

### Sick Parishioners

Please pray for; Jim McFarlane, Caroline Audy, Margaret Chapman, Vincent O' Rourke, Jim and Valerie Lee, Eileen Banks, Matthew Garcia, Beverley Coughlan, Sonia Wall, Veronica Green, Denis Tribe, Elizabeth Cullen, Kiera Royds-Jones,

### Parent Toddler Group

Our Parent/Toddler group meet in the Hall from 1 - 3pm on Friday afternoons. For further details, please contact Claire 07931 877795.

### Hall Hire

£40 for a child's party. Please book in time if you want our Hall for a child's party. Ring or email Priest's House.

### Babysitting

My name is **Emily**. I attend Cardinal Newman School. I have experience babysitting and would like to offer my babysitting services. Please contact me by email.  
emilyymcarthy1@gmail.com

**Baby Sitting - Evie Hancock** who lives in Hove, is an excellent and experienced baby sitter and a student at Cardinal Newman School. She is available for babysitting and can be contacted on 07522279556.

### Music Tuition

Are you interested in learning to play the piano? Then contact **John Byrne** on 07989 413459. Theory, GCSE, etc.

### English Tutor

I am an English teacher with 24 years' experience from KS1 to GCSE and have a few spaces from mid August. You can contact me Maureen Devine-McAuley on 07749971764  
Email [mdmc1198@gmail.com](mailto:mdmc1198@gmail.com)

### Rotas 25 / 26 Aug

#### Readers

**Sat 6.00pm** C Grimes, S Hollow  
**Sun 8.30am** B Palmer, M Ndaya  
**Sun 10.00am** J Hancock  
**Sun 11.15am** K Braswell-Ralston, A Mullins

#### Special Ministers

**Sat 6.00pm** S Russell, C Kilgallon, L Welch  
**Sun 8.30pm** A Kilgariff, P Randall, M DeLacey, M Addison, T Milligan, J Brady, I Farrington  
**Sun 10.00am** N & S Chapman, K Braswell-Ralston  
**Sun 11.15am** N & S Chapman, K Braswell-Ralston

#### Servers

**Sat 6.00pm** Bittar, Freddie, Raffi  
**Sun 8.30am** S Yates, Herbie, T Tall-Stuart  
**Sun 10.00am** N Sim, C Hooper, J Mistry, Gabriel  
**Sun 11.15am** V Flynn, I Drake-Rueda, M Boulos

#### Children's Liturgy

No Childrens Liturgy until next September.

#### Coffee

No coffee until September.

#### Mass Co-ordinators

**Sat 6.00pm** A Russell, C Spampinato  
**Sun 8.30am** Susan Cashman  
**Sun 10.00am** D Tarleton, C Price  
**Sun 11.15am** H Beckford

#### Collection £1965.00

*May God bless  
you all.  
Fr. Jerry*

### St. Peter's Catholic Church Portland Road Hove

BN3 5GD



August 19<sup>th</sup>



20<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

### Parish Priest: Fr. Jerry O'Brien Priest's House, Shelley Road, Hove BN3 5GD

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**Parish Secretary:** Aisling Brombley  
(In the office Wed-Fri. 9-12.30pm.)

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**Email** [st.peters.parish.ad@gmail.com](mailto:st.peters.parish.ad@gmail.com)

#### Mass times

**Sat Aug 18** 6pm Private Intention  
**Sun Aug 19** 8.30am Private Intention  
**Sun Aug 19** 10am Parishioners  
**Sun Aug 19** 11.15am Private Intention  
**Mon Aug 20** 10am Private Intention  
**Tue Aug 21** 10am Maura Moher  
**Wed Aug 22** 10am Private Intention  
**Thur Aug 23** 10am Parishioners  
**Fri Aug 24** 11am Requiem Mass for Ian McRae  
**Sat Aug 25** 10am Una O'Meara  
**Sat Aug 25** 6pm Private Intention  
**Sun Aug 26** 8.30am Vincenta Satinskiene  
**Sun Aug 26** 10am Parishioners  
**Sun Aug 26** 11.15am Ronald, Elsie and Sylvia Garner

#### Confessions on Saturday morning at 10.30am

**Requiem Mass** for the repose of the soul of **Ian McRae** here at St Peter's on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August** at 11am.  
May he rest in peace.

### Changes at St. Peter's

I'm sure by now you all know I will leave St. Peter's the weekend **22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> September** and Fr. Alexander Lucie-Smith will arrive 25/26<sup>th</sup> September. He is taking a holiday in September so he should be in the best of health as he starts his ministry at St. Peter's. He has been Parish Priest of St. Hugh of Lincoln in Knaphill for the past 5 years and he is looking forward to working in St. Peter's Parish.

He was born in Rustington in West Sussex but spent some time in Malta. He is of course much younger than I am and the Parish needs a younger person with more energy to lead the people and implement the Pastoral plan Bishop Richard will present to the Diocese in the middle of September. He will be greatly supported here by the Parish Team, the Parish Administrator, Secretary, all our Catechists for First Communion, Confirmation, our Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, members of the Union of Catholic Mothers, Catenians, Altar Servers, Musicians and Choirs, leaders of Rainbows, Brownies, Guides, Junior Choir and the many who come and go quietly week after week supporting their families, and spreading the Good News by the example of their lives.

**What will I do?** I hope in a weeks time or so I will be able to give you the address I will be moving to at the end of September. I won't find it that easy to move having worked here for 18 years

where I have been greatly supported by you the Parishioners. I would be very happy to live in the Brighton region but I think it is better to move further afield and help as a supply priest in different parts of the Diocese. A flat belonging to the Diocese will become available in Hersham (not Horsham) near Walton on Thames and I will probably move in there. It is an hours' drive from Brighton but I know quite a number of people in that region, as I have been a priest in Walton and West Byfleet.

Fr. Alexander has been down to meet with me and he is very pleased to be coming to St Peter's.

He will be away on holiday for most of September so he decided to come for the last weekend in September. He is a very able young man and I'm sure you will give him all the support he needs for this wonderful Parish.

### **Confirmation Preparation**

**New Term.** Registration forms will be ready for the first Sunday in September for those who wish to be confirmed next year. Please put the date for Confirmation next year in your diary the **25<sup>th</sup> May 2019.**

### **Baptism Preparation**

Our next preparation evening for those who have a child for Baptism will be here in the Priest's House on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm.**

**Blessing.** If you have a baby for baptism please ask for a blessing a couple of weeks before the baptism. Write child's name and parents' names and give them to me before Mass.

### **Altar Serving**

A number of children who made their First Communion this year have started serving already and more would be welcome. Just come to the sacristy five

minutes before Mass and your parents will get you organised.

### **Rotas .....Holiday time**

During the holiday season we ask you all if you are here with us to volunteer if Readers or Eucharistic Ministers are away on holiday.

**Coffee Makers;** will be given a rest during the month of August and start again the first Sunday of September. You give a great service and offer an opportunity for us to meet socially after two of our morning Masses.

**Also,** No Children's Liturgy during August.

### **Choirs**

We have two excellent Choirs in our Parish and musicians and singers give their time to us week after week. They will take a break too for the month of August. However, we are very fortunate to have **John** at Saturday evening, **Clive** at 10am and **Chris** at 11.15am. Thanks for helping during August.

### **House Blessings**

If you would like your house blessed please, email Priests House.

### **Parking..... Important**

The signs are up and from Monday this week pavement parking will be restricted on the Portland Road side of St. Peter's Church to School Road. I am not sure what will happen when we have funerals and where funeral cars can be parked. You will still be able to park on Shelley Road side and also in front of garage. Please drive up to garage door and drive in at Priest's House entrance.

### **First Communion Preparation**

No need to panic yet but at the beginning of September **Registration forms** will be available for those who wish to join the preparation group for **First Communion or Confirmation.**

### **Dates for your Diary**

4<sup>th</sup> Sept Talk on Discipleship  
6<sup>th</sup> Sept Baptism Preparation 8pm  
**25<sup>th</sup> Sept Fr. Alexander arrives**

### **Jude York**

who was confirmed this year and is going on a 700-mile cycle retracing the journey his grandmother took as a child escaping the Nazis before the start of the 2<sup>nd</sup> World war. He will be raising money for the **Chestnut Tree House.** You can contribute to **Just Giving**  
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising//jude-york>

### **Stained Glass Window**

Recently we had a collection and also raised some money at the International Dinner and Parish Day for the Stained Glass window. Thanks for your generosity £2,220.00 was raised.

### **Going into Hospital**

If you are going into hospital or have a friend in Hospital, please contact the chaplain or myself.

### **Pilgrimage to Knock**

17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> Sept.  
Cost £649 See notice board.

**Please pray** for the repose of the soul of **Ian McRae** who died suddenly on holiday. May he rest in peace.

### **Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel**

1. Faith is reasonable but we cannot reason our way into faith. We have to be 'drawn by the Father'. We have to be taught by God'. What opens your mind and heart to God's message?
2. When we label others disparagingly, we close our minds to what they are saying. The Jews did this to Jesus. Have you ever had the experience of being surprised by someone when you laid aside your prejudices about them to listen to what they were saying?
3. 'No one has ever seen the Father except the one who is from God'. As Jesus put a human face on God and God's love, so God's love today is mediated to us through one another. How have other people been sacraments of God's love for you?
4. The way in which Jesus became a source of life for us was by giving himself. It is when we truly give ourselves that we can be life-giving to one another. If we do not give ourselves, what do we have to offer? How have you discovered the importance of self-giving, in yourself or in others?

### **Recruiting now**

Fully employed part time housekeeping roles available with Bright & Beautiful Hove. We operate in Hove & Shoreham.

To apply please contact Velda on 07498 758582  
[velda@brightandbeautifulhome.com](mailto:velda@brightandbeautifulhome.com)

### **Caroline's Kitchen – Tel 595922**

Caterers for Baptisms, etc. Tel 595922 or [carolineriley@carolines-kitchen.co.uk](mailto:carolineriley@carolines-kitchen.co.uk)

### **Thinking of Buying/Selling a car**

contact is Phil Harris at Esplanade Motor Tel 07711 688147.

### Computer problems

Call Peter Fishenden on 386593  
Computer lessons £20 an hour  
Callouts £30 [p.fishend@ntlworld.com](mailto:p.fishend@ntlworld.com)

**Food for all occasions.** Call 07826  
526527 or 07930 378899  
[food@feastofhove.co.uk](mailto:food@feastofhove.co.uk)

### Lourdes Pilgrimage

**Bishop Richard** will skydive complete with hat on 14<sup>th</sup> September to raise money for the Lourdes Pilgrimage. You can contribute by purple envelope marked + R. skydive, or any other envelope. See notice board.

### HCPT Group Lourdes Pilgrimage

HCPT is a registered charity offering pilgrimage holidays, taking children & young people from this area with disabilities or from disadvantaged backgrounds on a 'pilgrimage holiday' to Lourdes each Easter. We are looking for young volunteer helpers, and in particular (but not limited to) nurses, who might be interested in travelling in 2019 or beyond. Contact Michael Conneely [hcptgroup21@gmail.com](mailto:hcptgroup21@gmail.com).

### World Meeting of Families –

Will be held in Dublin from **22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> August**. Bishop Richard will be leading a Pilgrimage of 100 people from our Diocese. The event includes a three day Congress exploring themes from **Amoris Laetitia**. information contact [wmof2018@dabnet.org](mailto:wmof2018@dabnet.org)

**Adoremus** - We have been allocated some places for the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage Congress to take place in Liverpool from 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> September. If you are interested please contact Priest's House.

### Marriage Preparation Course

You will need to contact Esther Lyon 01273 698182.

[www.stpetersbrighton.org](http://www.stpetersbrighton.org)

**Foodbank;** at St. Georges Church Court Farm road is open on Wednesdays from 12.30 to 2.30pm. They aim to provide food for people and families who find themselves in difficult situations. You can place gifts of sugar, long life juice, tinned fruits, tinned tomato's in the box at the back of our Church.

**Seagull Delivery** - they deliver newspapers all over Brighton and Hove. If you want your paper delivered contact [raj@seagulldelivery.co.uk](mailto:raj@seagulldelivery.co.uk)

### St. Vincent's Tower House

Every Tuesday from 10am to 12.30 St. Vincent's Tower House in London Road Preston Park offer a warm and welcoming place for those who may need lunch and company for a few hours. Transport available.

**Maths: Sulaiman Wihba** one of our Parishioners who *only* got 4 A\* at A level and will be starting in Oxford next September is available to give maths tuition. He can be contacted [s.wilba98@gmail.com](mailto:s.wilba98@gmail.com) or tel 07459026345.

### Financial Adviser - Nick Lee

A Parishioner has set up as an Independent Financial Adviser. He would be delighted to help anyone with their Mortgage, Pension and Investment needs. You can contact him on 07500 660492  
[nicklee@pebble-financial.co.uk](mailto:nicklee@pebble-financial.co.uk)

### Holy Land Pilgrimage

Aimed at those aged 18-35, the Sacred Heart pilgrimage taking in all the sites in October half term. There will be an Information Evening at 8pm on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> in the Sacred

Heart Parish Room. Further information can be found at [facebook.com/HolyLand2017](https://www.facebook.com/HolyLand2017) or email [YPPHL2017@gmail.com](mailto:YPPHL2017@gmail.com)

### Host Families needed

All year round. Single/twin room accommodation required. Ring Maureen 01273 778918 or 07801827323  
[Studenthomes.me@hotmail.com](mailto:Studenthomes.me@hotmail.com)

### Maths Tutoring

If you are looking for some help with maths contact Waseem Wihba 07466 097463

**Small Group maths tuition** for children 7 to 11. Experienced primary school teacher. Call Katie Jackson 07776 098522

[www.stepupforlearning.com](http://www.stepupforlearning.com)

### French GCSE Tutoring

Contact Daisy Messant a current A Level French student on 07736597621  
[daisyraemessant@gmail.com](mailto:daisyraemessant@gmail.com)

### Guitar Lesson

Fun friendly lessons. Full CRB Visit [www.learnuitarbrighton.com](http://www.learnuitarbrighton.com)  
**07855169344**

### Guitar Lessons- all styles.

Dr James Westbrook Dip. Mus., FLCM, PhD (Music, Cambridge).  
[jrw84@cam.ac.uk](mailto:jrw84@cam.ac.uk) or: 07836 550210

### Counselling Service

Contact Lara who is experienced with counselling people with substance abuse, sexual abuse, bereavement, couple counselling. Tel 07787 555168  
<http://www.larasmith.co.uk>