

St Peter's Catholic Church – our community formation programme

We meet on Mondays in Father Jerry's house at 8pm

Part 1: Getting to Know Us

September to February

DATE	TOPIC	PEOPLE LEADING
Mon 21 Sep - Introduction	Starting out – who we are	All of us
Mon 28 Sep	Why belong to a church?	Kate and Sarah
Mon 12 Oct	The Trinitarian God	Kate and Michael
Mon 26 Oct	Jesus: meeting a person	David and Rob
Mon 9 Nov	Meal / social	Current and last year's group
Mon 23 Nov	Christ alive for us and in us	Sue and Michael
Fri 4 Dec	Advent Service	
Mon 7 Dec	Mary's role	David and Rob
Sun 20 Dec	Carol Service	
Christmas Festivities	<i>See the newsletter for details</i>	
Mon 4 Jan	What we believe: The Creed	Kate and Sarah
Mon 18 Jan	The Creed continued	David and Michael
<i>If at this point you feel you wish to go forward to Baptism, we ask that you make an appointment to speak to Father Jerry about it.</i>		
Mon 1 Feb	How should we live?	Sue and Sarah
Wed 10 Feb	Ash Wednesday	Start of our Lenten season

Sunday 14th February

Rite of Welcome and Election, 11.15 am Mass at St Peter's

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Arundel Cathedral with Bishop Richard 3 pm

Part 2: Becoming part of our community**February to Easter**

Mon 15 Feb	Communicating with God	Sue
Mon 22 Feb	Starting out as a Christian	David
Mon 29 Feb	The Holy Spirit	Kate
Mon 7 Mar	Loving and giving	Sue
Mon 14 Mar	A forgiving community	Kate
Mon 21 Mar	Preparation for Reception	All of us
Mon 21 - Sun 27 Mar	Holy Week	<i>Our most important week, celebrated by all Christians.</i>
<i>During the week you may want to make your first confession by arrangement with Father Jerry</i>		
Thu 24 Mar	Holy Thursday	8pm
Fri 25 Mar	Good Friday	3pm

Part 3: Growing in the Spirit**Easter to Pentecost**

Mon 4 Apr	Our parish, our Diocese and the international Church	All of us
Mon 18 Apr	Living as a Christian: Social justice	Kate and Rob
Mon 2 May	Prayer: how's it going?	Sue and David
Sun 15 May	Pentecost	11am Mass + Lunch
Mon 23 May	Mass round the altar	Everyone and sponsors
Sun 10 Jul	Parish Day	11am Mass + picnic
<i>July tba</i>	Celebrate weekend	Saturday / Sunday

Please note the website: <http://www.stpeters-hove.org.uk/>

Useful things to look at:

Daily Dig from Plough - *online - daily reflective pieces from a wide variety of authors*

ICN - *Independent Catholic News - daily bulletins*

Sacredspace.com - *Irish Jesuits site which has useful things on it and a daily prayer section.*

www.mycatholic.life/ - *daily prayers, reflections, Q&A on Catholic life*

Vatican.va - *a look at Rome and the Papacy*

www.dabnet.org - *our Diocese of Arundel and Brighton*

catholicfaith.org.uk - *useful link to the Catholic world*

Apps for Catholics - *Laudate - iPieta - Missio - Prayers Lite(!)*

There are lots of online resources but be careful about where they come from.