

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



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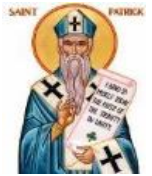
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Please continue to observe the rules/regulations/advice from Government and Bishops' Conference

Live Streaming of Masses continues from Our Lady of Lourdes Church

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

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Service & Intentions

THE WORD WHO IS LIFE

Sunday 4th Sept 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL 9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am	**Vigil Mass **Mass ** Mass	Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor R.I.P. (A) People of the Parish Bill Quantrill R.I.P. (A)
Monday 5 Sept	9.30am	Mass - St. Martha's Convent	Celebrant's Intention
Tuesday 6 Sept	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass Time of Adoration/Private Prayer	Giuseppina Neglia Pucci R.I.P.
Wednesday 7 Sept	-----	-----	-----
Thursday 8 Sept	8.30-9.25am 9.30am	Adoration Mass Nativity of the B.V. Mary	In Thanksgiving – Liz Hopkin
Friday 9 Sept	8.30-9.25am 9.30am 10.00am-10.30am	Adoration Mass St. Peter Claver Divine Mercy/Private Prayer	Welfare of Anne Allen
Sunday 11th Sept 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time EDUCATION DAY	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL 9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am	**Vigil Mass **Mass **Mass	In honour of Our Lady of Lourdes People of the Parish Luigi Arcoleo & Anna Colletti RIP
	CONFESSIONS	**** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm	

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the soul of Noel Carrington who died recently. His Funeral Mass will take place on Monday, 19th September at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Rottingdean, at 10.30am. Pray also for 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.

Sacramental Preparation



ENROLMENT for SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES

Forms are now available in the church porches and on-line to register interest in the Sacramental Preparation Courses (22/23) for Reconciliation/First Holy Communion/Confirmation. **Please return the forms by Sunday 25th September.**

“Not a slave any more, buta dear brother”

In 1833 William Wilberforce was buried in Westminster Abbey. During his life he had been inspired by a deep Christian faith in his commitment to the abolition of slavery, even though he must often have felt almost alone in his struggle. It may seem astonishing to us today that it took Christians so long to recognise the evils of slavery. Even St. Paul seems never to have condemned it as it was part and parcel of the social structures at that time. However, Paul in effect planted the seeds for the future destruction of slavery, first by insisting on the

absolute equality of all people, slave or free, and secondly by urging Christians who possessed slaves to treat them compassionately. In today's liturgy we are given a lovely example of how he went about it. **“.....as a blood brother as well as a BROTHER IN THE LORD.”**

Next Weekend 10th/11th September: The Second Collection is for Catholic Education.

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, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Huguette Vincent, David Iddiols, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Joan Coyne, Mark Richards, Bernard Workman, Josh Moore, Fr. Oliver, Alexander Cruickshank & David Corbett.

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



Standing Tall Exercise Classes resume this Monday 5th September at 10.00am, 11.15am and 12.30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall with Katherine. Please see poster in hall or if you wish to add your name to the Waiting List, please contact Julie Butler: julesob23@hotmail.com

THE BREAKFAST CLUB Every Thursdays after 9.30am Mass. Freshly made to order bacon rolls and lots more. Come and enjoy your treats and sample our new Autumn Menu. Each week you are helping to raise much needed funds for our church. Thank you for your support.



Winners of the 2nd Draw for August are: 1st Prize £25 – Bridget Byrne, 2nd Prize £15 – Brother Charles, 3rd Prize £10 - Teresa Curtis . Please collect your winnings from the Sacristy or the Parish Office. New members are welcome. Forms are available at the back of the church.



West Grinstead Pilgrimage Friday 23rd September Please join us on a Parish mini pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation of West Grinstead. The first catholic Shrine in honour of Our Lady to be established since before the Reformation.



After Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes at 9.30am we will travel independently to West Grinstead for 12.00pm when we will have a packed lunch together and have a look at the Church and grounds. Then we will have Holy Hour at 1.00pm followed by a visit to the secret chapel in the House at 2.00pm. If possible we would like to pray for refugees by saying a decade of the rosary in 4 different languages (plus one in English). If you are planning to come and can

say a decade of the rosary in a different language for us, please can you let me know. tracy.stickland@gmail.com 07760 120206.

Please bring a packed lunch. Tea and Coffee will be available at one point during the day. There is limited space for indoor seating for lunch so if you have a pop up chair that can be used in the grounds, please feel free to bring it. Although there is wheelchair access to the Church, there is no wheelchair access to the secret chapel. If you have space in your car, please offer a lift to anyone who has no transport. There will be a sign on list in the church porch. Please indicate if you can offer a lift or if you are requesting for one.

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/> You can book to stay at Worth when the relics of St Bernadette are at the Abbey. Places are limited for **St Bernadette retreat - 21-24 October Cost: £330 per person, single occupancy.** For more details and to book/pay for your place/s visit W: www.worth.co.uk or email E: retreats@worth.org.uk or call T: 01342 710318.

Young Adults (18-35) Events - Starting on Monday 19 Sept at 7.30pm Join the Diocesan young adults community as we go on a journey online every fortnight to explore God's call on our lives. We will soon compliment these sessions with a series of guest speakers, joining us bi-monthly. E: lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk for more information.

Marriage Anniversaries Mass at Arundel Cathedral - 11.30am - Sat 8th October 2022 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 contact E: katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk or see: www.abdiocese.org.uk