

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



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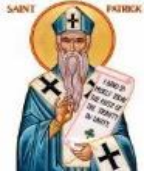
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Please continue to observe the rules/regulations/advice from Government and Bishops' Conference

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

Sunday 29th May World Communication Day	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL 9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	**Vigil Mass **Mass **Mass 7th Sunday of Easter	Intentions of Tony McGilligan Fr. Edmund Geoghegan RIP (A) People of the Parish
Monday 30 May	9.30am	Mass - St. Martha's Convent	Kate Roddy R.I.P.
Tuesday 31 May	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass Visitation of the Bl. Virgin Mary Time of Adoration/Private Prayer	Rose Miller R.I.P.
Wednesday 1 June	-----	-----	-----
Thursday 2 June	8.30-9.25am 9.30am	Adoration Mass Ss Marcellinus and Peter	Hugh Hoy R.I.P (A)
Friday 3 June	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass St. Charles Lwanga & Companions Divine Mercy/Private Prayer	Deceased Members of O'Kane, Meeke, O'Neill & Keane Families R.I.P
Saturday 4th June	9.30am	Mass	Brigid Cahill (A)
Sunday 5th June PENTECOST	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL 9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am	**Vigil Mass **Mass **Mass Day of Prayer for the Church	Fr. John Oldland R.I.P. (A) HM Queen Eizabeth HM Queen Elizabeth
	CONFESSIONS –	**** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm	

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

This Weekend 28th/29th May The 2nd Collection is for Catholic Communications Network.

Every year on the Sunday before Pentecost the Church celebrates the achievements of the communications media and focuses on how it can best use them to promote gospel values.

A Prayer for Communications Sunday *O God, whose word is truth and in whose light we see light, guide those who tell the story of our times through word and image. Make them seekers after truth and advocates of human dignity. Grant discernment to all who rely on their labours, and, as we confront the pain and promise of this world, awaken in us a sense of wonder at your presence and of longing for your peace.*

Each of us who is baptised has been given a task, a mission, by the Lord -to be EVANGELISTS

We, like the Apostles, live in a world that doesn't accept the Easter message. It is for us to proclaim to those around us that **Christ is risen**. We are given the strength to do this by the Spirit of Pentecost. But it is also encouraging to hear that we have been entrusted to our loving Father in a unique way. We belong to a community of faith, one that gets together to share the Eucharist and to celebrate its identity. Who we are is brought home to us when we come together as God's family. No matter what our weaknesses may be, we know that the Father is still close to us. Jesus offers us the chance of eternal life. All we have to do is call on the name he made known to us, praying in the words he taught us- **AND- fulfilling our MISSION.**



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: cafod.org.uk to donate to their Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal. Alternatively, please use the DONA Machine in the church porch.

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, Colin Allen, Cherie Pay, Maureen Garson, Jane Purdham, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Dorothy Benson, Teresa Ford, Peggy Cruickshank, Arthur Silver, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Huguette Vincent, Elizabeth & David Difford, Louis Gaskin, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Joan Coyne, Mark Richards, Bernard Workman, Josh Moore, Imelda Turnock, Fr. Oliver, Fr. Hester & Fr. Foley. Please let Fr. Benny OR the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.



GOLDEN JUBILEE Fr. Benny will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary of his Ordination on Saturday 11th June. Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Church at 12 noon will be followed by a Finger Buffet in the Parish Hall. All are welcome. Please also join us at Our Lady of Lourdes Church at 7.30pm on Wednesday 15th June when Bishop Richard will be concelebrating Mass with Fr. Benny.



BREAKFAST 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.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CHILDREN'S SESSIONS The next sessions entitled 'We receive Holy Communion' take place on Sunday 12th June at 9.30am and Tuesday 14th June at 3.30pm.

REFLECTIONS ON SUNDAY'S READINGS with Deacon Bernard Please join us on Friday 3rd June at 10.30am after coffee in the Hall. All are welcome.



Friday 10th/Saturday 11th June In preparation for the Jubilee Celebration, please contact Jacinta (07773 121696), email: jacinta.mccahill@gmail.com if you can help to decorate and set up the Hall on Friday 10 June at 2pm & also from 8.30am on Saturday 11 June. Volunteers are also needed to help with cleaning and tidying up after the event on Saturday. Bakers, we need volunteers to make scones and would be grateful for your help. Thank you.

Grandparents Day - Wednesday 8 June, 11.00am-3.00pm at Our Lady of Consolation & St. Francis, West Grinstead: A pilgrimage to the shrine at West Grinstead led by Bishop Richard to include Mass, Benediction, Rosary, tours of the secret chapel (as seen on the Invited film) and lots of chat. Please bring a packed lunch and a travel mug if possible. Arrival from 10.30am for refreshments. Contact E: katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk

Be part of our Corpus Christi team at Arundel Cathedral! The Cathedral is planning to lay a Carpet of Flowers for the Feast of Corpus Christi again this year after a two year hiatus, and would be delighted if volunteers from around the Diocese would come and boost their ranks to help with the preparations. Preparations for this wonderful event begin on Monday 13 June, with the **Carpet on display to the public on Wed 15 & Thurs 16 June (Mass takes place at 5.30pm on the 16th, followed by a procession to the Castle).** If you would like to help, please contact Louise in the Cathedral Office E: arundel@abdiocese.org.uk or T: 01903 882297

STANDING TALL After a long break, two Exercise Classes are now back on Mondays in the Parish Hall at 10am and 11.15am. A third class is due to start at 12.30pm on 6th June which is also full! If you wish to add your name to the Waiting List, please contact Julie Butler: julesob23@hotmail.com

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.