#### **Sick Parishioners**

Please pray for; Jim McFarlane, Caroline Audy, Paul Smith, Margaret Chapman, Maria Reynauld, Benedict Reynauld, Christopher Reynauld, Vincent O' Rourke, Susan Luckhurst, Jim and Valerie Lee, Eileen Banks Matthew Garcia, Beverley Coughlan, , Marita Aramyo, Bernie Harvey, Sunita Hand, Sonia Wall , John London, John Reeve, Margaret Byrne, Jimmy O' Meara, Margaret Waters. Catherine Mooney. Pat Musio. Veronica Green.

# 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.

#### **House Blessings**

If you would like your house blessed please, email me or ring Priest's House

#### **Maths Tutoring**

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

French GCSE Tutoring

Contact Daisy Messant a current A Level French student on 07736597621 daisyraemessant@gmail.com Small Group maths tuition for children

7 to 11. Experienced primary school teacher. Call Katie Jackson 07776 098522 www.stepupforlearning.com

Monday's Child; Please take a few minutes to vote for this local charity Monday's Child UK supporting vulnerable and disadvantaged children across our city. To vote https://www.avivacommunityfund.co. uk/voting/project/view/17-5318

#### Rotas 25/26 November Readers

Sat 6.00pm D Harvey, M McCullagh Sun 8.30am B Palmer, R Martin Sun 10.00am K Young Sun 11.15am C Nicklas, M Moll

#### **Special Ministers**

Sat 6.00pm N Williams, P Sagna, C Gwynn Sun 8.00pm R Randall, V Wells, M Drias Sun 10.00am M Addison, T Milligan, I Farringdon, J Brady Sunday 11.15am L Perkins, G London, B Szymczyk

#### Servers

Sat 6.00pm L Tanzer, L Kilgallon Sun 8.30am C Mulgrue, C & E Bamin, P Salter Sunday 10.00am F Houghton, L & C Austin, J Bolton Sunday 11.15am V Flynn, I Drake-Rueda, M Boulos

Children's Liturgy Pre-School Marta Reception/Year 1 Fiona Year 2/3 Ronan

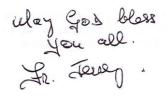
# Coffee

Sun 10.00pm P Constable & C Sheriff Sun 11.15am E Shorter & M Thackerey

#### Mass Co-ordinators

Sat 6.00pm Manouan Family Sun 8.30am D Totney Sun 10.00am V Fairclough Sun 11.15am S Garner

# Collection £2032.00





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#### Mass times and Intentions

Sat 18 Nov 6pm Frederick Campbell Sun 19 Nov 8.30am Maura Moher Sun 19 Nov 10.00am Parishioners Sun 19 Nov 11.15am Deceased Parishioners and Friends

Mon 20 Nov 10am John O'Neill Tue 21 Nov 10am Antoinette Crowley Wed 22 Nov 10am Holy Souls Thur 23 Nov 10am Jim Burke Fri 24 Nov 10am Smith & O'Meara Families Sat 25 Nov 10.00am Hugh Van Twest Sat 25 Nov 6pm M Looney Sun 26 Nov 8.30am Maura Moher Sun 26 Nov 10.00am Parishioners Sun 26 Nov 11.15am Tom J Fitzgerald

Confessions Saturday at 10.30am

# Advent Service Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Dec 7pm

We always have a very well prepared Advent Service with the children preparing for First Communion and their parents. This year the candidates preparing for Confirmation will be Prayer Sponsors to two or three children each and they will link up with the children and parents at the Advent Service.

# Mass for our deceased Parishioners and friends

We welcome relatives and Parishioners who have lost a loved one in the past year to our 11.15am Mass this Sunday. Their names will be read out and prayed for and family members will have the opportunity to come forward and light a candle.

#### **November Remembrance Book**

With the names of our deceased Parishioners and friends is on the sanctuary during the month of November. At all our Masses in November we will pray for them. Please enter any new names.

# **Confirmation Preparation**

We have our next meeting in the Hall this **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November** 7pm to 8.15pm. .

# **First Communion Preparation**

Parents Meeting 27<sup>th</sup> Nov 8pm in the Parish Hall. We have only 4 meetings for parents when we give them some help so that they can help their children at home and on Sunday at Church

# **Carol Service**

Our Carol Service this year will be on **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec**. We normally have it on the last Sunday before Christmas but that is Christmas eve this year.

# **Stained Glass Window**

We have asked Deborah to prepare some designs for the window over the Choir loft and you are all invited to a meeting on **Monday December**  $4^{th}$  at 8pm to view the designs in the Parish Hall when she will speak to us. The Historic Churches will be meeting in the spring when we can make a presentation.

# Planning for the future

We have another meeting when priests and representatives from all the Parishes on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> Nov to see how we can move forward. Sometime later we will have a Parish meeting to give everyone the opportunity to contribute.

# **Bridie Rodgers** will be teaching disadvantaged children in Milawi next Summer after her GCSE exams. It is a great opportunity for her and she will be baking and selling cakes on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec after 11am Mass.

**Prayers** If you are having Mass offered for a special intention (sick or deceased person) please write a prayer and leave on lectern. There is no point in sending in a prayer a week or two in advance.

Dates for your Diary 19<sup>th</sup> Nov Mass for Dec Parishioners 27<sup>TH</sup> Nov F.C Parents meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec Cottesmore School Fair 4<sup>th</sup> Dec Stain Glass Window Meeting 8<sup>th</sup> Dec Advent Service 7pm 17<sup>th</sup> Dec Carol Service 6pm 9<sup>th</sup> June First Communion 10<sup>th</sup> June First Communion 16<sup>th</sup> June First Communion 30<sup>th</sup> June Confirmation 6<sup>th</sup> July International Dinner? 8<sup>th</sup> July Parish Day ?

# Adult formation Group

Next meeting 27<sup>th</sup> Nov in Priests House at 8pm. "Grace and Sacraments" All welcome. A good opportunity to reflect on these special encounters with God.

# 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.

# Pope Francis

This Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November is known as **World Day for the Poor.** Our Churches in Brighton and Hove provide accommodation for homeless people for four months of the year ( Dec to Marct) and there are many other voluntary organisations helping in different ways. Most Parishes take a collection to help with the accommodation and we will take the collection this weekend 18/19 Nov.

# Baptism

Welcome to Sara Elysee Zadeh, Tadhg Patrick Michael Boyce, Ella Maria Chamberlain and Ava Charlotte Chamberlain baptised last weekend. May God bless them.

**Building Officer** for our Diocese You will have responsibility to manage the 400 Diocesan properties. Contact Sarah Kilmartin 859705 email finance@dabnet.org Closing date 24<sup>th</sup> November.

# St. Peter's website

We would like to have more photographs of events like baptisms, weddings etc. If you have a good quality digital photograph of a Baptism, wedding and willing to have it on our website etc please email it to us.

# Feast of Christ the King

Some of our Young people have spoken at Mass in the past years and I would like to have a Young person speaking at all Masses next Sunday, **Youth Sunday**. They could talk honestly about their connection with the Church (good, bad, indifferent) It is not an easy thing to do but we have Brownies and Guides at 10am. If we have volunteers we can give you some help.

# St. Mary's Cottesmore Upcoming Tours

We will be holding tours for parents to see Cottesmore in action on, 21<sup>st</sup> and 23rd November at 9am, and an evening tour on 30<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm. Please contact the School office on 01273 555811 to book a place. There are also a few places available in Reception to Year 3. Contact the school.

# St. Mary's Portslade

Open Mornings Wednesdays 9.15am from the 13<sup>th</sup> Sep to 10<sup>th</sup> Jan.

# St. Mary Magdalen's Primary School

Reception admissions 2018: If you would like to visit please contact the School office 327533 to arrange a tour with the head teacher. Some places are available across the school.

**Parking** for most of the Churches in Brighton and Hove is a big problem. I had two complaints by email recently that people are driving too quickly away from the Church as pedestrians are walking past. They were concerned for the safety of the pedestrians. Please be careful as pedestrians have priority. Many of the roads south of Portland are free for parking at 6pm 8.30am and 11.15am Masses.

# Cottesmore School Fair

All invited to Cottesmore School Fair on Sunday afternoon **3<sup>rd</sup> Dec** from 12 noon to 3pm.

**Quiz Night** at St. Mary's School Portslade on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Nov. Tickets £6 or £30 for a table of 6. To include a hot meal. Contact 01273 418416.

**St. Mary's School Fair** on Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 3 to 5pm. Donations of cakes, goods very welcome.

# **Project Antifreeze**

Job vacancy. Salary £19.412 Contact David Holt or steve.bruton@offtefence.org.uk

# Waiting in Wonder

Retreat for young people 18 to 35 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec at Worth Abbey. Cost £62 for students. £102 for waged. Katrina at toc@worthabbey.net

# Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

1. A gift in love is given to be enjoyed, treasured, and used. Through fear, one servant failed to recognise the loving trust being shown to him and buried the talent. 2. On the level of our own personal life, faith is not given to us to be locked away, but to be 'traded' with. We trade with it when we believe in its value, trust it, and use it, bringing it into the experiences we have in daily life. As we encourage friends to join us in a run around the park, we could encourage them to join us at Church and coffee afterwards. 3. Likewise with our own personal gifts and talents. We can fall into the trap of seeing these as our own personal possession so that we can do with them as we like, rather than share them... 4. Pope Francis is his letter

4. Pope Francis is his letter Evangelii Gaudium, writes 'I invite everyone to be bold and creative in this task of rethinking the goals, structures, style and methods of spreading the Good News in their respective communities ... The important thing is to not walk alone, but to rely on each other as brothers and sisters'. How are we in St. Peter's responding to that call, and what contribution are you making?

**Retiring Collection** next weekend for Cathedral maintenance.

#### 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.

#### Development worker SVP.

St. Vincent de Paul Society is an international Christian charity providing practical help to those in need. They want to employ a development worker for the Brighton region 20k. For application pack email thomasg@svp.org.uk

#### Host Families needed

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

#### Gift Aid

Thanks to those who signed a form last week. You have received a form from us and we would be grateful if it was returned as soon as possible. It is a painless way of supporting the mission of the Church and keeping our buildings in good order. If you have still to join the Gift Aid scheme please do so today. Just fill it in and return it to Priest's House and we will send vou a" Gift Aid Declaration form". For every £1 you give to the Church we as a charity can claim back another 25p. So if you even give just the price of a cup of coffee every week we get back another £25 a year.

# **Gift of Marriage**

Many of you have chosen this vocation and any of you who have, know it is an interesting road, full of twists and turns, joys and difficulties. Young engaged couples need people to support them as they begin this wonderful journey and you may be just the person to do that! We are looking for couples who may be willing to commit to 6 evening sessions a year to help prepare couples in the Brighton area. You don't have to have the 'perfect' marriage, just one in which you still recognise the face to whom you said '**I do'**.or **I will**.

#### 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

#### 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

**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

#### **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

#### **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.

#### **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

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

#### **Guitar Lesson**

Fun friendly lessons. Full CRB Visit www.learnguitarbrighton.com 07855169344

Guitar Lessons- all styles. Dr James Westbrook Dip. Mus., FLCM, PhD (Music, Cambridge). jrw84@cam.ac.uk or: 07836 550210

#### Caroline's Kitchen – Tel 595922 Caterers for Baptisms, etc. Tel 595922 or <u>carolineriley@carolines-</u> <u>kitchen.co.uk</u>

Food for all occasions. Call 07826 526527 or 07930 378899 food@feastofhove.co.uk