

SACRED HEART PARISH

In The Diocese of Portsmouth
Reg. Charity No. 246871



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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10 July 2022

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St Vincent De Paul Society (SVP) now have a confidential mobile phone line to assist & help.07434 773219.

Please note we now have CCTV Cameras around the premises for security purposes.

MASS TIMES

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 9 July	6:00 pm	Mass	Praying the Rosary before Mass at 5:30pm
Sunday 10 July	10.00 am	Mass	Praying the Rosary before Mass at 9:30am
Monday 11 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Tuesday 12 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Wednesday 13 July	10:00 am	Mass	In the Church. Praying the Rosary after Mass
Thursday 14 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Friday 15 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Saturday 16 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 16 July	6:00 pm	Mass	Praying the Rosary before Mass at 5:30pm
Sunday 17 July	10.00 am	Mass	Praying the Rosary before Mass at 9:30am
Monday 18 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Tuesday 19 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Wednesday 20 July	10:00 am	Mass	In the Church. Praying the Rosary after Mass
Thursday 21 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Friday 22 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Saturday 23 July	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent

Sunday Masses at 10:00am will be live streamed via our Website and YouTube.

MELFORT GLEN

Curry Night

PARISH HALL

Saturday 16th July 2022

at 7.30 pm (hall open from 7pm)

Ticket Cost: £8.00 tickets available after Mass

All proceeds will go to Melfort Glen, the old peoples home in Zimbabwe that the Parish supports.

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, Debbie Cavedon, John Bone, Terry Wright, Stella Marsh, Dom Canon, Fr Don Clement, David Clark, Jacob Weston, Noel Took & Virgilius Vickers

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Divine Mercy chaplet followed by the Holy Rosary will take place in the Convent Chapel at 3pm on Fridays. Everyone is welcome

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the soul of **Neil Manning RIP**, who died on Tuesday morning. Please keep his family and friends in your prayers.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen



COVID19 RECOMMENDATIONS

We are again asking that you wear masks when in the church and the church buildings and to continue using the sanitiser on the way into Sacred Heart. Everyone is always welcome at Sacred Heart but please stay away if you are unwell, whether or not it is Covid. We will continue to ensure that there is good ventilation, so please dress appropriately. Thank you for your continued support for our church community, and may God bless you and your families and keep you well and safe.

WEEKLY ROTA

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 9 July 6pm

Welcomer: **Anne Da Silva**

Reader: **Anne Da Silva**

Sunday 10 July 10am

Welcomer: **Theresa Mahon**

Reader: **Shanthi Fernando**

Coffee: **Theresa Mahon**

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

St Bede, Basingstoke 01256 465214
Fr. Dominic Adeiza & Fr. John Lavers
Sun 9 am, 11 am, 6.30 pm

St. Joseph, Basingstoke 01256 323595
Fr. John Lavers & Fr Benoy Kurian
Sat 6 pm / Sun 9 am, 11 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

LITURGY OF THE WORD



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First Reading Deuteronomy 30: 10 - 14

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 68

**Seek the Lord, you who are poor,
and your hearts will revive**

Second Reading: Colossians 1: 15 - 20

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

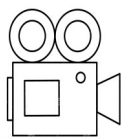
The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice,
says the Lord.

I know them and they follow me
Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 10: 25 - 37

LIVE STREAMING THE MASS

This weekend we will be live streaming the Saturday Mass rather than the Children's Mass on the Sunday morning.



GIFT AID - INCREASE YOUR GIFT

You can increase your weekly/monthly giving to the church by 25% without any additional cost to you (if you are a taxpayer). This is a very simple process and takes only minutes to complete. If you would like to join our gift aid scheme, contact Jan on 01256 577007

NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATIONS

You will find our new DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE, contactless terminal in the church. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/ device to make a donation.

Simply choose the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader.

You can also opt-in for Gift Aid to increase your donation by 25%.

Parish you will need to register with the Digital Collection Plate. Contactless donations are simple to administer, secure and convenient.



PARISH DONATIONS

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

Lloyds Bank Sort Code: 30 93 04 A/c No.: 00880117

Name: PRC DTR Sacred Heart Hook

(Please also use this for cheque payments)

ONLINE OFFERTORY AND DONATIONS An easy way to give online using your debit card has been set up on our website at [https:// www.sacredhearhook.org/donations](https://www.sacredhearhook.org/donations)

MARYFIELD CONVENT

FAITH SHARING PRAYER MEETING

First Tuesday of the month

Next meeting—Tuesday 2nd August 2022

10:30am in the tea room

SHARE - ARTICLES AND RESOURCES ON THE ENVIRONMENT

I have been thinking about the amount of waste that I put in the grey bin, in the light of several European countries reducing the frequency of bin collection, in an attempt to reduce the amount of waste that goes into landfill or is used as part of energy generation. Currently with fortnightly bin collections, we can comfortably fill our bins without concern, but could you imagine if our bins were collected every two months instead?

Think about how we would manage our waste ?

And this got me thinking about what we can do to reduce the waste that goes in our grey bins.

I am sure many people put food waste in their composting bins - food waste, such as vegetable peelings, eggshells, ground coffee, newspapers for example, while being mindful of pest management in our gardens.

And with the various options for recycling plastic in Hook and Odiham, the contents of our grey bins should be minimal.

I can see from my own grey bin, that often I am throwing away food that I have failed to use for all sorts of reasons - and this is a key area of focus. Reducing the amount of food that is wasted is key to reducing the amount of landfill and ultimately positively impacting our planet.

So May I suggest making lists when you go shopping ; buying what you need on the list and not some of the special offers/ buy one get one free offers that supermarkets encourage, and managing the best by dates on foods to ensure that they are used in good time. I'm going to give it a try.

Thank you

ALPHA is coming to Sacred Heart in September!

What do you think? Ask at Alpha

We are delighted to invite you to:

Explore the Christian faith

Connect with new people

Hear a talk on a topic of faith

Ask questions and share your thoughts

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith. The Alpha Film Series features inspiring stories and interviews from around the globe.

For example:

Is there more to life than this?

Who is Jesus?

Why did Jesus die?

How can I have faith?

Why and how should I pray?

Why and how should I read the Bible?

How does God guide us?

Who is the Holy Spirit?

and much more!

Presented by Nicky Gumbel, Gemma Hunt and Toby Flint, each episode explores a different aspect of the Christian faith. The series features interviews with public figures such as world-renowned scientist Francis Collins of the Human Genome Project and adventurer and author Bear Grylls.

Starts: Saturday 24th September at 10am (light brunch included)

At: Sacred Heart Church Hall, London Road, HOOK RG27 9LA

We look forward to meeting you!

For more information and to register your interest please contact the Parish Office on [Hello@sacredhearthook.org](mailto>Hello@sacredhearthook.org)

WORLD YOUTH DAY LISBON 2023

Sarah Farrell, WYD Lisbon 2023 Co-ordinator invites those over sixteen years of age to sign up to join Bishop Philip Egan at World Youth Day 2023 as he leads the pilgrimage group from our Diocese. If you are going to be aged 16 or above by July 2023, you are invited to join with like-minded young people from across the diocese to journey on pilgrimage to Lisbon for World Youth Day. This is a life changing experience for all those who accept the invitation and this pilgrimage, led by Bishop Philip, is set to be the best one yet!

But hurry, spaces are limited! Please register your interest ASAP to get your name on the list. Plans are in the early stages, but we will provide more information and details as soon as possible.

For further information, please email wyd@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk



THE UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS

We are pleased to announce that the Union of Catholic Mothers is coming to the Sacred Heart Parish, you do not have to be married or a mother to join us, for more information please talk to Anne and Shanthi or the Parish Office. **We will be holding another enrolment in the near future if you would like to join/be included then to let Anne, Shanthi or the Parish Office know.**



DIOCESAN DAY FOR CATECHISTS

The Formation for Mission Team are inviting all catechists, seasoned and new, and all children's Liturgy leaders and helpers to attend our Diocesan Day for Catechists, which will be taking place in Winchester on Saturday 8th October. All details and registration here: <https://www.pffm.org.uk/catechists>

CAKE AND PLANT SALE

We will be holding a cake and plant sale after Mass on Sunday 24th July in aid of Lhaova Orphanage. Donations of cakes and plants welcome.



CARITAS HOMES WITH BORDERS FOR REFUGEES

"Sadly, the *Caritas Homes without Borders for Refugees (Basingstoke)* appeal has been unable to proceed. If you gave money to the appeal, you are entitled to claim it back: please speak to the parish office."

FANNING THE FLAME 2022

Sr Veronica OP invites young people aged 11-21 to this year's Fanning the Flame camp which will take place again at the Priory in Sway from Monday 15th - Friday 19th August...

At this year's camp we will be looking at some of the incredible miracles performed by Jesus Christ, what they reveal to us of Himself, the Word Incarnate, and how we may have new life in Him through the celebration of the Sacraments. This Catholic camp is a gathering of about 100 young people, who come together to re-connect with old friends and make new ones, to learn more about our loving God and deepen their relationship with Him.

It doesn't matter where you are in your relationship with Christ, you are welcome to come and be drawn deeper! Ask questions, spend time with our Lord, receive the Sacraments, have a lot of silly fun, and be renewed in your life and faith! The camp is run by The Dominican Sisters of St. Joseph and an experienced team of volunteers who have been running FTF events for over 20 years. This year, the camp is back at the home of the sisters, The Priory

THE BLESSED CHARLES DE FOUCAULD FRATERNITY

We recently restarted our Fraternity of Blessed Charles de Foucauld in our parish. We get together once a month for couple of hours at convenient day and time for all. We start with the exposition of the blessed sacrament in the church. We also read the Sunday's gospel reading and contemplate on the reading and share our views. We also discuss the life and writings of blessed Charles de Foucauld. The next meeting is on Wednesday 13 July at 2.30pm, in the Convent. Everyone is welcome to join us.

SCAM

We have just been made aware of Parishioners in our Diocese being contacted by text, by someone pretending to be their Parish Priest. (See attached image). This person asked the Parishioners to buy vouchers or Goods needed urgently by the Parish Priest.

Parishioners are reminded to: **Report the text Phone number to reporting.actionfraud.police.uk/login**

and send the text number to: report@phishing.gov.uk
Parishioners are advised to ignore any messages coming from a non-saved contact.

Please remember that your Parish Priest would never contact you asking for vouchers either by email or text.

PORTSMOUTH DIOCESE NEWS

To keep up to date with the news of the Diocese and the Bishop please follow us on:

Facebook: @PortsmouthRC

LinkedIn: Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth

Twitter: @PortsmouthRC

The Diocese website:

<https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/>

If you have news that you would like to share with the rest of the Diocese, please contact

communications@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

THIS IS MY BODY

We are having a mop-up session next Thursday (14th) July at 10:30am, where you can come and watch any sessions you've missed or would like to see again.

Course on The Mass and The Eucharist

We would like to invite you to join us for this inspiring course designed to inform, inspire and raise prayerful discussion about the great gift of the Mass.

<https://faithcafe.org/products/this-is-my-body-dvd-course>

<https://faithcafe.org/products/amazing-gift-an-instructional-mass-dvd-course>

