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, Delores McCullagh, John Reeve . Margaret Byrne, Jimmy O' Meara.

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.

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.

Catholic Education Service

We are asked to take a collection this weekend for the Catholic Education Service. It is the chief negotiating and advisory body on matters affecting all aspects of Catholic education.

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.

Parenting Teenage Course

At St. Peter's Church York Place Brighton on Tuesday evenings starting 19th September to Tuesday 17th October.

Rotas 16/17 September Readers

Sat 6.00pm L Powell. A Wilson Sun 8.30am S Coldicott, M Wilkinson Sun 10.00am | Keating Sun 11.15am C Nicklas, M Moll

Special Ministers

Sat 6.00pm A Phelan, L Hancock. S Drurv Sun 8.00pm B Palmer, S Coldicott, S Cashman Sun 10.00am R King, J O'Mahony, K R-Jones, E McIntosh Sunday 11.15am L Potter, B Westgate, J Vaness

Servers

Sat 6.00pm E Crisostomo, J Sagna, A & D Brown Sun 8.30am C Mulgrue, C & E Bamin Sunday 10.00am F Nash, J Harper, A Constable, L Walke Sunday 11.15am V Flynn, I Drake-Rueda, M Boulos

Mass Co-ordinators

Sat 6.00pm A Brombley Sun 8.30am D Totney Sun 10.00am V Fairclough Sun 11.15am E Kubiak

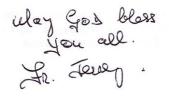
Childrens Lituray

Pre-School Carlos Reception/Year 1 Emma Year 2/3 Bernie

Coffee

Sun 10.00pm N Houghton & T Milligan Sun 11.15am S Simonds, J Shelvin, K Humphries

Collection £1954.00



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



September 10th

23rd Sunday of the year

Parish Priest: Fr. Jerry O'Brien

Priest's House.

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Mass times and Intentions

Sat 9 Sep 6.00pm Private Intention Sun 10 Sep 8.30am Patrick Wood Sun 10Sep 10.00am Parishioners Sun 10 Sep 11.15am Carole Thorn Mon 11 Sep 10am Alan Brady Tue 12 Sep 10am J & A O'Callaghan Wed13 Sep 10am Liturgy of the Word Thur 14 Sep 10.30am Sr. Perpetua Fri 15 Sep 10am Liturgy of the Word Sat 16 Sep 10.00am Natalina Bello Sat 16Sep 6pm Irene Gee Sun 17 Sep 8.30am Jim Hardy Sun 17Sep 10.00am Parishioners Sun 17 Sep 11.15am Marie De Lacy

Confessions next Saturday morning at 10.30am.

Junior Choir

The Junior Choir will be starting this Wednesday eve 13th September in the Parish Hall from 6 to 7pm. It is probably the only free club a child can join and enjoy an inspiring evening of fun and singing. If your child is in year 3 or older they would be very welcome.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of John Ruming. Funeral Service at H.D. Tribe Chapel Eastern Avenue Shoreham on Friday 22nd Sept 11am.

First Communion Preparation

Our thanks to the parents who have already returned the registration form for First Communion preparation. The dead line is 17th September but we would like to have the forms back as soon as possible so that we can plan the preparation programme. Our Catechists have to plan well in advance and we want to know the number of children for the preparation class as soon as possible. Children are generally prepared for First Communion when they are in year 3 or older. Please return the completed form to Priest's House no later than Sunday 17th September.

Parents Meeting

The first parent's meeting is mainly a meeting to inform parents of all the preparation dates for the children and the dates when Catechists meet with parents. Parent's meeting on September 25th in the Parish Hall at 8pm. You will have an opportunity at that meeting to ask questions but if you want more information before that date just ring or email Priest's House.

Confirmation Preparation

If you are in year 10 and interested in joining our Confirmation preparation Group please take a registration form from the back of the Church. You will see dates for First Communion and Confirmation on the list of dates on this Newsletter.

Coffee Rota

It was good to have coffee in the Hall again last weekend giving us an opportunity to meet together. Thanks to our very generous Coffee makers.

Cardinal Cormac

The Requiem Mass for Cardinal Cormac will be a Westminster Cathedral on Wednesday 13th September at 12noon. Entrance by ticket. I am not sure how many we will get or when they will come. There will also be a memorial service at Arundel on Sunday 1st October at 3pm.

Sr. Perpetua

We will have a memorial Mass for Sr. Perpetua here at St. Peter's this Thursday 14th September at 10am. May she rest in peace.

Dates for your Diary

13th Sept Junior Choir

17th Sept Registration First Comm

18th Adult Formation Group

19th Sept Baptism Preparation

25th Sept Parents Meeting F.C

6th Oct Welsh Male Voice Choir

7th Oct Children meet with Catechists

9th June First Communion

10th June First Communion

16th June First Communion

We are expecting a smaller group this year so we may only need two celebrations.

30th June Confirmation **6th July** International Dinner?

8th July Parish Day?

Baptism Preparation

Our next preparation evening for those who have a child for baptism will be on Tuesday **19**th **of September** in Priest's House 8pm.

Baptisms

Welcome to **Aoife Jackson** baptised last weekend. May God bless her.

Rotas; The new rotas for Readers Ministers of the Eucharist will be available next week.

Social Dancing Group restarts this Thursday 14th in Hall at 8pm.

Children's Liturgy

Our Children's Liturgy spring to life again this Sunday.

We could do with more help as a number of our Catechists will be moving on. It is within the reach of most of our Parishioners and the children benefit greatly from the experience. You don't have to have young children yourself to be a Catechist. You need to love children and be willing to help them experience God's love and mercy. We prepare material for you but you will have to make it your own.

Altar Servers; It would be helpful if we had the names of children who are willing to serve at any of our weekend Masses. Please encourage your children to help if they have made their First Holy Communion.

Adult formation Group

We are all on a "journey of Faith" and we enrich each other when we share our faith. If you are a non- Catholic, or baptised in another faith community, or not baptised or confirmed but would like to know more about our way of life we have an introduction evening in the Priest's House on Monday 18th
September at 8pm.

Congratulations -It was great to read of the excellent results from Cardinal Newman School and we are very pleased that our students did so well. As they go off to college over the next couple of weeks we wish them every success.

UCM

Meetings recommence Wednesday 13th September at 7.30pm in the Church Hall, new members welcome.

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.

Remember September is always a month when people want to book the Hall for children's parties. Get booked on time. People start living again when they get back to school.

Catholaity Fair 4th November

We will be involved in a small way with the Fair at Brighton race course on 4th November. We will be selling tickets early in October for a charity. If anyone wishes to run a stall for a charity that would be great. Contact Priest's House.

Welsh Male Voice Choir

Will be with us on **Friday 6**th **October** Please put the date in your diary. Tickets cost £5 will be available weekend **23/24**th or at the door and any profit we make will be sent to the Martlets.

Accommodation required-Family of three. Unfurnished, long let, 3 bed property. Rental up to £1250 a month. Any local area considered.

Contact 01273 419819 or 07592 000061.

Parish Census

It is very difficult to keep an up to date census of people attached to our Parish. Some people who come here on a regular basis are not on our register. Others have moved house within the Parish but have not given their details. So we are going to trouble you again by asking you to register again the first weekend of October and forms will be left for a couple of weeks after that. I realise all people won't register but it should help

Catholic Papers

A number of articles in this weeks Catholic papers about Cardinal Cormac.

Cardinal Newman School

Open evening Tuesday 3rd October 4pm to7.30pm. We are delighted that this year (as last year) our students achieved the best GCSE results of any state secondary School in the city. We look forward to meeting prospective students and their families at our Open Evening on 3rd October. The deadline for applications is October 31st

Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

- 1. Matthew presents Jesus' instructions for dealing with people whos behaviour is disruptive and harms the community. Simple directions, but many of us do otherwise. We avoid difficult confrontations, talking about the faults of others to everyone but themselves. In your experience, which approach is life-giving for you and for others?
- 2. While Jesus is referring to a group situation, the advice can be applied also to personal difficulties and problems with others.
- 3. As individuals we have the power to bind and to loose, exclude people from relationships or to open up and include others.
- 4. Jesus also promises to be with his followers when they gather together. What does that mean to you? Have you experienced the presence of Jesus in his followers gathered together?

Prayers If you are having Mass offered for a special intention (sick or deceased person) Please write a prayer and leave on lectern.

Little Foodies Club

In the Hall next Friday 4.30 to 6pm littlefoodiesclub@gmail.com or 07513 399638 or 07480 510011.

Gift Aid

We get back a good cheque from the Chancellor every year the tax people have paid on their Church contributions. There are still quite a number of people who are paying tax but haven't signed a Gift Aid form. It is a painless way of supporting the mission of the Church and keeping our building in good order. Please look at the form in your bench today but don't spend too much time looking. 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.

Sponsored cycle

One of our Parishioners Dave McDonnell will be raising money in a Sponsored cycle from London to Brighton on Sunday 17th September for the St. John Bosco children's Camp. They provide holidays for children. You can donate

http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/bosc olondontobrighton

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

St. Marys Portslade School

There are some places available for Reception 2017.

Host Families needed

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

Stained glass window

We have been unable to focus on the stained glass window over the past month. 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.

CAFOD EVENING

At the Sacred Heart Church Norton Road, on Tuesday 19th September from 7.30 to 9pm. All welcome.

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

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.

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.

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

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

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

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