OUR LADY OF LOURDES, ROTTINGDEAN and ST. PATRICK'S, WOODINGDEAN



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<u>Please continue to observe the rules/regulations/advice from Government and Bishops' Conference</u>

Live Streaming of Masses continues from Our Lady of Lourdes Church

Link: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCc4VXBr3EOa43nCxxzB-Edw

Website: www.ololandstp.org

Service & Intention	\mathbf{s}	THE WORD WHO IS LIFE	
Sunday 10 th July	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL	**Vigil Mass	Fr. Christopher Bedford R.I.P. (A)
15 th Sunday in	9.00am St. Patrick's	**Mass	People of the Parish
Ordinary Time SEA SUNDAY	10.30am OLOL	** Mass	Simone Avice R.I.P. (A)
Monday 11 July	9.30am	Mass - St. Martha's Convent	Peggy Cruickshank RI.P.
Tuesday 12 July	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass Time of Adoration/Private Prayer	Special Intention-Astrid Basant Gwyer
Wednesday 13 July			
Thursday 14 July	8.30-9.25am	Adoration	
	9.30am	Mass St. Camillus of Lellis	Eileen Toms R.I.P. (A)
Friday 15 July	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass St. Bonaventure Divine Mercy/Private Prayer	David Byerley R.I.P. (A)
Sunday 17th July	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL	**Vigil Mass	Ina Barwick R.I.P. (A)
16 th Sunday in	9.00am St. Patrick's	**Mass	People of the Parish
Ordinary Time	10.30am	**Mass	Louis-Elvis Hill Soopraya R.I.P.
	CONFESSIONS	**** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm	

The Second Collection this weekend, 9th/10th July is for the Apostleship of the Sea



<u>STELLA MARIS: This Sunday is Sea Sunday</u> The Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Many are reporting more

stress and poorer mental health. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate in church by cash in the basket or DONA. Gift aid envelopes are available at the back of the Church. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously. Thank you."

THE GOOD SAMARITAN - "Who is my neighbour"

Active involvement with those who are downtrodden and oppressed is a key feature of loving outreach in God's kingdom. It might mean taking initiatives to reach out to vulnerable and destitute people in our community who can never repay our favours. It might mean taking up campaigns for justice and peace which try to tackle the causes of suffering at home and overseas. Working to highlight root causes of violence and war where whole groups of people are demonised as "enemies" will almost certainly draw criticism since this goes against the prevailing culture, but it is what God expects of us. God's love and peace teach us that it is possible to go beyond the boundaries human society has constructed and to do things in a different and revolutionary way. We don't just serve those who serve us, or return favours because we have received them: we are called to love beyond the usual expectations of making special efforts only for family and friends.

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the souls of all those recently deceased members of our parish and others known to us. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in prayer at this time.

Visits to the Sick/Hospital/Housebound: If you know of anybody who is sick please contact the Parish

PLEASE PRAY for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound – especially for Alison



Stainthorpe, Sami Ghazal, Sophie Reilly, Ann Chapman, John Heal, Sandra Waugh, Eileen Cross, Veronica Westbury, Colin Allen, Cherie Pay, Maureen Garson, Jane Purdham, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Dorothy Benson, Teresa Ford, Arthur Silver, Sr. Angela, Tim Butler, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Huguette Vincent, Louis Gaskin, Pauline Butler,

David Iddiols, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Joan Coyne, Mark Richards, Bernard Workman, Josh Moore, Imelda Turnock, Fr.Oliver, Fr. Hester, Fr. Foley, Alexander Cruickshank and Noel Carrington.

Please let Fr. Benny OR the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.

BREAKFAST CLUB EveryThursday after 9.30am Mass. Freshly made to order, bacon rolls and lots more. Everyone is welcome to enjoy their treats. Each week you are helping to raise much needed funds for our church. Thank you for your support.





THANKSGIVING MASS and Distribution of Certificates Sunday 10th July 2022

CONGRATULATIONS to all our First Holy Communion Candidates. We hope to see them as regular mass-goers in the future when they will be most welcome.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PRIMARY SCHOOL SUMMER FAIR - SATURDAY 16th JULY - 12pm-3pm * stalls * games * Tombolas * BBQ * Refreshments * Cakes * Reptile encounter (charge applies). Every one welcome.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH INCOME & EXPENDITURE INFORMATION HANDOUT for Parishioners Copies are available at the back of the church. Please take one.

REFLECTIONS ON SUNDAY'S READINGS Please join us on Friday 15th July at 10.30am after coffee in the Hall. All are welcome.



THANK YOU to Our Lady of Lourdes parish for its constant support to the Foodbank. Further donations would be gratefully received. The items required are tinned tuna/ham, tinned fruit, rice pudding, coffee - ordinary & decaffeinated, biscuits, toilet rolls and ladies/gents toiletries.



The regular Draws for the 100 PLUS CLUB started on Thursday 7th July and the prize winners are:

1st Prize £25 – Jake Sims, 2nd Prize £15 – Liam Elliott 3rd Prize £10 – Jackie Watson Please collect your winnings from the Sacristy.

To compensate for the disruption caused by COVID, Draws will take place twice monthly for the time being. In the meantime, new members are welcome. Forms are available at the back of the church.



Standing Tall – Monday mornings at Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall with Katherine. Please see poster in hall.

<u>Bereavement Support</u> Our Deanery has a team of trained Catholic Bereavemen Supporters available to listen and support people experiencing bereavement and loss. Please contact your Parish Priest if you would like to speak to one of our team. To find out more about Bereavement Support please contact our Marriage and Family Life Project Officer: Email: simon.south@abdiocese.org.uk Tel: 01293 651155



YOU are invited to a......

COFFEE MORNING 10-12ish on Thursday 21st July
At 42 Ainsworth Avenue, Ovingdean
In aid of THE KANJ PROJECT (India)
Raffle, sales table of homemade preserves and
some Indian items
For more information contact:
Bernadette 01273 309118 berskin@hotmail.com

<u>St Patrick's</u>: <u>Low impact seated dance class</u>: Every Tuesday from 5th July 11am-12noon - £6.50 inc tea and coffee, <u>www.divibe.co.uk</u> Mobile: 07795956793

MASS BOOKS/LEAFLETS The waiting still goes on for the New LECTIONARY. The Mass Books which we have been using in both Churches will be re-published when the revised Lectionary is available. Indications are that this will be next year. In the meantime the Mass Leaflets with Readings etc will be provided for parishioners. New Books will be acquired as soon as they become available.

VACANCY: Assistant Administrator vacancy in the East Brighton Parish

The East Brighton Parish (St Joseph's and St John the Baptist) are looking for a part time (c 16 hours a week) administrative assistant. We would welcome applications from highly motivated candidates with excellent organisational skills, ability to learn, and considerable computer competence. Contact AnnMarie on 01273 087839 or email eastbrighton@abdiocese.org.uk for an initial chat and application details.



The Relics of St Bernadette are journeying to our Diocese this Autumn and will visit St Dunstan's in Woking on 21 October, Arundel Cathedral on 22 October, and Worth Abbey on 23 October. The Relic Tour website is now live and will be updated regularly with further details of this very special visit. Please see:-www.stbernadette.org.uk



St Patrick's Church would like us all to know that one of the main charities they have supported for many years St Anne's day centre for lonely and homeless people - has closed down. They will investigate the nearest centre to St Anne's in Kemptown, providing such a needed service to support them. More info from Bernadette and Ted Skinner as soon as we know.



A new Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) course starts soon.

The qualification is ideally suited to catechists, teachers, readers, extra-ordinary ministers of the Eucharist, governors, parents and grandparents, in fact, anyone and everyone interested in sharing or discovering more about their faith. The next intake will begin studying this Autumn.

For more information, please contact our Formation Adviser, Jon Harman; Email: jon.harman@abdiocese.org.uk

CAFOD Just one world

CAFOD is raising much-needed funds for Ukraine to help hundreds of thousands of people fleeing conflict in the country. The people of Ukraine continue to need our support as the conflict continues. Any donation you can give will make a difference. Go to: www.cafod.org.uk to donate to theirUkraine Humanitarian Appeal. Aternatively, please use the DONA Machine in the church porch.

WORTH ABBEY RETREATS:

Finding Stillness: 20th-23rd September Led by Fr Peter Williams OSB 'Be still and know that I am God' (Psalm 46) Come to Worth Abbey and encounter refreshing and empowering stillness. Through the Benedictine tradition, discover how stillness can be part of your everyday life and how transformative it can be. The retreat will include: teachings in lectio divina and stilling the mind as well as an opportunity to have a 1:1 meeting with a member of the monastic community. Cost: £330 per person Booking form

TIME OUT: Individual Self Led retreats

Monday 18th – Friday 22nd July (minimum 2 nights) Friday 7th-Sunday 9th October

Monday 12th-Friday 16th December (minimum 2 nights)

Spend time at Worth Abbey enjoying the rhythm of the monastic prayer and liturgy, time in reflection and the peace of the Sussex countryside. There is no set programme other than an optional daily Lectio Divina Session, plus a chance to have a 1:1 for reconciliation or a chat. Cost: £90 per person, per night

The Abbot and Monks invite you to the Worth Abbey Festival - 'A Place of Beauty and Joy'. Bank Holiday Monday 29 August 2022 from 1pm – 4.30pm Admission Free This special Open Day will celebrate the beauty that is Worth, sharing the monastic offices with the monks in the Abbey, including music from the Abbey's resident, internationally acclaimed organist. There will be a guided walk through the Worth estate with pauses for prayers and reflection, tours throughout the day exploring the historic rooms in Worth School, visits to St Bruno's Retreat Centre and the Open Cloister programme of weekday and weekend retreats, activities for children and afternoon refreshments on the South Terrace overlooking the Sussex High Weald. Families welcome – plenty of car parking. For more information visit W: worthabbey.net or email E: pilgrims@worth.org.uk or call T: 01342 710370.

Pope Francis' prayer intention for the month of July As the Church gears up to celebrate the 2nd World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly on 24th July, Pope Francis is calling on Catholics to pray throughout the month for the elderly. He reflects on their special needs and the gifts they can offer younger generations.

"Let us pray for the elderly, that they may become teachers of tenderness so that their experience and wisdom may help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility."



Covid-19 Guidance to Parishes has changed!

- 1. Hand sanitiser should be available for all to use at places of entry and exit to our churches.
- 2. The necessity for social distancing is removed so churches should operate up to their normal capacity.
- 3. Wearing a face covering during mass recommended but not obligatory.
- 4. Singing can occur and we are advised to wear face coverings while singing.
- 5. Stewards: People are free to choose their own seats, but will be guided for communion by stewards. Please remain seated at that time until a steward indicates your turn. Thank you.