

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

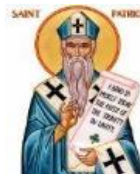


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The Parish is part of the Diocese of Arundel & Brighton Diocesan Trust Registered Charity No. 252878

**Please continue to observe the rules/regulations/advice from Government and Bishops' Conference**

**Live Streaming of Masses continues from Our Lady of Lourdes Church**

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/Ucc4VXBr3EOa43nCxxzB-Edw>

## Service & Intentions

## THE WORD WHO IS LIFE

<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>6.30pm (Sat) OLOL</b>	<b>** Vigil Mass</b>	Philip Whitehead R.I.P. (A)
<b>18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>9.00am St. Patrick's</b>	<b>** Mass</b>	Eileen Popa R.I.P. (A)
	<b>10.30am OLOL</b>	<b>** Mass</b>	Valerie Holmes R.I.P (R)
<b>Monday 1 August</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Mass - St. Martha's Convent</b> <i>St. Alphonsus Mary de'Liguori</i>	Celebrant's Intention
<b>Tuesday 2 August</b>	<b>9.30am (OLOL)</b>	<b>Liturgy of the Word</b> <i>St. Eusebius of Vercelli</i>	-----
<b>Wednesday 3 August</b>	-----	-----	-----
<b>Thursday 4 August</b>	<b>9.30am (OLOL)</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Colin Allen R.I.P. (R)
<b>Friday 5 August</b>	<b>8.30am (OLOL)</b>	<b>Adoration</b>	
	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Jim Curtis R.I.P.
<b>Saturday 6 August</b>	<b>9.30am (Convent)</b>	<b>** Mass Transfiguration of the Lord</b>	Celebrant's Intention
<b>Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>6.30pm (Sat) OLOL</b>	<b>** Vigil Mass</b>	People of the Parish
<b>19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>9.00am St. Patrick's</b>	<b>** Mass</b>	Philip Whitehead R.I.P.
	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>** Mass</b>	Nancy Vincent R.I.P.
	<b>CONFESSIONS</b>	<b>**** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm</b>	

**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 Office**



**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, 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, David Iddiols, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Joan Coyne, Mark Richards, Bernard Workman, Josh Moore, Fr. Oliver, Alexander Cruickshank, Noel Carrington and David Corbett.

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

## St. Bernadette Relic Tour - September 1<sup>st</sup>- November 1st 2022

In September and October this year, the relics of St. Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to England, Scotland and Wales. This very special once in a lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes in three places in our diocese - St. Dunstan's, Woking (21/22 Oct), Arundel Cathedral (22/23 Oct), and at Worth Abbey 23/24 Oct). Individuals and groups are warmly invited to register their attendance at these Churches. The Website giving details is:- [stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/](http://stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/)

We hope to organise groups from our parish to participate in the Sussex Venues.

See also more information on the second page of this Newsletter



**CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO SR. BLANAID McCAULEY, SR. BRID LONG AND SR. EITHNE WOLFE ON THE 60<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR RELIGIOUS PROFESSION AS SISTERS OF ST. LOUIS ON 8<sup>th</sup> AUGUST. May they continue to receive God's richest blessings as they celebrate their Diamond Jubilee.**

**REFLECTIONS ON SUNDAY'S READINGS** We are having a break this week so we will not be meeting on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August for Reflections on Sunday's Readings.



**Winners of the 100 PLUS CLUB Draw for July are:** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize £25 – John Knox, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £15 – Helen Buni, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £10 –Liam Elliott. Please collect your winnings from the Sacristy or the Parish Office.

**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, tours throughout the day, refreshments & activities for children. Families welcome - plenty of car parking. For details visit W: [worthabbey.net](http://worthabbey.net) or email: [pilgrims@worth.org.uk](mailto:pilgrims@worth.org.uk) or call T: 01342 710370.

**Young Adults Day at the Seaside with Fr Stephen Ortiger – Saturday 20 August 11am - 3pm**

Mass at Our lady Star of the Sea, East Preston, followed by a walk on the beach and a shared lunch at a beachside café. Contact E: [lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk) for more information.

**Young Adults (18-35) Events - Starting on Monday 19 September at 7.30pm (Dr Pia Matthews discusses Human Flourishing).** Join the Diocesan young adults community as we go on a journey online every fortnight to explore God's call on our lives. Our young adults meet for bible study and good conversation however, we will soon compliment these sessions with a series of guest speakers, joining us bi-monthly to help us discover the plans that God has for us. E: [lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk) for more information.

**REGISTER YOUR FREE PLACE FOR THE ST. BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR**

The Relics of St Bernadette will be journeying to the UK for the first time this Autumn visiting 51 venues across England, Scotland and Wales. The sacred Relics will visit three venues in our Diocese during the tour: [St Dunstan's in Woking](#) 21- 22 October, [Arundel Cathedral](#) 22- 23 October, [Worth Abbey](#) 23-24 October

**To ensure the comfort and safety of pilgrims, visitors are asked to register their attendance choosing a dedicated timeslot at the church or cathedral of their choice.**

You can register your free place by visiting the Relic Tour website here: <https://stbernadette.org.uk/registration/>



**[Marriage Anniversaries Mass at Arundel Cathedral - 11.30am - Sat 8<sup>th</sup> October 2022](#)** Are you celebrating an anniversary with a particular significance for you this year? Please join us for a wonderful opportunity to renew your wedding vows & revel in the joy that marriage can bring. Bishop Richard will celebrate Mass at 11.30am, followed by a small reception. Family & friends are very welcome. To book your place contact E: [katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk) or see: [www.abdiocese.org.uk](http://www.abdiocese.org.uk)

**'Sharing the Church's Story' Conference – Saturday 17 September 2022 10am - 6pm** Catholic Voices and Word on Fire are hosting a one-day conference at Friends House, Euston Road, London called 'Sharing the Church's Story'. Speakers include the internationally renowned speaker & author, Bishop Robert Barron. So, if you just want a boost for your faith life, register/find out more? W: [www.sharingthechurchsstory.com](http://www.sharingthechurchsstory.com)

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August – The Transfiguration of the Lord**

The feast we celebrate is a commemoration of the fact that Jesus literally revealed His glory to three of the Apostles. He took them up a high mountain and was transfigured before them. He became dazzling white and radiant with glory. This was an important image for them to have in their minds in preparation for the very real image of the suffering and death Jesus was about to undergo.

*Lord, may I see Your glory and the glory that You have bestowed upon my own soul. May my eyes forever remain fixed on that grace. May I see You and Your glory especially in difficult times. Jesus, I trust in You.*

