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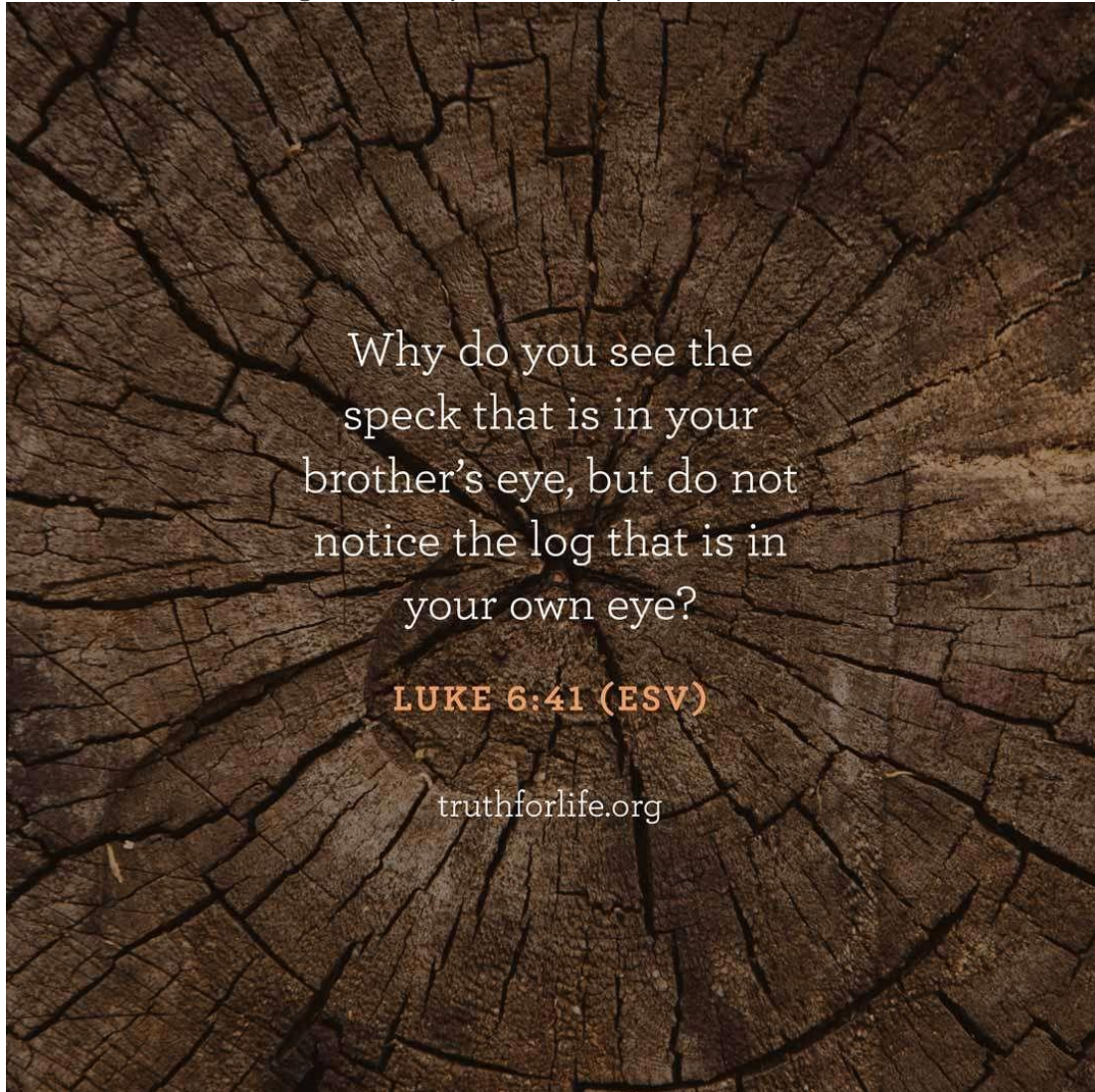
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Sunday 2 March 2025

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)



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Christ the Prince of Peace (Weybridge)

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 1st March St. David (Feast)	9:10 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	The Rosary Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) (Vigil) Evening Mass For Vocations And Michael Wilson R.I.P. And Raymonde Votat R.I.P.
Sunday 2nd March Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Day for the Unemployed</i>	9:00 am 10:30 am 6:00 pm	Sunday Morning Mass Intentions of Pat Dowey Sunday Morning Mass (Children's Choir) Mary Fitzgerald R.I.P. Baptism: Rite of Welcome And Distribution of Certificates Sunday Evening Mass People of the Parish
Monday 3rd March Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 8	9:10 am 10:00 am	The Rosary Morning Mass Intentions of Paul Janssis And Intentions of Florence Letailleur and Family Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 12:00 noon
Tuesday 4th March Feria in Ordinary Time, Week 8 <i>Shrove Tuesday</i>	9:10 am 10:00 am	The Rosary Morning Mass Denis Corley R.I.P. And Michael Bolger R.I.P. Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 9:00 pm
Wednesday 5th March Ash Wednesday Fasting and Abstinence	9:10 am 10:00 am 7:30 pm	The Rosary Morning Mass (Distribution of Ashes) People of the Parish Followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 12:00 noon Evening Mass (Distribution of Ashes) People of the Parish
Thursday 6th March Thursday after Ash Wednesday	9:10 am 11:00 am 2:00 pm 5:30 pm	The Rosary Funeral Mass for Jonathan Nastali R.I.P. Grandmothers' Prayers (in the Canon Francis' room) First Holy Communion: Session FIVE The Word of the Lord' N.B. NO Evening Mass And NO Mediugorie Prayer Group
Friday 7th March Friday after Ash Wednesday (First Friday, Day of Abstinence)	9:10 am 11:00 am 12:00 noon	The Rosary Eucharistic Adoration Midday Mass Anne Meade R.I.P. And Simone Wilson R.I.P. And Canon Michael Spelman R.I.P. Followed by Stations of the Cross
Saturday 8th March Saturday after Ash Wednesday	9:10 am 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	The Rosary Reconciliation (until 5:45 pm) (Vigil) Evening Mass People of the Parish
Sunday 9th March First Sunday of Lent	9:00 am 10:30 am 6:00 pm	Sunday Morning Mass Intentions of Mark & Karen Bowen Sunday Morning Mass John Hale R.I.P. Sunday Evening Mass (Youth Mass) Owen Lee R.I.P. And John Murphy R.I.P.

LIVE STREAMING

Please go to the parish website www.cpp.org.uk/ to join us for live streamed Masses and prayers.

You can also catch up on streamed Masses by going to our channel on YouTube *cpp Weybridge*



The live streamed Mass this Sunday will be at 10:30. We also live stream Mass from Monday to Friday and the Rosary Monday to Saturday.

The Pope's Prayer Intention for March

For families in crisis.

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

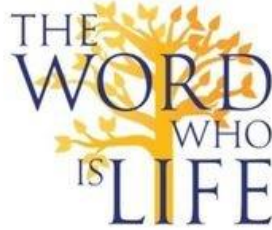
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Lord, the Word who is Life.
May all the people of our Diocese
grow in openness
to the power of the Holy Spirit,
so that through a growth
in understanding and courage,
and truly open to your call,
we may bear powerful witness
to all around us,
for you are Lord for ever and ever.
Amen.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 4 March – *Shrove Tuesday Pancakes for children (Parish hall)*

Wednesday 5 March - *Ash Wednesday*

Friday 7 March – *Stations of the Cross*

Monday 10 March – *Lenten Reconciliation at St Anne's Chertsey at 19:00 with Bishop Richard*

Friday 28 March - *Momentum Quiz night (Parish Hall)*

Monday 31 March – *Lent Book Club final meeting (Parish Hall)*

Tuesday 8 April – *Parish Lent Reconciliation (18:00 - 20:00)*

Sunday 20 April – *Easter Sunday*

Wednesday 21 May – *Parish Golf Day for Momentum at Chobham Golf Course*

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday after 10:00 Morning Mass until 12 noon;

Tuesday After 10:00 Morning Mass until 21:00;

Wednesday 11:00 for one hour before Mass at 12 noon;

Friday 11:00 for one hour before Mass at 12 noon

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 17:00 - 17:45

Parish Bank Details For Online Contributions

Name: RCD A&B CPP Weybridge

Sort Code: 40 - 05 - 20 (HSBC)

A/C No: 8107 7201 (RCD OF A&B CPP Weybridge)

Please put in a reference when contributing e.g. Weekly Collection, Mass Stipend, Candles (etc)

Parish Charity: **KIMBO** (Project Kimbo) **MOM** (Momentum).

Any queries, please e-mail: weybridge@abdiocese.org.uk

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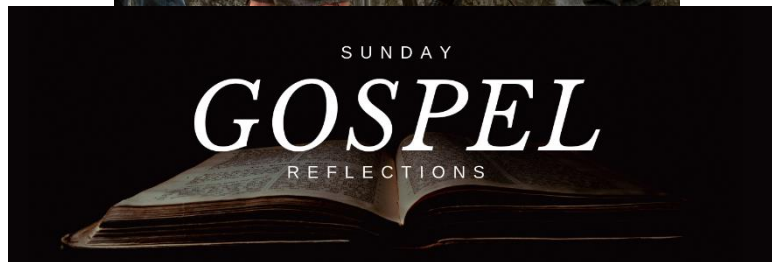
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Sunday, March 2, 2025 / Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Luke 6:39–45

Friends, in today's Gospel, Jesus asks, "Can a blind person guide a blind person? Will not both fall into a pit?" I recommend that you apply this text to your choice of a spiritual director.

Does the person to whom you've entrusted your soul know where to take you? Or are they as lost as you are? How do we know whether they see properly? In a way, this is rather simple: Have you entrusted yourself to someone who is utterly dedicated to Christ?

The next quality of a good spiritual teacher is that he acknowledges his need for a savior. Jesus uses a rather funny image to make this point. "Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye, but do not perceive the wooden beam in your own?"

Every spiritual teacher is eager to tell you what's wrong with you. They are confident diagnosticians of your problems. But unless they've surrendered to Christ and found salvation in him, they are absolutely in no position to help you. They are as absurd as the man with a roof beam sticking out of his eye.

Bishop Robert Barron

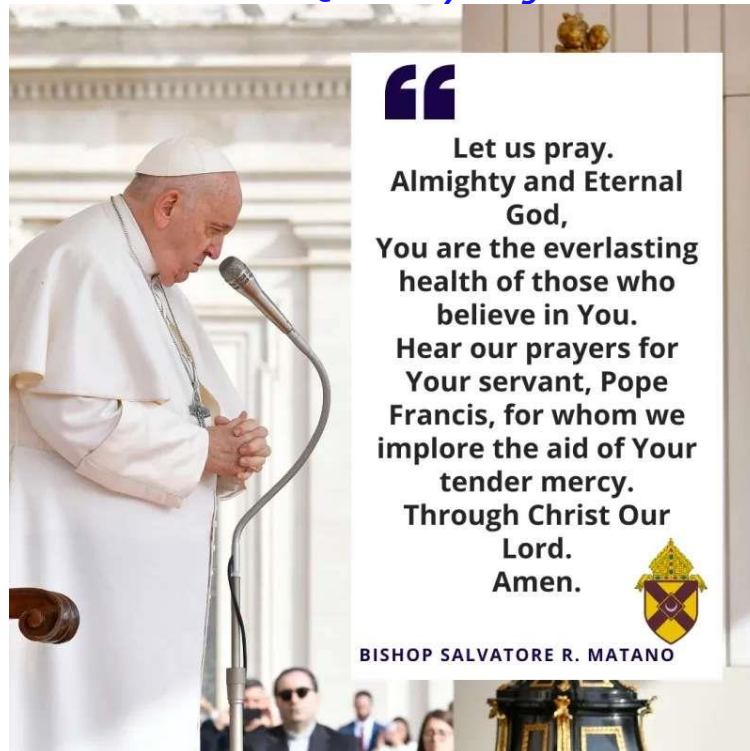
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Prayers for Pope Francis

We keep Pope Francis in our prayers as he is being treated in hospital for a serious illness.

The Holy See Press Office is issuing regular updates on his health on the Vatican News website, [here](#).



Children's Choir

The next children's choir will take place at the 10:30 Morning Mass this *Sunday 2 March*. If your child is Primary School age and would like to take part please email Helen cppmusicgroup@gmail.com and you will be sent links for the hymns that we will be singing.

We will meet to rehearse before Mass at 10:00 in the Church.

Youth Group

If you are aged 11-18, come along to the parish hall at *16:30 next Sunday 9 March* when lots of young people will be gathering for an activity, and to prepare for Mass in various ministries: welcoming, reading, singing and altar serving.

To find out more, please contact Jack Hudson on cppyouthleader@gmail.com

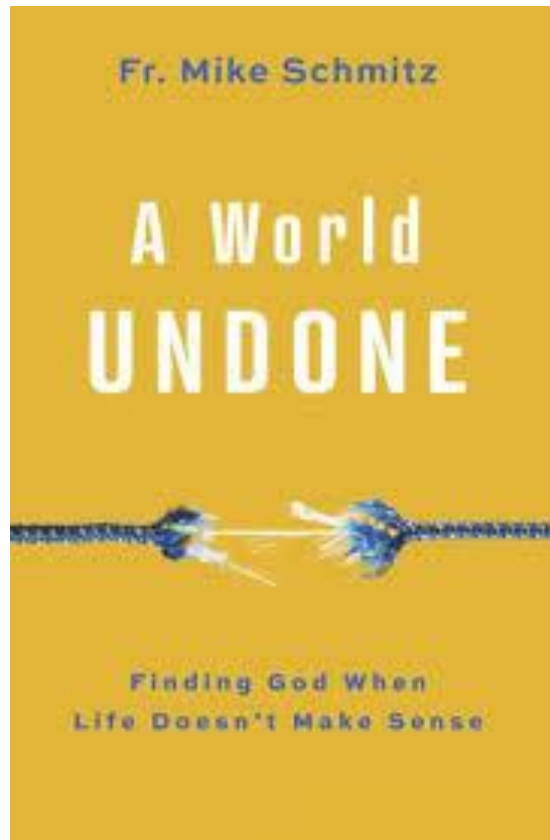
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Lenten Book Club

Parishioners in search of a project for Lent are invited to consider participating in the next parish Catholic book club project. We have chosen Father Mike Schmitz' book "**A World Undone. Finding God When Life Doesn't Make Sense.**" The book is a readable and thought-provoking book suitable for everybody. At 64 pages, the book can be read in a matter of hours, but it is also a great starting point for reading groups who wish to reflect on its contents, which offer an antidote to our troubled world. Some parishioners will already have purchased the book, as details were provided in the Parish Newsletter in December. For those who have not yet obtained a copy, it is available on Amazon at £7.50; a limited number of copies will be available in St Martin's Repository. A Kindle version is also available.

Everyone is welcome to sign-up to join a group and share reflections and insights with fellow readers in one or two short evening or daytime meetings during Lent. Alternatively, parishioners can choose to read the book on their own. All readers are invited to take part in a short workshop in the Parish Hall at 7:30pm on Monday 31 March. Please get in touch if you would like to join a group by emailing cppadultformation@gmail.com. Joining in a group Lenten book reading is fun and sharing insights and reflections can enrich and expand our appreciation of the book.

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Fr. Con
and
CPP Young Families invite you to join us for a
Pancake Supper
Shrove
Tuesday
on
Tuesday, 04 March 2025
3:10pm- 4:15pm
Christ the Prince of Peace, Parish Hall 

*Pancakes and squash available
(Or bring pancakes to share)
With your favourite toppings !*

*For enquiries please contact - cppyoungfamilies@gmail.com
Donations for Parish charities are welcome.*



Tweens, Teens and Screens

9 March, 14:00 - 17:30, Worth School, RH10 4SB

Technology can be a blessing and a curse. It can be used for great good and yet it can expose people to grave evil. Join the Messy Family Project for a workshop that will help you create a plan on how to guide your children to responsibly use technology. **Click here** to book. (Cost: £25).

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*Pray the Rosary
every day in honor of
Our Lady of the
Rosary, in order to
obtain peace for the
world and the end of
the war, for she alone
can be of any avail.*

Third Apparition of
Our Lady of Fatima
July 13, 1917



PARISH OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA
VALENZUELA CITY DIOCESE OF MALOLOS

Thank You

Thank You

A massive thank you to Anthony Watson and Gus Williamson for hosting an engaging and insightful Rugby Event in aid of Project Kimbo.

The evening was very well attended and a huge success, raising **£2,500.00**

These funds will go directly towards education initiatives during year 3 of the project.

Thanks to everyone who attended and for your generosity.

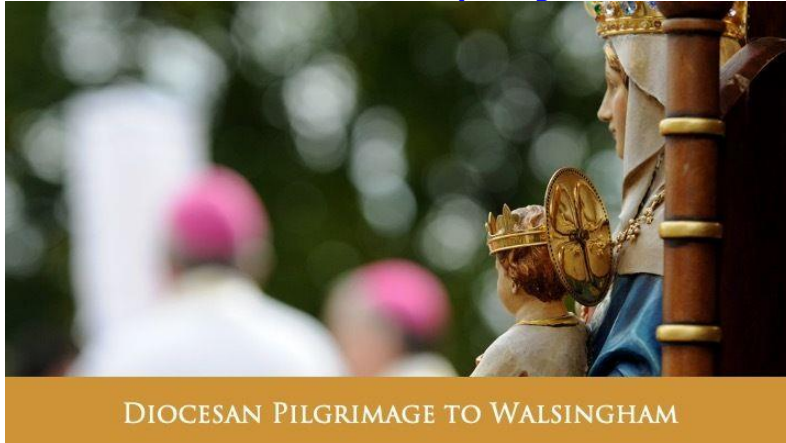
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Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Friday 6 June - Sunday 8 June

Bishop Richard is leading a special Jubilee Year pilgrimage to Walsingham this summer with people across our community of faith invited to mark the 60th anniversary of our diocese and Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee Year. Dating from around 1061, **the Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham** was once one of the four principal shrines of Christendom, along with Rome, Jerusalem and Compostela. Today, the Shrine attracts some 150,000 pilgrims during the pilgrimage season, with about 35 major pilgrimages from Catholic dioceses, parishes, societies and associations. Walsingham is a great Marian Shrine of the Incarnation and a place of pilgrimage for all who would rejoice with Mary at the great joy of the Annunciation. To find out more and book your place, please **click here**



Lent Starts Next Week

Here are a few ideas for activities you could attend to help you to make this a season of spiritual growth.

- **Stations of the Cross (Fridays 12:30 pm)**
- **Eucharistic Adoration** Spend 30 minutes in Eucharistic Adoration each week. (Mondays 10:30 am to 12:00 noon, Tuesdays 10:30 am to 9:00 pm, Wednesdays and Fridays 11:00 am 12:00 noon).
- **Attend Weekday Mass**
- **Daily Reflection** Sign up to <https://christian.art/> to receive a daily email of the gospel reading and a reflection on a work of art linked to that gospel.
- **Help support one of our Parish Charities**

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Stations of the Cross

We will pray the Stations of the Cross every Friday in Lent after the 12:00 noon Mass (from Friday 7 March).

Different parish groups will take responsibility for leading the stations.

Lenten Reconciliation at St Anne's, Chertsey

Bishop Richard will lead a short liturgy and then offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation (assisted by several priests) for the people of the parishes in this area, on Monday 10 March at 19:00.

Everyone welcome to attend.

Ash Wednesday

5 March

Ash Wednesday is one of two yearly days of obligatory fasting and abstinence for Catholics, along with Good Friday.

Fasting means a considerable reduction in food; abstinence is from meat.



Whilst Lent is typically a time we think about giving something up, it is also a time when we think about things that we can do that help us grow closer to God by helping build his Kingdom here on earth. During Lent this year we are asking parishioners to consider 'Doing One Thing' in support of our overseas charity – Project Kimbo. As the project enters its third year the focus is on helping create educational

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opportunities for children in this rural (and remote) area of Uganda. The idea is simple: identify a challenge that you would like to take up during Lent; gain sponsors; and any funds raised from completing your challenge would go towards funding teachers (at the nursery and primary school) and bursaries (for secondary education). It would be great – but not necessary – to share your challenge (and any photos to bring it to life) to cppprojectkimbo@gmail.com. We hope – with your permission – to share these in the newsletter through Lent.

No challenge or funds too small – this is a great opportunity for us to come together as a Parish using our talents, either as individuals, with friends or as a family to support the children (and parents) of Kimbo.

Beginning Experience Weekend

4-6 April at the Sion Community, Essex

Beginning Experience is a special residential weekend programme for widowed, separated and divorced people, which helps participants with natural feelings of grief and loss. The weekend is led by trained volunteers, who have experienced having to adjust to life as single people again.

For further details please contact Mary 07730 884 315, or email BeginningExperience.SoE@gmail.com



Gather a team of up to 8 and help raise funds for the parish charity, Momentum.

Momentum helps children with cancer or other serious illnesses and their families to keep moving forward, from hospital to home and beyond.

www.momentumcharity.org
Tel: 020 8974 5931
Registered charity no. 1195373

Date: 28th March 2025

Time: 7pm

Location: CPP Parish Hall

Cost: £20 per person

Includes a Curry Supper
catered by
Lorna's Indian Kitchen

To register, email us at
cppmomentumwey@gmail.com

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