

# SACRED HEART PARISH

Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth  
Reg. Charity No. 1199568



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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

Mass in the Convent on Monday mornings at 9:30am  
Daily Eucharistic Service at Maryfield Convent at 10:00am (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri & Sat)

### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Sat 30 May	6:00 pm	Mass	Joanna's Intentions Connie Weston RIP
Sun 31 May	10:00 am	Mass	Laski Family Intentions Mary Owens RIP Geoffrey Lynch RIP
Mon 1 June	9:30 am	Mass in the Convent	

### MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

Sat 6 June	11:00 am	Mass	First Holy Communion
	6:00 pm	Mass	Joanna's Intentions
Sun 7 June	10:00 am	Mass	Laski Family Intentions Mary Owens RIP and Geoffrey Lynch RIP
Mon 8 June	9:30 am	Mass in the Convent	

### THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Fri 12 June	10:00 am	Mass	
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### CONFESSIONS & SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Father John will be available after Mass for Confessions and/or the Sacrament of the Sick.

### MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass Intention, please contact Jan in the Parish Office on 01256 577007.

### PARISH FINANCE

Dona Plates Contactless giving made easy (with Gift Aid optional) - See the machine at the back of the church  
Standing Orders Please contact the Parish Office for more details.

### BACS Transfer

Our bank details are: CDP Hook Sacred Heart (Lloyds Bank) : Sort Code 30-93-04 Account 00880117

Cheques Payable to 'CDP Hook Sacred Heart'

Gift Aid payers are encouraged to contact the office at: office@sacredhearthook.org

### **PLEASE PRAY**

Lord, have all those who are unable to be with us at Mass in Your safekeeping as we remember:  
Debbie Cavedon, Jacob Weston, Mike Murch,  
Nikki Pink, Ken Musgrave, Sylvia Hosking,  
Fr Jean Patrice, David Xavier, John Kidd, Anne Mitchell,  
Peter Ward, Sheila Barlow, Andrew Henderson &  
Maeve Crangle

### **WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE 17TH - 21ST AUGUST**

There are still a few spaces available for our second annual ecumenical pilgrimage to Walsingham.  
For more information please speak to Shanthi or the office.

### **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION**

On Sunday 7th June, after Mass, The Feast of Corpus Christi, we hope that you will join us in a traditional Corpus Christi procession, within the Church and Convent grounds. This is an exciting opportunity for the children of the Parish to lead the procession and scatter flower petals in honour of the Blessed Sacrament.



### **PARISH BBQ 7th June 2024 ALL ARE WELCOME.**

Please come and join in our annual Parish Get together to be held at the Parish Hall/ Back Garden after the Corpus Christie Procession on Sunday 7th June.



There is a list at the back of the church so please put your names down together with the number of attendees coming from your family, stating if you are vegetarian. Please bring your own drinks. Thank you.

### **PASTORAL COUNCIL (SACRED HEART)**

If you have any questions for the PC then please either email them to [ppc@sacredhearthook.org](mailto:ppc@sacredhearthook.org) or drop them into the parish office.

The minutes are available from the welcomers table.

### **PASTORAL AREA COMMITTEE (BASINGSTOKE)**

#### **SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM**

Shanthi Fernando is our representative on the SLT

### **OTHER LOCAL CHURCH, SUNDAY MASS TIMES**

**St Joseph's, Basingstoke**

**Rev Paul Leonard**

Masses at 6pm Sat / 9am & 11am Sun

**St Bede's, Basingstoke**

**Rev John Lee**

Masses at 9am, 11am & 6pm Sun

**St Michael's, Tadley**

**Rev Stephen Vooght**

Masses 6pm Sat / 9am Sun

**St Oswald's, Burghfield**

11am Sundays

### **WELCOME**

A very warm welcome to all parishioners and visitors who join us. If you are new to the area, please contact the Parish office to register as a member of our Parish. Parish Registration forms are available from the welcomers table.

### **LITURGY OF THE WORD**

#### **MOST HOLY TRINITY**



**First Reading** Exodus 34: 4 - 6, 8 - 9

**Responsorial Psalm:** Daniel 3

**To you glory and praise for evermore**

**Second Reading:** 2 Corinthians 13: 11 - 13

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Spirit**

**The God who is, who was, and who is to come.**

**Alleluia!**

**Gospel** John 3: 16 - 18

### **CONFIRMATION**

Are you or your teenagers interested in learning about confirmation. We are holding some information evenings in June. Please contact the office for more information.

### **PARISH COLLECTION**

Collection for the weekend of the 10 & 17 May amounted to £1,702.34 from Standing Orders, Direct Debits, Contactless and Mass Collections.

**Thank you**

### **MARYFIELD CONVENT**

#### **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

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

#### **FAITH SHARING PRAYER MEETING**

First Tuesday of the month.

At 10:30am

in the tea room

#### **TUESDAY UCM KNITTING AND CROCHET GROUP**

2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesday of the month

At 10:30 in the tea room

#### **ADORATION FOR PEACE**

Tuesday evenings 7:30—8:30pm

**Everyone is welcome to all of the above**

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Sat 6th June FHC Mass at 11:00am

Sun 7th June Corpus Christi Procession and BBQ

Fri 12th June The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

### ILL AT HOME OR IN HOSPITAL

If you are ill and are unable to attend Mass, please let Sister Mary-Doris know, we can then arrange for communion to be brought to you. If you are in hospital or know that you are going to go in, let us know in the office by phone 01256 577007 and Sister Mary-Doris on 07899 653413

### THE SACRISTY

Is a place of prayer and contemplation and should be an oasis of calm, before and after Mass. The Priest and Servers need time and space in order to prepare them selves for The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. **Please respect this and refrain from visiting the Sacristy in the last 15 mins before Mass.** Unless there is an emergency, of course.

### THE CHURCH—BEFORE MASS

Many have asked me that we try and keep our voices down before Mass so that we can all offer our prayers to God in relative peace before Mass begins. We are a beautiful family of faith at Sacred Heart, therefore very important we chat and catch up. But if we can try and leave this until after Mass it would be much appreciated.

Many thanks. Fr J C

### POPE LEO MAY PRAYER INTENTION

*This month, our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV asks us join him in his prayer intention for the values of sports*  
Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth



### SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

Working with children and Adults at Risk Training must be renewed every 3 years.

The next face to face training is on Saturday 6th June 10:00—13:00 hours at St Bede's church Basingstoke.

To Book Direct email: [safeguarding@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

### **Pentecost – 2026 - Hook**

**God's Spirit**, power, energy and influence **is everywhere**. I was standing in a queue at the Pet Shop recently. An elderly lady was being served, with a chap waiting behind her and in front of me. She offered her credit card to pay. The card was declined. She reached into her bag for another. It too was declined. The lady started to get really stressed when the chap in front me stepped forward and tapped his credit card on the machine. "No, no," the lady exclaimed. "I feel so guilty!" He just gave her a big hug. The chap then started to be served. He confirmed that he had seven pigs' ears to the assistant. "You have three," she asserted. Yes, the Holy Spirit can be seen in pet shops. J

People react in two ways when they meet the Holy Spirit. Accepting God's spirit means I will **be challenged and changed** by it. The chap in front of me was first led by the Spirit to notice the predicament the woman was in. Second, he accepted the prompting of the Spirit to help her out. Then the Spirit started work on the shop assistant prompting her to do the same, and so it goes on.

*'And with that he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit.*

When we **receive the breath of God's Spirit**, people are released from their burdens; the woman at the till. When we resist the Holy Spirit the contrary happens. People are left with their burdens.

*"...if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."*

We also remain captive to our burdens, our sin, when we refuse God's Spirit. Our reasons may not be malicious. Fear can often play a part. The poor woman was fearful of someone she didn't know taking control. We just don't like losing control, even if it's going to help. Yet this is precisely what Christians do. They allow God's mind and heart to take control of theirs. God grant us the Grace this week to **accept His Spirit, everywhere**.

**John 20:19-23**

Fr John C

### A NAME FOR THE PARISH WE ARE BECOMING

Through the "You Will Be My Witnesses" Diocesan Mission Plan, and guided by our Local Mission Plan, our four parishes are coming together as one Parish, with a shared mission. A shortlist of 6 names has been carefully and prayerfully discerned, in line with the direction of the Diocese.

Vote for your preferred name. You are invited to approach this prayerfully. Let the Holy Spirit guide you.

Voting is available online (via link or QR code) or through paper ballots at your church.

Link: <https://forms.gle/thMgN5xoSpmBj1C19>

Voting closes on Corpus Christi Sunday, 7th June.



### NEW PARISH DATABASE SYSTEM - CHURCHSUITE

Printed forms are available on the welcomers table, for Parishioners who have difficulty in accessing the internet.

Please kindly return your completed forms to the Parish Office.

Thank you to all those who have already registered.

The Adult Registration Form is available by copying and pasting the following URL link:

<https://catholicdioceseofportsmouth.churchsuite.com/-/forms/xgfxemn6> or by scanning this QR code:



The Child Registration Form is available by copying and pasting the following URL link:

<https://catholicdioceseofportsmouth.churchsuite.com/-/forms/ury2lp4z> or by scanning this QR code:



### St Mary's Church Hartley Wintney

Join us for a celebration of Musical theatre and Classical Repertoire featuring Students and Alumna of Music From Queen Mary's College

Saturday 6th June 2026 7:00—9:15pm

Refreshments available from the bar at 6:00pm and during interval the evening will be a 'musical journey' through the most memorable, heartfelt moments of Broadway

and The West End, with soprano and piano accompaniment.

There will also be solo performances by flautists, violinists and a pianist.

Escape from the ordinary and lose yourself in a classical repertoire.

Tickets: <https://www.visitchurches.org.uk/whats-on/a-summer-evening-of-music>



### YEAR 5 TASTER DAY

Are you curious about what secondary school is really like? Come and spend an exciting day at **Salesian College** and get a taste of the fun, learning, and adventure that awaits you!

Our **Year 5 Taster Day** is designed especially for Year 5 boys who want to explore new subjects, try out hands on activities, and enjoy a great day in a brand new school environment. You'll take part in **sample lessons**, join in **games**, meet new friends, and enjoy a **delicious hot lunch** in our dining hall.

**Monday 29 June 2026 8:45 AM – 3:00 PM** Come ready to learn, laugh, and discover what makes Salesian College such a special place. We can't wait to welcome you!

To book your place [www.trybooking.com/uk/events/landing/108970?embed](http://www.trybooking.com/uk/events/landing/108970?embed)

### Are you celebrating a 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> 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 20<sup>th</sup> June at 11am. This will be followed by a buffet lunch.

It is a wonderful occasion to celebrate and witness to Marriage.

Please contact your parish secretary if you would like to attend and they will send you a form for you to complete and return to Kirsten McGuire ([kmcguire@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:kmcguire@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)), in Bishop's Office. Thank you.

