

SACRED HEART PARISH

In The Diocese of Portsmouth
Reg. Charity No. 246871



THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Remembrance Sunday)

13 November 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

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Saturday 12 November	6:00 pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 13 November	10.00 am	Mass	Sheila Fletcher RIP
Monday 14 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Tuesday 15 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Wednesday 16 November	10:00 am	Mass	In the Church, Followed by the Rosary
Thursday 17 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Friday 18 November	10:30 am	Mass	Requiem Mass for Joan Hartnett RIP
Saturday 19 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Saturday 19 November	6:00 pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 20 November	10.00 am	Mass	Rev Robin Saunders RIP
Monday 21 November	10:00 am	Mass	Requiem Mass for Theresa Couchman RIP
Tuesday 22 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Wednesday 23 November	10:00 am	Mass	In the Church, Followed by the Rosary
Thursday 24 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Friday 25 November	10:30 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent
Saturday 26 November	10:00 am	Mass	In Maryfield Convent

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

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

St Bede, Basingstoke 01256 465214

Fr. John Lee & Fr Jean Patrise Coulon

Sun 9 am, 11 am, 6.00 pm

St. Joseph, Basingstoke 01256 323595

Fr. Paul Leonard & 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

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to all parishioners and visitors who join us, whether in our Church or via the live-stream. If you are new to the area, please register as a member of our Parish using the form on our website

CONFESSIONS IN THE CHURCH

Saturday evening 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm





The future of the Diocese from Bishop Philip Egan 'You will be my Witnesses'

Bishop Philip is strongly urging us all to look at the Diocesan Ten Year Plan which can be found on their website: www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk (for those of you who do not have access to a computer, we do have a small supply of printed versions which are in the Parish Office).

Please do digest this info, discuss amongst yourselves and let us have any feedback... thank you.

On Tuesday 15th November at 7:30pm, the PPC will be opening up their normal meeting to the Parish to discuss the 10 year plan.

Each and every one of us is needed for the renewal of our Church, so that we can realise the vision of Jesus Himself. 'You Will Be My Witnesses' is an invitation to every person and every parish across the Diocese to come together on this journey. Thank you in advance for your participation!

MARYFIELD CONVENT

FAITH SHARING PRAYER MEETING

First Tuesday of the month

Next meeting—Tuesday 6th December 2022

10:30am in the tea room

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, Dom Canon, Fr Don Clement & Jacob Weston

CAFOD World Gifts: Give a gift of hope this Christmas

In Advent, let's share the promise of hope that has been made to us with our sisters and brothers around the world. You can buy CAFOD's World Gifts for family and friends this Christmas online at <https://worldgifts.cafod.org.uk/> or pick up a catalogue in church. World Gifts such as "super soup kitchens",

WORLD GIFTS "trees for life", or "water for a family" will help transform lives in a world filled with challenges

LITURGY OF THE WORD

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First Reading Malachi 3: 19 - 20

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 97

The Lord comes to rule the peoples with fairness

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3: 7 - 12

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Stay awake, praying at all times
for the strength to stand with confidence
before the Son of Man.

Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 21: 5 - 19

Today is Remembrance Sunday; a day we set aside each year to remember all those who have lost their lives for the peace and freedom we enjoy today. On this day people across the nation pause to reflect on the sacrifices made by our brave service men and women. Remembrance is a key aspect of our Eucharistic prayer. We pray today for those who have died in both the First & Second World Wars. We pray for those and their families who have died this very year in the Middle East and Ukraine in defence of their nation and the world in the quest for peace. On this day people across the nation pause for 2 minutes at 11am to reflect on the sacrifices made by our brave Service men and women

THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS

During the month of November, a box for the request of prayers for the souls of loved ones will be placed in front of the altar. If you would like prayers for a deceased loved one, please write their name on one of the slips of paper and place it in the box. May they Rest In Peace.

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

Have you moved or changed telephone/ mobile number recently? Please do let us know...

REV BRIAN COOGAN

Father Brian Coogan was a well loved and well known priest in Basingstoke for many years. He has recently moved from his home on the Isle of Wight to reside in the retired Mill Hill Missionary home in Formby. At the age of 98 he has turned his attention to writing the story not only of his life but his spiritual journey. This is being published privately. You will only be able to obtain books if you order now. The cost depends on the ordered numbers. But we anticipate it will cost about £5 plus postage (where applicable). If you would like a copy then these can be obtained through Dave Kiely (who is assisting Fr Brian in this project).

Contact details as follows : davekielyow@ aol.com tel 07854917421

CHILDRENS ADVENT WORKSHOP

SUNDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2022 11-12.30pm

We will be running a Childrens Advent Workshop on 4th December, after Mass, in the church and all children are warmly welcome!

We will be exploring the Nativity story, making our own Nativity set, and , in particular, learning about Angels and Stars.

We are also delighted to provide pizzas , care of a very generous benefactor!

Please sign up on the sheet in the entrance of the church, or alternatively please let Jan know on

hello@sacredhearthook.org. Also please indicate if your child has any allergies in terms of the pizzas - thank you.

FOR CHILDREN WHO SUFFER

During November 2022, we join the Holy Father in praying for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection...



REPOSITORY

Cecile has available in the porch and in the hall Christmas cards, advent calendars, 2023 diaries. If there is any specific you would like please talk to Cecile or Jan in the Office.

THE ODE OF REMEMBRANCE

They shall grow not old, as we that are
left grow old.

Age shall not weary them, nor the
years condemn.

At the going down of the sun, and in
the morning,
we will remember them.

All: We will remember them

When you go home, tell them of us, and say:
'For your tomorrow, we gave our today'.



CARPARK

Please be aware that the carpark in front of the care home belongs to the care home and it is due to their goodwill that parishioners are able to park here during Mass time. It is extremely important that the spaces immediately in front of the building are not used for parishioner's parking, those spaces are in constant use and parishioners should not park there, nor should they block cars which are parked there. The space which is clearly marked for "emergency use only" is kept clear always, no one parks in that space as it is for the use of the emergency services. Thank you

ADoRE'S November Mini Retreat ADoRE Online spiritual mini-retreat morning takes place on 26th November. The theme is "Love one another as I have loved you" - we are called to receive and give God's love. The special guest speaker and Mass Celebrant is Fr Anthony Meredith, ADoRE Chaplain and Spiritual Director; Vicar General of the Rosminians. Starts with Mass at 10.00am and also includes Adoration, Prophetic sharing, Praise, Testimony and discussion. Please register for the Zoom meeting in advance at bit.ly/ADORENOV2022

CHARLES DE FOUCAULD FRATERNITY MEETING

Next Charles de Foucauld fraternity meeting will be on the 1st Dec at 2.30pm in the convent. We start with Exposition of the blessed sacrament and Fr Peter Codd will lead us to share the Gospel message of the upcoming Sunday. We end the session with fellowship and saying the 'Abandonment Prayer'. Everyone is welcome.

Head of Charity – Caritas

Full time role - Salary up to £45k depending on experience.

“Caritas is the practical expression of Christian love in our world. “ Are you an experienced leader in the Charitable sector able to provide drive, motivation and passion to make a real and lasting difference to those in need in our local communities and beyond so that the love of Christ may be visible as part of our Christian love for people in their time of need. Do you have a track record in leading successful projects motivating a large volunteer workforce, and fostering positive and professional relationships with local leaders and statutory bodies? The Roman Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth has an exciting opportunity for an experienced and highly motivated professional to lead its social and community charitable developments principally at home but also fostering strong relationships with partner charities who support work overseas in particular Bamenda where we have had long standing connections. Working under the direction of the Caritas Board within the Evangelisation Vicariate and as a member of the Senior Leadership Team of the Diocese, the postholder will be responsible for building and supporting a network of volunteers to develop and deliver local projects across our parishes and schools which reflects local need. Generating sources of funding for projects is an integral part of the role and working with the Diocesan Grant and Trust Officer the postholder will build constructive and positive working relationships with funders. We are looking for someone who is confident to represent and promote the work of the Diocese in this area and has highly developed interpersonal and presentation skills as well as a deep knowledge of effective governance in the Charity sector. You will have an affinity for the principles and teachings of the Catholic Church, to motivate you to take our work and our organisation forward and realise our goals as part of our ten year Mission plan. “You Will Be My Witnesses”.

For full job description and details of how to apply please contact: recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

CARITAS

We have been asked to start a collection of wind up torches, lamps and lights, new hot water bottles with covers, bed socks, blankets/fleeces and sleeping bags please. Caritas have a couple of families in Fleet, a growing number in Hook and Basingstoke. The excess can be given to Hook contacts and two Basingstoke contacts - all supporting our struggling low income families from year to year. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass Intention, please contact Jan in the Parish Office on 01256 577007 or email: office@sacredhearthook.org for more information.

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.



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

Account number 00880117

Name: PRCDTR 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 www.sacredhearthook.org/donations Just click the button and follow the instructions.

Thank you so much for your generosity.

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

BASINGSTOKE CHRISTMAS TOY APPEAL

“The Community Furniture Project will be hosting the Basingstoke Christmas Toy Appeal this year. We are collecting new and unwrapped gifts for children of all ages, and young people up to the age of 19, from business and individuals throughout Basingstoke. Did you know that 1 in 10 children live below the breadline? During the festive period, thousands of families struggle as they are forced to choose between buying presents or paying bills. As a result, many children in our area receive no gifts. We hope you can assist us to bring the community together to support this project and help us help local families in need this Christmas”. Sacred Heart Church will have a box in the Foyer where toys can be left—thank you.

