

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 Covid 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

Sunday 16 th Oct	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL	**Vigil Mass	Peter Crumbley & Ian Dewar R.I.P
29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am	** Mass ** Mass	People of the Parish Welfare of Kathleen Power
Monday 17 Oct	9.30am **7.30pm	Mass – <i>St. Martha's Convent</i> <i>St. Ignatius of Antioch</i> **ROSARY & BENEDICTION	Celebrant's Intention OCTOBER DEVOTIONS
Tuesday 18 Oct	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass <i>St. Luke</i> Time of Adoration/Private Prayer	Special Intention – Teresa Curtis
Wednesday 19 Oct	-----	-----	-----
Thursday 20 Oct	8.30-9.25am 9.30am	Adoration Mass	Josephine & William Lloyd RIP (A)
Friday 21 Oct	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass Divine Mercy/Private Prayer	Intentions of the Vernon Family
Sunday 23 rd Oct 30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time World Mission SUNDAY	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL 9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am CONFESSIONS	**Vigil Mass **Mass **Mass **** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm	John Westrupp R.I.P. People of the Parish David Halliday R.I.P. (A)

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.

This Weekend: 15th/16th October - The 2nd Collection is for PACT, (aid for prisoners' families).

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION Parents who have signed up their children for Sacramental Preparation are invited to a meeting in the Parish Hall at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on **THURSDAY 3rd NOVEMBER-- 7.00pm**



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

PACT - Prison Advice & Care Trust - Offering a Fresh Start

Our society punishes wrongdoing by depriving people of their liberty – that is what prison is. The loss of freedom is the punishment. Our prison system also aspires to rehabilitate people so that they don't reoffend. Family visits, education, training, communal worship, the arts and exercise are all important to that aim, as is resettlement planning for the practical necessities of having identity documents, a universal credit claim, of a job, and somewhere to live. But our system is broken. At PACT we work at building good relationships with prison and probation staff so that together we can strive to uphold the dignity of prisoners and their families. We support people in prison to resettle back into the community and not reoffend. It is the painstaking work we do at Pact to support the health and wellbeing of prisoners and their families, and to restore people on the margins to the community, that gives me hope. I extend that hope to you now. Thank you for supporting the work of Pact so that we can continue our life-changing work helping prisoners and their families, to make a FRESH START.

Andy Keen-Downs PACT CEO

Next weekend 22nd/23rd October – Collections for World Missions.

World Mission Sunday is our chance to show love and solidarity to our brothers and sisters overseas who share our faith. In offering our prayers, we join with missionaries everywhere in communion and compassion to support them in spreading the Good News, and by giving a donation we respond to Christ's call to feed the hungry and clothe the naked.



This World Mission Sunday, help us ignite God's love around the world.

RED BOXES Please hand in your Red Boxes for counting. Please leave them in the church porch for collection. Thank you for your support. If you want a Red Box, please ring Peter Johnson on 01273 390731.



PLEASE PRAY for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for Sean Flanagan, 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, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Huguette Vincent, David Iddiols, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Joan Coyne, Mark Richards, Bernard Workman, Fr. Oliver, Alexander Cruickshank and David Corbett. **Please let Fr. Benny OR the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.**

REFLECTIONS ON THE SUNDAY READINGS Every Friday at 10.15am in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to participate.



BEAKFAST CLUB Every Thursday 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.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH

“TOUR DE ROTTINGDEAN” CHARITY BIKE RIDE
to raise much needed funds for our church

From Saltdean/Rottingdean – To Palace Pier – Saturday 15 Oct

The Charity Bike Ride took place on Saturday morning but you can still make a contribution by sponsoring a cyclist/walker. Envelopes for donations in the Church porch. Thank you.



Pope Francis @Pontifex: The Christian faith always asks us to walk together with others, to move beyond ourselves toward God and toward our brothers and sisters, and to know how to be grateful, overcoming the dissatisfaction and indifference that disfigure our hearts.



CHURCH CLEANING We urgently need a number of people who will form a Rota to take on the very important work of cleaning the church interior on a regular basis. If you can help, please contact Fr. Benny or the Parish Office. Thank you.

RELICS OF ST. BERNADETTE AT WORTH ABBEY– Sunday 23 OCTOBER The sacred Relics will be at Worth Abbey on 23 and 24 October. Please add your name to the sign- on list in the porch if you wish to see the Relics, indicating whether you are able to offer a lift, or require one.

Anti-Slavery week - 17-23 October, with specific focus on Anti-Slavery day on Tuesday 18 October. Slavery on our Doorsteps awareness evenings are being held at St Peter's Church, West Street, Shoreham at 7.30pm on Tuesday 18 October and at St Dunstan's Church, Shaftsbury Rd, Woking at 7.45pm on Monday 17 October. No need to book. Contact Tessa Ricketts - E: Tessa.Ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH WALK - 3rd November (weather permitting). **Meeting Point:** Saltdean Lido car park at 10.30am (coastal buses stop nearby). We walk along the coast, up to Telescombe Tye and across the Tye, and then back down to the Lido (about 3 miles with slight hills). Those who wish, may like to follow the walk with lunch at the Crocodile Cafe in Saltdean. Please email frances.low@ntlworld.com or text **07816642943** if you want to walk. We also need to know numbers for lunch. All parishioners welcome!!

“Singing Together” Class on Mondays, 6.45- 8.45pm at St. Patrick's would benefit from more voices. Varndean has a booking for a church & community Christmas Party - involving our singers - on Dec 5th at St. Patrick's! Varndean will accept late entries. T:01273 546604 or [email: study@varndean.ac.uk](mailto:study@varndean.ac.uk).