

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES
OF MOLESEY & HERSHAM
St Barnabas Vine Road Molesey
All Saints Queens Road Hersham

3 APRIL 2022

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

*Give me justice, O God,
and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless.
From the deceitful & cunning rescue me,
for you, O God, are my strength.*

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Confessions: *By appointment and before and after the
Saturday Masses at Molesey & Hersham*

WELCOME TO MASS Readings and
prayers are found in the Parish Missals for The
Fifth Sunday of Lent.

Dear Parishioners, dear friends,

*From this Sunday the character of the season of
Lent changes. We move to Passiontide and the
statues and crucifixes of our churches are
traditionally veiled and hidden from sight. It is as if
we are being taken back to the basics of our faith
and invited to make that interior journey as we
contemplate the mystery of our redemption.*

*We hear in St John's gospel, that Jesus hid himself
and left the Temple. We begin to fast with our eyes
as we search deeply within and prepare the soul for
the coming Paschal Feasts.*

*Perhaps you are thinking that this Lent hasn't
really started for you? Now is the time to begin
again and make this Passiontide really matter.*

*We are fortunate this year to have the Easter
Triduum celebrated in both our churches. Fr
Richard Filima will celebrate at Hersham and I
will be at Molesey. I am very grateful to Fr Filima
for his assistance and his generous willingness. This
year our Easter celebrations will have all the
familiarity of the liturgies of years past.*

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*This Monday confessions will be heard at
Weybridge from 6pm-8pm.*

*On Saturday 16th April I will be free to hear
confessions all day at Molesey.*

*Palm Sunday is next Sunday with processions at
the morning Masses.*

*Stations of the Cross for Children will begin at
Molesey at 10am on Good Friday.*

*In our busy schedules now is the time to note down
our opportunities for prayer so that the Easter
holidays become precisely that, Easter Holy Days.*

May God bless us all, Fr Richard

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY MASSES

AT MOLESEY: All Live streamed
Monday at 9am, Tuesday at 9.30am,
Thursday at 9.30am Mass, Saturday (*Latin
Mass*) at 10am, Sunday 11am & 6pm.

AT HERSHAM: All live streamed
Wednesday at 9.30am, Friday at 12noon,
Saturday at 5.30pm (*vigil Mass*) & Sunday at
9am.

*To access the live stream Molesey & Hersham go to
www.stbarnabasmolesey.org and click on the picture
of the appropriate church.*

**AN HOUR OF PRAYER FOR PEACE
WITH EXPOSITION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT**

ST BARNABAS, MOLESEY
Tuesday 5 April at 6-7pm

ALL SAINTS, HERSHAM
Wednesday 6 April 10am-11am

THE EASTER TRIDUUM

will be celebrated at both

All Saints Hershams

&

St Barnabas Molesey

at the following times

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper
at 8pm

Good Friday Solemn Liturgy at 3pm

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil & Mass at 8pm

Masses on Easter Sunday

will be

8am Molesey Latin Mass

9.15am Hershams

11am Molesey

6pm Molesey

**FOR CHILDREN AT ST BARNABAS
GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE
CROSS at 10am**

EASTER EGG HUNT for children after
the Easter Sunday Mass at 11am Mass in
the hall.

FUNERAL of Teresa Sowry will take place
on Tuesday 12th April at 1.00pm
Church of the Holy Name Esher KT10
9EE. Burial Service: 2.30pm Burvale
Cemetery, Hershams.

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

Holy Ones of Encouragement

For regular updates, news and devotions

Access the page by going to

www.stbarnabasmolesey.org

and click on the Facebook icon.

***You do not have to join Facebook
to see this.***

PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;

Body of Christ, save me;

Blood of Christ, inebriate me;

Water from the side of Christ, wash me;

Passion of Christ, strengthen me;

O good Jesus hear me;

Within your wounds hide me;

Suffer me not to be separated from you,

From the evil one protect me;

At the hour of my death, call me;

And bid me come to thee; That with thy
saints I may be praise thee

For all eternity. Amen.

Act of Spiritual Communion

*This prayer is said when it is not possible for us to
receive Holy Communion. If you are watching a live
stream Mass, you might like to say the prayer as
the priest receives Holy Communion.*

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in
the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to
receive You in my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You
sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You and unite myself wholly to
You. Never permit me to be separated from
You. Amen

For those who are suffering

O God, who willed that our infirmities be
borne by your Only Begotten Son to show
the value of human suffering, listen in
kindness to our prayers for our brothers
and sisters who are sick; grant that all who
are oppressed by pain, distress or other
afflictions may know that they are chosen
among those proclaimed blessed and are

united to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Merciful God, come to the help of your people. Be our shelter in this time of peril and strengthen the bonds of our community. Bring healing to all who suffer the ravages of disease and assist those whose skill and art can put an end to this affliction. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

LET US PRAY FOR: *For those who are sick in our parishes:* Antony Leonard, David Morgan, John O'Reilly, Kevin O'Connor, Eptisam Yusef, Peter Weeks, Patrick Russell, Ann Griffin, Andy Hanges, Patricia Malcolm, Rose Collins, Maureen Lloyd, Therese Ayres, Ann Livingston, Dina Yates, Nicoletta Lanzisera, Richard D'Alton, Nedra Gilson, the Superville and McComb family, Mark.

Please advise the parish offices of those names and intentions you would like added to our list for our prayers.

Those who have died:

Eileen Firth, Pat Gamba, Sheila Day, Matthew Slingo, Theresa Sant, Elisa Sciales, Jossie Jackson, Christina Ward, Brian Binnington, Anthony Wright, Ann Daly, Roy Fields, Jean Sciales, Trevor Davies, Antony Wright, Edna McLaughlin, Fr Desmond Baker, Fr Dominic Byrne, Ann Daly, Tina Cruz Riquet, Eddie Murphy, Wally Grey, Cathy Stayne, Lucian Farcasi, Geoffrey Hayes, Wally Grey, Tim Lamb, Nick Harvey, Tim Hipperson, Geoffrey Maud, Esther Inskipp, Fr Kevin Alban, Julie Benton-MacLeod, Jose Odackal Joseph, Ben Adderley, Eileen Creed, Sandrine Atkins, Charles Alexander, Nellie Widdup, Bette Reed, Bobbette McColl, Beatrice Hammond, Desmond Alphonso, Dennis Lackey, Gilly Becker, Mgr Barry Wymes, Fr Richard Lear CJ, Sue Bolton, Patrick Duggan, Kathleen Bell, Peggy Fitzgerald, Edward Quigley, Carl Zalman, Carmen Szkwirko, Harry O'Sullivan, William Ritchie, Teresa Redmond, Rosanna Hilling, Helena Wallis, John Knowles, Kathleen Kelly (Lambert), Gerry Firth,

Glen Adderley, Salvator Messini, Rui Da Silva, Maria Camara.

Those who anniversaries fall this week:

Canon Tony Clarke, Fr Paul Wilkins, Fr Geoffrey Nixon, Fr Edward Rodley, Canon John Preedy, Fr Patrick O'Brien, Fr Stephen Tynan, Fr Ralph Message, Canon Patrick Cox.

An On Line Link for Mass Prayers

The readings from daily Mass:

<http://universalis.com/mass.h>

MASS INTENTIONS are gladly received. Please fill out a Mass Intention envelope. Hershams Masses can be organised in the sacristy after Mass there and Molesey through the parish office. *When requesting a Mass Intention, please indicate whether the Mass is for the deceased, the sick or another reason.*

PARISH FINANCES

With the previous suspension of Sunday Masses and the lack of a Sunday collection, please consider the financial needs of the parishes. Whilst it might be possible to set aside your Sunday contribution why not think about a standing order to the parishes?

FOR HERSHAM

Account Name:

ALL SAINTS HERSHAM

Account Number 21077295

FOR MOLESEY

Account Name:

MOLESEY ST BARNABAS

Account Number 71077252

The Sort Code for both accounts is 40-05-20 Many parishioners already support the parishes by direct giving through their bank. You will understand that we need to support our parishes even though we may not be at church as regularly

CONFIRMATION 2022

If you are in school year 10 and would like to join the parishes' confirmation course, please email Fr Richard.

If, young or old, you have never been confirmed, please also take this opportunity to contact Fr Richard to talk about arranging celebrating this Sacrament of the Holy Spirit.

The programme will continue on Sunday 3 April at 5pm staying on for Mass at 6pm.

THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC? We have two groups running in our parishes at All Saints and St Barnabas. Please contact Fr Richard or Yvonne Foster through the parish office.

NEW PARISHIONER? Welcome to All Saints, Hersham & St Barnabas, Molesey! Please make yourself known to Fr Richard, or the Parish office. Registration forms are available from the back of the church. If you would like a visit from Fr Richard, please contact him. Please feel free to call by the presbytery to simply say hello.

THE NEXT UCM MEETING is on Wednesday 20th April at 11am in St Barnabas, Hall. All are warmly invited; refreshments will be served.

ORDER OF MALTA – APPEAL FOR UKRAINE

As the conflict in Ukraine continues, more and more lives are being lost, and homes, hospitals and schools destroyed. Road blockages mean people cannot reach food or medical care. Those fleeing their homes have few resources as they enter neighbouring countries as refugees.

Food, medicine, shelter, welcoming of refugees, care of the elderly and disabled who are not able to flee. This is the work the Order has carried out for centuries and is recognised in the surrounding regions as a trusted frontline provider.

These are the people who need our help now!

BASMOM through our Foreign Aid Service (FAS) is seeking donations towards the Order's frontline care in Ukraine and in the surrounding countries.

You can donate on the following and input BASMOM's charity number 1103567:

cafonline.org or you can send a cheque or Bank Transfer to

BASMOM FOREIGN AID Services

Sort code: 15-99-00

Account number: 03801990

The Foreign Aid Service

Craigmyle House, 13 Deodar Rd. SW15 2NP

ST BARNABAS TEEN SPACE YOUR SPACE every Friday evening from 7.30pm-9pm for Year 7 and above just turn up!

A space to meet with friends, table tennis, snooker, tuck. There will be adults present but it's up to you to organise your own activities or just hang out together! For more details, please contact Jean Casha 07960-654-813.

ST BARNABAS YOUTH CLUB FOR YEAR 3 & UPWARDS

New rules -

1. Children must be registered.
2. Cost £1 per session
3. Times 6pm to 7.30pm
4. Parents are NOT to come into the hall in order to be COVID compliant.

Registration: If your child would like to attend you must text Jean Casha 07960-654-813 with the following information –

Name, surname, School Year, phone number, address and permission to add your number to the closed Whatsapp group.

FOODBANK DONATIONS AT HERE TO HELP -ELMBRIDGE

David Bone (a parishioner) has set up a Facebook site called Here to Help – Elmbridge. This initiative is to offer help to people in our local community who are in need in terms of food, gifts, clothes and furniture. **If you are in need or would like to help** or are able to offer your time to collect and deliver items, please contact

David on **07714 683090** or via **Facebook** via the following link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/732010290666981/>

ALL SAINTS HERSHAM & ST BARNABAS MOLESEY FOOD BANK DONATIONS.

Items urgently required:

1. Long life milk
 2. Fruit juice
 3. Shampoo
 4. Deodrant
 5. Ketchup & Table sauces
 6. Long life sponge puddings
 7. Tin fruit
 8. Adult Toothbrushes / Toothpaste
 9. Crisps & savoury snacks
 10. Instant coffee – small & medium jars
 11. Washing up liquid
 12. Household bleach
- NO FRESH FOOD, PLEASE.

Collection points:

1. At the back of All Saints and St. Barnabas churches.
 2. The Food Bank Warehouse, Faulknors Road, Hershams - opposite Lilliput's Nursery. On Wednesday 10am-12.00 noon.
- OR PLEASE CONSIDER GIVING A FINANCIAL DONATION, which will be used to buy fresh fruit, vegetables and eggs on the day of the distribution of the food parcels.

A financial donation can be made either online at waltonhershams.foodbank.org.uk or, at All Saints, in the form of a cheque, made payable to 'Walton and Hershams Foodbank' and put into an envelope labelled Food Bank. This may be placed into the weekly offertory collection plate, and it will then be forwarded.

CAFOD

(CAFOD is The Catholic Agency for Overseas Development and is the official laid agency of the Catholic Church in England and Wales and part of Caritas International. CAFOD works with local partners in Africa, Asia, Latin America, The

Caribbean and the Middle East - a total of 165 countries)_**How to contact CAFOD** www.cafod.org.uk or email cafod@cafod.org.uk or telephone **0303 303 3030**

Address: CAFOD Head Office, Romero House, 55 Westminster Bridge Road, LONDON, SE1 7JB UK charity number 1160384 company limited by guarantee number 09387398 Parish Representative (All Saints) Marion DAWES -01932 231317

DIOCESAN MISSION

- Invited - Season Two: Growing in Faith

We are delighted to announce we are well on way to creating season two of our Invited mission. Following last year's feedback, we are looking forward to engaging with our communities again this year, which will take place during Eastertide.

The second season will begin to unpack what it means to be a disciple, a follower of Christ. The sessions will be a journey from reminding us of what the Good News is through to allowing that to transform our lives, sharing it with others, the struggles we may face and how the Church is here to support us.

The five sessions will begin 18th April with more detailed information to follow in the coming weeks.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

WEEKEND If you are single again following divorce, separation or the death of your partner, a residential weekend to help you to heal will be held from 8th to 10th April 2022 at the Sion Community, Brentwood, Essex. If you would like more details, please ring Freda 01322-838415 or Maura 07795-498445 or email besouthofengland@gmail.com.

GIFT AID REALLY MAKES A DIFFERENCE TO OUR PARISH

Gift Aid is a UK Government initiative that allows tax relief on money donated to UK charities. Gift Aid increases the value of your donations and means that All Saints, Hersham and St Barnabas, Molesey can benefit even more at no extra cost to you! If you're a UK taxpayer, add Gift Aid whenever you make a donation and St Barnabas, Molesey and All Saints, Hersham can reclaim the basic rate of tax on your gift, currently 25p for every £1 you give. If you would like to become a Gift Aid donor please complete the Gift Aid declaration at the back of the church.

DATES FOR OUR DIARIES and COMMUNITY NEWS -

HERSHAM DAY CENTRE The Day Centre is opened Monday- Friday from 9am - 4pm. Social groups and activities are available each day, with hairdressing and other treatments, plus access to other services. Amy and her team are looking forward to meeting you. Contact them on 01932 246 267. Some information is available at All Saints Church.

LENT – Relaunch of LOVE HERSHAM – An ecumenical project from Churches Together, Hersham.

There are several people, who already work hard to help others in our community. They are usually silent, conscientious volunteers, so **FIRSTLY, THANK YOU** for all you do. *Love Hersham* is to further build our community spirit. We did try to launch this initiative in Lent 2020, but Covid -19 cancelled all our plans!

If you have an idea, or already involved in an activity that needs more support please contact Marion Dawes (01932 231317 marion.dawes@gmail.com).

Diocesan pilgrimage to LOURDES 28 July – 05 August 2022

Application forms are now available for this pilgrimage. See the diocesan website: abdiocese.org.uk or Telephone no: 01403 740 110. The website also has details of the

different categories of pilgrim -independent, assisted, helper, medical /religious; preparation days for redshirts and helpers; costs for travel and accommodation.

Please remember our young children and their families who are beginning their journey for the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. Also, our families who are preparing for the baptism of their babies. *Please pray for our young people who are starting their sacramental preparation for Confirmation. Also, for anyone who is seeking God.*

AND FINALLY, if you know of anybody in difficulty, or anybody who is not receiving news or anybody who is anxious, please, please contact the parish priest who will be only too pleased to do what he can. May the good Lord continue to bless us all.

*Fr Richard Biggerstaff,
Parish Priest of All Saints Hersham with St Barnabas Molesey.*



