### **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 Matthew Garcia, Beverley Coughlan, , Marita Aramyo, Maria Ritson, Bernie Harvey, Sunita Hand, Sonia Wall , John London, John Reeve, Margaret Byrne, Jimmy O' Meara, Margaret Waters. Kira Royds-Jones, Catherine Mooney

## **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, please email me or ring Priest's House and I will call around and bless your home.

# 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

# **Junior Choir**

Will be back this Wednesday in the Hall from 6 to 7pm. They are a great group of children who have fun on a Wednesday evening and a great help to us on Sundays.

#### Rotas 4/5 November Readers

Sat 6.00pm J Smith, A Graham Sun 8.30am D Finnie, T Obermayer Sun 10.00am N Austin Sun 11.15am N Chapman, A Szerbiak

## **Special Ministers**

Sat 6.00pm B Harvey, A Green, J Staunton Sun 8.00pm P Randall, V Wells, M Drias Sun 10.00am R King, D Keys, K R-Jones, E McIntosh Sunday 11.15am N & S Chapman, J Braswell-Ralston

### Servers

Sat 6.00pm L & H Brombley, B Byrne Sun 8.30am C Mulgrue, C&E Bamin, P Salter Sunday 10. N Sim, C Hooper, W Bevins Sunday 11.15am S Ajouri, N Dubel, E Cullen

### Mass Co-ordinators

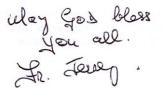
Sat 6.00pm D Hudson Sun 8.30am M Tall-Stuart Sun 10.00am D Tarleton Sun 11.15am M & R Green

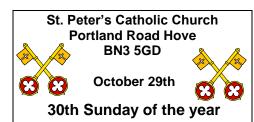
#### Children's Liturgy Pre-School Carlos Reception/Year 1 Emma Year 2/3 Natalie Andrea

Coffee

Sun 10.00pm J Hampton,& A Sheffield Sun 11.15am L Hennessey, H Beckford, S Garner

## Collection £1912.00





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## Mass times and Intentions

Sat 28 Oct 6.00pm Jim Dennehy Sun 29 Oct 8.30am Parishioners Sun 29 Oct 10.00am Robert Hall Sun 29 Oct 11.15am Beverley Coughlan Mon 30 Oct 10am Paddy Madden Tue 31 Oct 10am M Hanley Tue 31 Oct 7.30pm Parishioners Wed 1 Nov 10am Carmel & Dermot Downs Thur 2 Nov 10am June Hayward Fri 3 Nov 10am Derry Coughlan Sat 4 Nov 10.00am Maura Moher Sat 4 Nov 6pm Joseph & Gertrude Winkler Sun 5 Nov 8.30am Holy Souls Sun 5 Nov t 10.00am Parishioners Sun 5 Nov 11.15am Sean O'Connor

Confessions Saturday at 10.30am

Requiem Mass for Elyiana Coulter here on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 11am. May she rest in peace.

**Requiem** Mass for **Kevin Driscoll here on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm.** May he rest in peace.

## Please pray

for the repose of the soul **of Michael Taggart** who died in a road accident. May he rest in peace.

# Feast of All Saints

We celebrate the feast this week with a Vigil Mass on **Tuesday at 7.30pm** and morning Mass on **Wednesday at 10am.** It is a Holy day.

All Souls; We celebrate the feast on Thursday as we remember our many deceased Parishioners and friends with Mass at 10am.

## **Remembrance Book**

With the names of our deceased Parishioners and friends will be on the sanctuary during the month of November when we will remember them at daily Mass. Please enter any new names.

# Confirmation Preparation First Meeting

Thanks to all those who have signed up for Confirmation preparation. We have now over 30 signed but if anyone else wishes to join us please fill out a form today. Our Catechists will meet with parents and Young people in the Parish Hall this **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October** 7.30 to 8.30pm.

## **First Communion Preparation**

5 children still haven't collected their First Communion book. They won't be able to prepare for their next session on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November. 1<sup>st</sup> session 9am to 10.30am 2<sup>nd</sup> session 11am to 12.30pm

**Parents Meeting** on the **27<sup>th</sup> Nov** in the Parish Hall at 8pm. 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. Blessing of Graves 5<sup>th</sup> Nov 3pm We have a very good tradition when we gather at Hove cemetery every November for the blessing of the graves when we remember many of our deceased relatives and friends.

# Mass for our deceased Parishioners and friends

Every year we welcome relatives and Parishioners who have lost a loved one in the past year to a special Mass. At that 11.15am Mass on **Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November** their names will be read and you will have an opportunity to light a candle for them. We have a list with some names on it and if you wish to add a name to that list please email the name and we will add it to the list.

## Planning for the future

Bishop Richard came to our Deanery and gave a presentation helping us to focus on the mission entrusted to all of us. " Go therefore and make disciples of all nations" He is calling on us to think "Diocese" rather than Parish which is very difficult to do as most of us are generally just concerned with our own patch. At the moment we have just under 100 active priests in the Diocese but by 2030 we will have less than 50. There is a danger that we focus too much on the provision of Mass and the number of Masses in any given region. Certainly the Mass must be at the heart of any Christian community. But keeping that in mind a priest spends far less time celebrating Mass and much more time ministering to the needs of sick, schools, housebound, hospitals. We have another meeting on 29<sup>th</sup> Nov and then we will have an open Parish meeting later in the year or early in the New year when we can try to focus our minds on the mission entrusted to us

# Stain 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**<sup>th</sup> 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.

# Catholaity Fair 4<sup>th</sup> November

Thanks to all those who have returned the tickets supporting St Thomas Fund for the homeless. We would like all the counterfoils and money back by Wednesday.

# Big Bake Off

**Bridie Rodgers** is going to Malawi after her GCSE exams next summer to teach disadvantaged children. She will be selling cakes after the 10am Mass next Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov. It is great to see a young person concerned for those who have a struggle in life. If anyone wishes to bake a cake to support her please bring it to the Hall before Mass.

## Big Encounter for 15 to 30 yrs

At Cardinal Newman College on **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 7pm**. A great opportunity to celebrate with other young people. Music with the " One Hope Project" More details from Jack Regan@dabnet.org.

## **Baptism Preparation**

We have preparation evenings for parents every two months or so and the next meeting is on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Novembe**r in the Priests House at 8pm to 9pm.

## 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.

### Dates for your Diary

30<sup>th</sup> Oct Confirmation evening 5<sup>th</sup> Nov Blessing of graves 7<sup>th</sup> Nov Baptism Preparation 19<sup>th</sup> Nov Mass for Dec Parishioners 27<sup>TH</sup> Nov F.C Parents meeting 4<sup>th</sup> Dec Stain Glass Window Meeting 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 ?

## **Parish Team Meeting**

We will meet on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November in Priest's House at 8pm. Agenda; Main item on agenda Planning for the future.

#### St. Mary's Cottesmore Upcoming Tours

We will be holding tours for parents to see Cottesmore in action on 14<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 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 Also Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 10 to 12 noon. Open Evening Thur 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 7 to 8.30pm.

**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 available across the school.

## **Adult formation Group**

Next meeting 30<sup>th</sup> Oct in Priests House at 8pm Christian Trinitarian God' All welcome. **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.

# Mass intention

If you are having Mass offered for a deceased relative during November and want a particular date please let me know in time.

# Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

1.You may feel some sympathy with the Jews struggling to cope with 613 laws and wondering which were the important ones. We can feel overwhelmed with rules and regulations. What is important is to focus on the great commandment " Love the Lord your God and your neighbour as yourself

2. If you were asked what is most important in life, what would your answer be? Recall the experiences and relationships you have had. Which are the ones that you treasure most? What has particularly enriched your life? How would you encourage another person who asked you how they could live a full life?

# **Retiring Collection**

next weekend for the **retired Priests Fund.** I think they are well looked after.

## 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 <u>thomasg@svp.org.uk</u> **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.

#### 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 you 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@carolineskitchen.co.uk</u>

#### Food for all occasions.

Call 07826 526527 or 07930 378899 food@feastofhove.co.uk