

SACRED HEART PARISH

In The Diocese of Portsmouth Reg. Charity No. 246871

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2 August 2020

MASS AT SACRED HEART CHURCH

As many of you may be aware Father Paul has been suffering from debilitating back pain for a while now. He has been advised to reduce his workload as much as possible, so for the foreseeable future we will NOT be streaming live Masses from Sacred Heart Hook. Mass is available at St Bede's Church (www.stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk) and St Joseph's Church (www.stjosephbasingstoke.org.uk) both live streamed and in person.

OPENING OF THE SACRED HEART CHURCH FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Instructions to follow when coming in to church

In order to keep everyone safe when coming to church, the following guidelines will need to be followed;

- Please apply hand sanitizer when entering and leaving the church, either your own or use the one provided inside the entrance to the Church
- Face Masks must be worn at all times in the church.
- There is a one way system in operation, enter through the main doors and exit via the fire door on the left of the Altar
- Please remember to observe 2 metre social distancing at all times unless you are from the same household
- Please only sit on the plastic seats at the front of the church
- The toilets and the hall must remain closed.
- Remember to take all your belongings home with you when you leave the church
- Anyone who is unwell or shielding and anyone in the "vulnerable" category is asked not to enter at the current time
- If you wish to leave a donation there are baskets at the entrance and exit.
- Please help our volunteers keep us all safe by following their instructions

Please visit the Coronavirus page: www.sacredhearthook.org/coronavirus for any last minute changes

SACRED HEART CHURCH OPENING TIMES

The church is open for private prayer at the following times:

Monday 10.00 am until 12: noon Tuesday 5.00 pm until 7:00 pm

Obviously, there is no obligation for anyone to attend church during this time and no-one should feel guilty about not coming back to church until they feel that it is totally safe to do so.

Priest in Charge: Rev. Paul Leonard
Parish Administrator: Mrs Jan Hughes

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Safeguarding Minister: Mrs Maggie Wood email: safeguarding@sacredhearthook.org

PARISH DONATIONS

If you would like to make a donation to the Parish, or set up a Standing Order, our bank account details

Lloyds Bank

Sort Code: 30 93 04 Account number 00880117

Name: PRCDTR Sacred Heart Hook

(Please also use this for cheque payments)

Thank you so much for your generosity.

God bless. Fr. Paul



RECONCILIATION

Confessions will be heard during Private Prayer on Monday mornings if Fr Paul is able too.

(10am - 12noon)

When you come to private prayer please let the stewards know if you wish to go to confession.

GROW IN YOUR FAITH THIS SUMMER

The Diocesan Formation for Mission team (FFM) is offering a series of online talks and videos this August to help bring you closer to Jesus Christ. Whether you are a catechist wanting to develop your ministry or a faithful Catholic looking to learn more, they are here to help. Further details can be found in this week's

e-news.

www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/enews

PARISH OFFICE

After months of being on furlough I am pleased to announce that the Parish Office is now once again open. Jan will be in the office on a Monday morning and also by request during the week.

To celebrate this we have a new email address for all parish activities, questions and suggestions

Please use <u>hello@sacredhearthook.org</u> for all Parish enquiries.

Please also call us on **01256 577007** and leave a message or if urgent please ring Jan on **07719 012955**.

It is great to be back at work.

THE MONTH OF AUGUST

This weekend we begin the month of August which is traditionally dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Let us remember this devotion particularly through the month of August. Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

ST BEDE'S BASINGSTOKE MASS TIMES

St Bede's Church has opened its doors for Mass. The Masses are being held at the following times for the week 26th July – 2nd August.

Sunday 2nd 9am, 11am and 6pm (tickets needed)

No booking is needed to attend a weekday Mass, but please be aware that there is a max. of 80 allowed in the church and all visitors are required to wear face coverings whilst in the church (except for communion)

Monday 9:30am and 6 pm

Tuesday 9:30am

Wednesday 9:30am and 6 pm

Thursday 9:30am

Friday 9:30am and 6 pm

Saturday 9:30am

Sunday 9th 9am, 11am and 6pm (tickets needed)

DIOCESAN PRAYER INTENTIONS (2 - 8 August)

These are arranged so that in the course of a year we pray for each parish of our Diocese and the Catholic organisations working here. This week's intentions are:

Sunday: Franciscan Friars of the Immaculate in the Diocese

Monday: Retired or Sick Clergy of the Diocese

Tuesday: Bishop Philip

Wednesday: Don Bosco Summer Camp

Thursday: Church Fabric Committees. **Friday**: Lay Dominicans and Dominican Secular Institute **Saturday**: Dominican Sister [of Malta, of Saint Joseph & of the Presentation] in the Diocese