.30
 Rosary GroupFridays 10.30 when no Mother's Prayers
 Friendship Club 14.00 Fridays
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Cycle of Prayer: Summer

A Deeper Understanding between Christians and Jews, Those who suffer Persecution, Oppression, and Denial of Human Rights, Europe, Human Life, Seafarers

Moved with Compassion

In this Sunday's Gospel, we see a beautiful snapshot of the heart of Jesus. Looking out at the crowds, His heart is moved with pity—not a distant, passive pity, but a deep, gut-wrenching compassion. He sees people who are 'troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd.'

What is Jesus' response to a hurting world? He calls his disciples by name and sends them out.

Notice the shift in the text: Matthew begins by calling them disciples (learners) and immediately switches to apostles (those who are sent). This is the blueprint for the Church. We do not gather in the pews simply to be comfortable consumers of grace. We gather to be fed so that we can be sent out into the harvest.

Jesus reminds them—and us: 'Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.' We have been loved when we were helpless, as St. Paul reminds us in the second reading. Now, we are called to bring that same unconditional healing, mercy, and presence to a world that is still searching for its Shepherd.



It's not as hard to die for a friend
as it is to find a friend to die for

Support Your Parish

For contactless payments use the machine in the Church. Cheques payable to 'CDP Bournemouth Our Lady of Peace'. Standing Orders go the parish website or inform your bank of details: 30-93-04 00875180. Online donations can be made through the parish website.

Hospital Contacts

Royal Bournemouth Hospital/Christchurch Hospital Chaplaincy call 0300 019 4221 (Catholic Mass 1st Wed of month at 18.00) Poole Hospital Chaplaincy call: 0300 019 2167 (Catholic Mass Thurs 18.30).

Care about what other people think
and you will always be their prisoner

Lao Tzu

Beethoven's Piano

William Barclay tells the story of a tourist in Germany. The guide took a group through Beethoven's house. He showed them the piano on which the genius had composed his Moonlight Sonata. A woman in the group immediately sat down and played some bars from the sonata. The guide told the group that Paderewski had recently been shown the piano. The woman gushed, 'And I wager he sat down and played just as I did.' Archly the guide said, 'No, Madam, he said he was not worthy to touch those keys.'

A Day with Mary

Saturday 18th July at the Bournemouth Oratory
09.30 Procession
10.30 Mass
11.45 Lunch
12.45 Exposition, Sermon & Rosary
14.45 Tea
15.15 Sermon, Enrolment with Brown Scapular
& Conferment of the Miraculous Medal

Caritas Portsmouth

Caritas Portsmouth is a social action team within the Diocese helping our people to share the love and mercy of God. It helps parishes to run their own projects supporting the vulnerable, addressing issues such as poverty, homelessness, isolation, domestic abuse, modern slavery, migrants and refugees in accordance with Catholic social teaching. For information see portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/caritas

University Catholic Chaplaincy

Those who are going to University this autumn should be aware that there is a Catholic Chaplaincy at each University and Higher Education College. Besides the normal weekend masses many social activities and other groups are organised by the University Catholic Societies. A full list of University Catholic Chaplaincies can be found at catholicSATuniversity.org.uk.

In thought, faith
In word, wisdom
In deed, courage
In life, service

Recent Collections

Standing Orders £410, Sunday £163, Contactless £165, with thanks.

Second Collections

Today 21st June Day for Life, 28th June: Peter's Pence.

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

Readers: 9.30 T McCaffrey, L Pritchard 11.00 V Rochford, V Dybka **Ministers:** 9.30 M Smith 11.00 L Hanson **n/w Readers:** 9.30 B Nanovo, S Smith 11.00 C Wright, L Goodall **n/w Ministers:** 9.30 S Smith 11.00 N Jean-Francoise

Forthcoming Dates

Parish Fete 28th June
Father Ryan Browne's First Anniversary 26th July