

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



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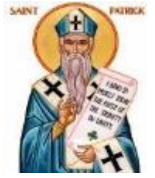
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**Priest: Fr. Maksym Krat**

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Also resident in the Parish:- Canon Daithi Foley

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**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/UCc4VXBr3EOa43nCxzB-Edw>

## Service & Intentions

## THE WORD WHO IS LIFE

 Third Sunday of Advent	Sunday 11 Dec	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL	<b>**Vigil Mass</b>	Special Intention - Ryan & Anne Heal (20 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary) People of the Parish Bernard, Simon, Richard and Dominic R.I.P.
		9.00am St. Patrick's	<b>** Mass</b>	
		10.30am	<b>** Mass <i>Third 'Gaudete' Sunday of Advent</i></b>	
Monday 12 Dec	9.30am	Mass – <i>St. Martha's Convent Our Lady of Guadalupe</i>	Peter O'Flinn R.I.P.	
Tuesday 13 Dec	8.30-9.25am	<b>Adoration</b>	Garrett and Bill Turner R.I.P. (A)	
	9.30am	Mass <i>St. Lucy</i>		
	10.00am-10.30am	<b>Time of Adoration/Private Prayer</b>		
Wednesday 14 Dec	-----	-----	-----	
Thursday 15 Dec	8.30-9.25am	<b>Adoration</b>	Maureen Dean R.I.P.	
	9.30am	Mass		
Friday 16 Dec	8.30-9.25am	<b>Adoration</b>	Huguette Vincent R.I.P. (R)	
	9.30am	<b>**Mass</b>		
	10.00am-10.30am	<b>Divine Mercy/Private Prayer</b>		
 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent	Sunday 18 Dec	6.30pm (Sat) OLOL	<b>**Vigil Mass</b>	Jan Prosvic R.I.P. (A) People of the Parish Sheila and Felice De Rosa R.I.P.
		9.00am St. Patrick's	<b>**Mass</b>	
		10.30am	<b>** Mass</b>	
		<b>CONFESSIONS **** SAT - 5.45-6.15pm</b>		

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

**The Second Collection this weekend, 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> December is for Christmas Flowers**



Please join us for a **Serbtice of Carols and Readings** followed by mulled wine and mince pies on **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 6.00pm.**



**We will be gathering to sing Carols and to listen to some Readings. To fit around another great event that day, we have arranged for it to start at 6pm. Do come along if you can.**

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

**MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION** If you are suffering from the loss of someone you have loved, then the Ministry of Consolation may be able to help. **The next Meeting is on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December after the 9.30am Mass in the Church Hall. Contact Maureen or Mary on [rottingdean@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:rottingdean@abdiocese.org.uk) for details.**

**Registration Form for New Parishioners** A very warm welcome if you are new to the parish. There are forms at the back of the church should you wish to provide your contact details. Please return the completed form to the Parish Priest or put it through the Presbytery letterbox.



**CRIB COLLECTION** All offerings this year are given in aid of the Catholic Children's Society A&B Crisis Fund to provide one-off emergency grants to support children and their families. Please send cheques to Arundel & Brighton Crisis Fund, Catholic Children's Society, 73 Charles Square, London W10 6EJ.



**PLEASE PRAY** for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for Sean Flanagan, John Petty, Alison Stainthorpe, Sami Ghazal, Sophie Reilly, John Heal, Sandra Waugh, Eileen Cross, Cherie Pay, Maureen Garson, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Teresa Ford, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Bernard & Sybil Workman, Canon Oliver Heaney, Alexander Cruickshank & Teresa Curtis. Please let Fr. Max OR the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.

**Stewards at Mass** whose role is to welcome mass-goers will also supervise the orderly queues for Communion. Communicants are asked to remain in their pews until invited to approach the Altar. Thank you.

**BEAKFAST CLUB** We are here every Thursday after 9.30am Mass. Come and try our new WINTER MENU – all freshly made to order. Thank you for your company and support.



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CHILDREN & PARENTS' SESSIONS** The next session entitled 'Learning about Rules' takes place this Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 9.15am in the Church Hall followed by Mass at 10.30am



**St Patrick's is hoping to provide a warm space once a week, over the winter months, to anyone who wants to come in.** The lead for this comes from our SVP and it will be in conjunction with the other churches in Woodingdean. There will be refreshments, maybe soup? Whatever people wish to or can provide. If you would like to help from time to time please pass on your details to Irene C Green, tel: 01273 303676, email: [icgreen70@gmail.com](mailto:icgreen70@gmail.com)



**CHRISTMAS CAKE & MORE SALE - Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> December - 10.00am – 1.00pm**  
**OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH HALL**

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**Kitchen open – 10am – 1pm serving Breakfast Club Menu**  
**Christmas Goodies, jam/jellies/chutneys and more.....Looking forward to seeing you all**



**CHRISTMAS HAMPERS - TO ORDER** – containing lots of Homemade Christmas treats. Hampers will be ready for Christmas week. Cost £25 payable with order. Any questions please contact Jose:- [jonathanandjosesharp@virginmedia.com](mailto:jonathanandjosesharp@virginmedia.com)



**Poinsettias** It is important to make our church look as beautiful as possible at Christmas by decorating the Altar with poinsettias, as we did last year. Please place your order as soon as possible by picking up an Order Form from the church porch and returning your completed form together with the money, to the Parish Office. You can dedicate your plant which costs £10, to a loved one & collect it after Christmas to keep in your home. If you want an order form to be delivered, please ring/email **Fidelma Ormiston: [fidelma\\_ormiston@hotmail.com](mailto:fidelma_ormiston@hotmail.com), 07817 966349.**

**We need some volunteer drivers** who can offer lifts to elderly parishioners who may require transport to the Christmas Services at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. If you can help, please contact Ann Knox 301252

Events hosted by the Diocese W: <https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events>

**Annual Justice and Peace Assembly - Hungry for Change Saturday 28 January 2023 - 9.30-1.30pm.** The Philip Howard Centre, Crawley RH10 6RP

**Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word led by Bishop Richard - Sat 21 Jan 2023** at St Bernadette's Church, Tilgate, Crawley - 11am–4pm. The day will include talks on the Scriptures, the Lectionary and its use in the Liturgy, the Liturgy of the Word, preparing to read, using microphones, Lectio Divina & mass. Arrival from 10.30am for refreshments. Please bring a packed lunch. Please sign up at: [Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word \(21-Jan-2023\) · ChurchSuite Events](https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events) E: [Catherine.Christmas@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Catherine.Christmas@abdiocese.org.uk) for more information.

**Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Eucharist Sat 18 February 2023** at Christ the Prince of Peace, Weybridge 11am–4pm. The day will include theological and practical talks, Eucharistic Adoration and mass. Arrival from 10.30am for refreshments. Please bring a packed lunch. Please sign up at: [Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Eucharist \(18-Feb-2023\) · ChurchSuite](https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events)