

Sick Parishioners

Please pray for; Jim McFarlane, Caroline Audy, Paul Smith, Margaret Chapman, Veronica Green, Maria Reynauld, Benedict Reynauld, Christopher Reynauld, Vincent O' Rourke, Susan Luckhurst, Jim and Valerie Lee, Eileen Banks, Ray Maher Loughnan, Matthew Garcia, Beverley Coughlan, Roger Bouchet, Marita Aramy, Maria Ritson, Bernie Harvey, Sunita Hand.

Parent Toddler Group

Our Parent/Toddler group meet in the Hall from 1- 3pm on Friday afternoons. If you have a toddler or a baby you would be very welcome. For further details, please contact Claire 07931 877795.

Social Dancing 8 to10pm

Come along and get fit in our Hall every Thursday evening.

Junior Choir

Will meet on Wednesday this week as they prepare for their concert.

Going into Hospital

Please let us know so that we can contact the Chaplain. The Chaplain is not now given a list. So please let us know if you know someone is in hospital.

Host Families needed

All year round. Single/twin room accommodation required. Ring Maureen 01273 778918 or 07801827323
Studenthomes.me@hotmail.com

Change of Address; If you have moved can you please fill in the address form at the back of the Church.

Rotas 15/16 Jul

Readers

Sat 6.00pm C Grimes, A Wilson
Sun 8.30am D Finnie, T Obermayer
Sun 10.00am H Tate
Sun 11.15am A Mullins, E Bell

Special Ministers

Sat 6.00pm B Harvey, A Green,
J Staunton
Sun 8.30am B Palmer, S Coldicott, S
Cashman
Sun 10.00am H Johnson, S Medhurst, J
Murray, M Spink
Sunday 11.15am M Rainbow,
K McCurdy, M Flynn

Servers

Sat 6.00pm L Kilgallon, A & D Brown
Sun 8.30am P Fishenden, M Hardy,
A Hardwicke
Sunday 10.00am, H McCrae, O Tate,
M Johnson
Sunday 11.15am J O'Hare, L Silva,
O Hibbert, E Jordan

Mass Co-ordinators

Sat 6.00pm D Hudson
Sun 8.30am B Palmer & Family
Sun 10.00am F O'Hara
Sun 11.15am H Beckford

Childrens Liturgy

Pre-School Mike
Rec/Year 1 Liz
Year 2/3 Natalie McCarthy

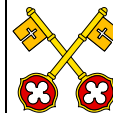
Coffee

Sun 10.00pm J McGuinness & M Koenig
Sun 11.15am E Shorter, M Thackeray

Collection £1986.00

*May God bless
you all.
Fr. Jerry*

St. Peter's Catholic Church Portland Road Hove BN3 5GD



July 9th

14th Sunday

Parish Day

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Mass times and Intentions

Sat 8 Jul 6.00pm Paddy Darcy
Sun 9 Jul 8.30am Private Intention
Sun 9 Jul 11.00am Parishioners – Parish Day

Mon 10 Jul 10am Maura Moher
Tue 11 Jul 10am Carmel Maguire
Wed 12 Jul 10am Liturgy of the Word
Thurs 13 Jul 10am Liturgy of the Word
Fri 14 Jul 10am Liturgy of the Word
Sat 15 Jul 10.00am No morning Mass

Sat 15 Jul 6pm Private Intention
Sun 16 Jul 8.30am Maura Moher
Sun 16 Jul 10.00am Private Intention
Sun 16 Jul 11.15am Private Intention

Confessions Please note no 10am Mass or Confessions next Saturday as I am away at a wedding.

Thought for the week

As we come to the end of the School year you may feel a bit overburdened as life is busy. However I think we all have time to stop and think *and be willing to offer as Jesus said "a cup of cold water in his name"* It is in giving that we all receive.

Missionary Appeal

We welcome **Fr. John Garry** from the Kiltegan Missionary Society who will be with us next weekend appealing for their Mission. He will say all the Masses at the weekend as I am away at a wedding in Italy but back on Monday. I have tried to get one of our retired priests to cover the weekday Masses but they are away on holiday. It is something we will have to get used to. There will be a Liturgy of the Word every morning except Saturday.

Parish Day

We will gather this **Sunday 9th July** in the grounds of Cardinal Newman School for **Mass at 11am** followed by BBQ/Picnic. I hope it will a peaceful, Joyful and relaxing day for all of us.

This is our 16th year meeting in the grounds of Cardinal Newman School. We are very grateful to James Kilmartin, Headteacher for giving us permission to hold the International Dinner and Parish day in the school grounds. It is a very good setting with plenty shade if it is too warm. I hope you will make every effort to make it a special day for everyone. More help at the BBQ will be welcome.

Parking; There is no problem parking. The car park can hold over 100 cars.

Choirs; The Folk Group and members of main Choir will be leading the music supported by the Junior Choir.

Rubbish; We ask everyone to take home their own rubbish. We will give a full report in next week's Newsletter.

International Dinner/Barn dance

We will give a report on the event in next week's Newsletter but as we go to print we are expecting in the region of 300. It will be an evening for sharing and hopefully we will raise some money for our Charities.

Reaching the Unreached and Sussex Night Stop and the **Martlets**.

First Communion Photographs

Please contact Vincent if you would like a group photograph.

Hall Bookings

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

Readers/Special Ministers

As we enter the holiday season a number of our Readers and Ministers of the Eucharist will be away. Can we ask those who are around to be willing to step forward and help. If you can get a replacement that would be great. Some telephone numbers of readers and Eucharistic Ministers are in the sacristy.

Celebrate Brighton

Weekend will be held at Cardinal Newman School 15/16 July.
Theme "Seek first his kingdom". Booking forms at the back of the Church.
www.celebrateconference.org/brighton

Altar Servers; Thanks to all those who help us on a regular basis. We hope some of those who made their First Communion will now help and the older servers will help them. Indeed last weekend we had six new volunteers. Can parents please help them get prepared for serving and encourage them to hang up the vestment when finished.

YMCA Volunteer Chaplains

We are looking for Volunteer Chaplains to help us run an informal weekly evening to support the resident young people in Lansworth House in Hove. These young people cannot live at home or do not have a home for various reasons. If interested contact Lucy McGrath the Lead Chaplain on 01273 222563.

Baptism Preparation

I will organise another preparation evening for parents if we have a number of children to be baptised end of August/September. Please get in touch if you want your child baptised.

Welcome

to **Amelia Cele** and **Oscar Patrick Waters** baptised last weekend. May God bless them.

House Blessings

If you would like your house blessed please, please email me or ring Priest's House and I will call around and bless your home.

Part-time Secretary to Bishop Richard

21 hours a week at Pease Pottage. The role will be three days a week. Contact Sarah Kilmartin 01273 859705
finance@dabnet.org

Christian Art Society

Volunteer Treasurer needed. Contact Helen Armstrong 881304 07881568374
hh.armstrong@ntlworld.com

St Mary's Cottesmore School

There are two places currently available in the current Reception class and one in Year 1 and one in Year 5. Also two places available for Reception Sept 2017.

Stained glass window

We have been unable to focus on the stained glass window over the past month with First Communion, Confirmation, International dinner and Parish day taking all our energy. Come September we will put our heads together and see how we will raise the money. First, we will have to put forward some designs to the Churches heritage committee

Chestnut Tree House

Best wishes to **Stephanie Drury** and **Abbie Phelan** who are taking part in an obstacle race raising money for **Daisy**, a child in Chestnut tree House. We supported the charity for a number of years.

Marriage Preparation 2017

Contact Marriage Care on 0800 389 3801. They will give you all the information you need. Courses take place at the Cassidy Centre St. Marys Church Preston Park.
appointments@marriagecare.org.uk

Changes in Brighton and Hove Parishes

After many years as Parish Priest of St. John the Baptist Parish and Chaplain at the hospital **Fr. David Foley** has retired and will be living and relaxing in Woodingdean. He has given great support to patients and staff in the hospital and we wish him a well in his retirement. Nearer to home **Fr. Kevin Dring** has been appointed to the staff at Wonersh Seminary and will be starting there the end of August. Fr. Kevin has been an inspiring Parish Priest at Sacred Heart Parish and I know he will be greatly missed but a great blessing to the students at Wonersh as he will be involved in the formation of students to the priesthood.

Other changes

After many years preparing young people for the Sacrament of Confirmation here in our Parish, **Mary, Olga and Helen** are retiring. Mary and her team have nurtured our young people for the past 9 years and we owe them a great debt of gratitude for the guidance and support they have given them. They will be greatly missed but I hope in a short time we will be able to get a new team of Catechists to help. All offers welcome.

Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

1. For Jesus the key to a personal knowledge of God and relationship with God is not primarily through academic study but through a mind and heart open to learn. Recall moments when you had a sense that your relationship with God took a significant step forward.
2. Jesus was dealing with a society in which people were very conscious of status, dignity and external appearances. He wanted to break down the barriers this created so that all would be aware of their worth and dignity.
3. In v.27 Jesus lets us into the secret of his relationship with his Father, one of total trust. This trust freed him from anxiety and worry about himself. As a result he was a person of gentle and humble heart and was able to bring rest to those who were overburdened.
4. Recall and give thanks for people who like Jesus in the story, were able to combine challenge with sympathetic support and understanding.

St. Marys Portslade School

There are some places available for Reception 2017.

St. Mary Magdalene School

There are also some pupil places available in different age groups.

200 Club

Every month we have a draw for the 200 Club as we raise money for our Charities. If you wish to join you will find forms at the back of the Church. It cost £1 a week or £52 a year.

Catholic Peoples Weeks

Have something for everyone. For more information contact 02380 342290
www.catholicpeoplesweeks.org.uk

Parking

I know it is difficult parking here on a Sunday especially at the 10am Mass. We have a number of spaces around the Church and we ask people to please park carefully. Also do not block the entrance. Drive in at Priest's House entrance down to Portland Road. Do not drive out if there are people walking on pavement

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

Caroline's Kitchen – Tel 595922

Caterers for Baptisms, etc. Tel 595922 or carolineriley@carolines-kitchen.co.uk

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.

Little Foodies Club

Little Foodies takes place at St Peters Parish Hall. Friday, 4.15-5.15 pm. Contact Paula Blanco/ISvett Fernandez at littlefoodiesclub@gmail.com or 07513 399638 or 07480 510011.

Street pastors needed

The Church in action on the streets. Volunteers from the Churches in Brighton and Hove are needed to ensure the streets are safe for clubbers and others on a night out. After receiving training, volunteers do a once a month patrol usually between 10.30pm to 3am Friday or Saturday. If you can help please contact Alister Crow on 07817 604232
brighton@streetpastors.org.uk

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>

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

28th July to 3rd August. Fly from Gatwick to Toulouse. More information on Diocesan website.

Domestic Housekeeping Service

Part-time, fully employed, housekeeping roles available now. Fair rates of pay and weekly hours within school day. Contact Velda at Bright and Beautiful 07498758582
velda@brightandbeautifulhome.com

Thinking of Buying/Selling a car

The man to contact is Phil Harris at Esplanade Motor Co. Tel 07711 688147.

Tax Certificates

If you haven't received your tax certificate please ring or email Priest's House.

Computer problems

Call Peter Fishenden on 386593
Computer lessons £15 an hour
p.fishend@ntlworld.com

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 16th in the Sacred Heart Parish Room. Further information can be found at facebook.com/HolyLand2017 or email YPPHL2017@gmail.com

Food for all occasions.

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