

# THE MESSENGER

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### Priest in Residence:

Rev. Paul Leonard

### Parish Priest::

Rev. Christopher Rutledge:  
Coordinating Pastor and Dean

### Parish Administrator:

Mrs Jan Hughes  
Thursday and Friday 9 am - 2 pm

### Safeguarding

Maggie Wood c/o Parish Office

Email: [safeguardinghook@gmail.com](mailto:safeguardinghook@gmail.com)

### Confessions

Saturday evenings 5:15 - 5.45 pm.

### PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

**St Bede, Basingstoke** 01256 465214

Fr. Chris Rutledge

Sun 9 am, 11 am, 6.30 pm

**St. Joseph, Basingstoke** 01256 323595

Fr. Chris Whelan, Fr Emmanuel Rinda,  
Deacon Pat O'Connell

Sat 6 pm / Sun 9 am, 11 am

**Sacred Heart, Hook** 01256 577007

Fr. Paul Leonard

Sat 6 pm / Sun 10 am

**St Michael, Tadley** 0118 9814572

Fr. Patrick Tansey

Sat 6 pm / Sun 9.30 am

**St. John the Baptist, Andover** 01264 352829

Fr. Austin Gurr

Sat 6 pm / Sun 10.30 am

### We Welcome

People of All Faiths and Cultures  
Divorced or Separated Persons  
Families with Children  
Those in Loving Relationships  
Those in Difficulty  
Married Couples  
Single Persons  
Those in Recovery  
Travellers from Far and Near  
Widows and Widowers  
Visitors

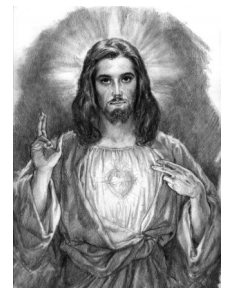


### We Seek

To Live the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
To Gather the Community and Tell the Story  
To Sing and Make Music to the Lord  
To Break the Bread and Share the Cup

### We Celebrate

Diversity  
A spirit of humanity  
The unity that God wills  
Enlightening those who seek God  
Forming small faith communities  
Reaching out to alienated Catholics  
Reverencing the dignity of each person  
Caring for the needs of the less fortunate  
Empowering Christians to realise their call  
Provide a Spiritual Oasis  
Honouring and understanding among all faiths  
Nurturing our gifts and sharing them



## Weekday Masses are celebrated in Maryfield Convent Chapel

### Second Sunday of Lent - 17 March

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As Jesus prayed, the aspect of his face was changed.

Sat 16 6:00 pm Mary O'Driscoll RIP

Sun 17 10:00 am People of the Parish

Mon 18 of the 2nd week of Lent  
10:00 am - Mass

Tues 19 ST JOSEPH  
10:00 am Irene Teeling & Virginia De Luc RIP

Wed 20 of the 2nd week of Lent  
10:00 am - Mass

Thur 21 of the 2nd week of Lent  
10:00 am - Mass

Fri 22 of the 2nd week of Lent  
10:00 am - Mass

Sat 23 of the 2nd week of Lent  
10:00 am - Mass

### Third Sunday of Lent - 24 March

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Unless you repent you will all perish as they did.

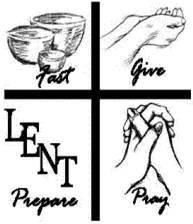
Sat 23 6:00 pm Mary Maguire RIP

Sun 24 10:00 am People of the Parish



**WELCOME** to Fr Chris who is celebrating Mass with us this weekend. Fr Paul will be at St Bede.

### LENT 2019



Lent is a time to prepare for Holy Week's commemoration of Our Lord's Passion, Death and Resurrection.

**During Lent we do not sing or say** either the Gloria or the Alleluia, flowers do not decorate the Church and Baptisms are held over until Easter.

#### **Every Sunday in Lent**

4:00 pm Stations of the Cross in the Church

#### **Every Tuesday in Lent**

7:30 pm Essential Training for Catechists in the Church

#### **Every Friday in Lent**

7:30 pm Stations of the Cross in Maryfield Convent

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK IN OUR PARISH**

Lord, have all those who are unable to be with us at Mass in Your safekeeping as we remember:

Joan Coleman, Jean Williams, Sean Dillow, Helena Allen,  
Yvonne Beaumont, Debbie Cavedon, Jerry Gilmore  
June Walsh, Margaret Sauce & Charles Paice

#### **THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

First Reading: Exodus 3: 1-8, 13-15

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 100: 1-4, 6-8, 11 response v 8

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-6, 10-12

Gospel: Luke 13: 1-9

### **RCIA—JOURNEY IN FAITH**

The next meeting is on **Thursday 21st March** at 7:30 pm in the Hall. This session is for the Candidates and sponsors only, please bring any questions with you.

### **CAFOD Family Fast Day:**

CAFOD's Family Fast Day this Lent is an opportunity to support our brothers and sisters around the world.



Drought, floods and storms are having a devastating impact on our global family. Like Mahinur from Bangladesh. She makes a living from fishing but a drought last year killed all the fish, and she's struggling to support her disabled husband and son. Through CAFOD's global Church network - one of the largest aid networks in the world - your support can reach to the ends of the earth.

### **CAR PARKING**

With our numbers increasing on a Sunday morning, parking is becoming difficult. The sisters from Maryfield Convent have always been very kind and allowed their car park to be used as an overflow. Please be respectful and remember that the convents guests and staff also use this car park.

**Please make sure that you are not blocking in any cars and there is always access for emergency vehicles.**



### **LUCKY ME**

Winner of the Knights of St Columba March 'Lucky Me' Draw is Lorraine Cramp of Basingstoke—£25

### **FOODBANK**

Has God given you a heart for serving those in our community facing financial need? Hart Foodbank are looking for people to help process donations and prepare food parcels for clients at Life Church Centre. Current need is for Session Leaders and Session Helpers. Session times are Mon/Thurs 1:00-3:00 pm Sessions are manned on a rota basis so there is room for flexibility in terms of how often you will be on duty. No previous experience required, just a heart to show God's love to people in a time of crisis. Training will be provided. Please contact Diana Fleet or David Grant for more information c/o [office@lifechurchhook.org](mailto:office@lifechurchhook.org).



### **SIGNIFICANT WEDDINGS ANNIVERSARY MASS**

Are you celebrating a 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 60th or Anniversary over 60 years? If so Bishop Philip would like to invite you to a Mass of Celebration. This will take place at St Bede's Church in Basingstoke on **Saturday 6th July 2019 at 11 am**. If you would like to come, please fill in the form on the Diocesan website, [www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](http://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) email to [anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk). Please note this address is not monitored daily and you may have to wait for a reply, so please be patient, or please contact the Parish Office for the form.



### **ADORE (Alton Day Of Renewal)**

– Saturday 23rd March 11.00 am - 4.00 pm

You are warmly welcome to a mini-retreat day (or morning/afternoon) of spiritual refreshment and renewal, focussing on Renewal and Prayer. At Alton School, Anstey Lane, Alton GU34 2NG. 11.00 am *Rosary*; 11.30 am *Mass*; 12.15 *Adoration* of the Blessed Sacrament; 1.00 pm Shared lunch (please bring finger food to share); 2.00 pm *Praise & Worship*; 2.30 pm *Talk "Charismatic Prayer"*— Jenny Baker; 3.30 pm *Prayer for healing*. We end about 4.00 pm. There is no need to register in advance, and no charge (though a collection will be taken to cover costs). For more information and directions, see poster or website: [www.altonrenewal.com](http://www.altonrenewal.com) Or telephone Alastair Emblem on 01252 714809.

*Next month's meeting 27<sup>th</sup> April "Praying for the Power of the Holy Spirit" – Speakers: Geoff & Gina Poulter*

### **KNIGHTS OF SAINT COLUMBA**

- 'NATIONAL ROSARY CAMPAIGN'

The Knights are praying the Rosary on the first Tuesday of every month from February until November 2019; at 7.30pm in St Joseph's Church.

The campaign is in conjunction with the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC). Please join them in praying the Rosary before the Blessed Sacrament.

**Next Tuesday 02 April**