

SACRED HEART OF JESUS & ST. PETER THE APOSTLE

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31 August/1 September 2019

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Book: Year C, Volume 2, Page 130

Entrance Antiphon: Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

Psalm Response: In your goodness, O God, you prepared a home for the poor.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.

Prayer for September: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.



The Alpha Course is coming to Sacred Heart this autumn. Don't miss out on this great opportunity to go back to basics and grow your faith, encounter Jesus in a new way, be renewed in your spiritual life and learn from others on the journey.

For more information take a flyer/application form from the narthex or visit https://youtu.be/fViYK_Xb3Wg

Prayer for the Alpha Courses

Loving God, bless with success our Alpha Courses and bring more people to know, love and serve you and dedicate their lives to you. We ask that you also bring many of our young people to a deep and lasting love of you through Youth Alpha and that you renew the Pastoral Area to become a community of fervent disciples, living and witnessing to the Gospel for the salvation of souls and the glory of your name.

We ask this in the power of the Holy Spirit and in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Waterlooville,



You all are simply
Wonderful. May you never
lack materially and
spiritually!!!

I Love you all!

Thank you for all your support, prayers and gifts during my seminary journey, Priestly Ordination and First Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving.

I could not have done it without you.

May God shower you and all your loved ones with His abundant blessings!!!

Be assured of my continuous remembrance of you at the altar of the Lord. Forever yours loyally,

Fr. Johnpromise Ikenna Umezuru.

These past 2 years of being in the parish and participating in your various lives have been simply wonderful and profoundly enriching. They have been the best I have had since my sojourn in the UK. You not only opened your hearts to me; you opened your homes and accepted me as one of you; and one of you I will always be. However, every good thing comes to an end. On the 5th of September 2019, I will be flying off to Jersey to take up my first assignment as a priest. Parting time is always a very painful moment for friends. It is a time the memory of love shared together makes the heart uneasy to say goodbye. Yet, Goodbyes are not forever. Goodbyes are not the end. They simply mean I will miss you all till we meet again. Pray for me that my ministry in Jersey will be a faithful and fruitful one. Please continue to stay close to Mgr. Jeremy whose generosity is unbounded; collaborate with him in moving this great parish to enviable heights. Give Seminarian Paul Nwune who replaces me the same support you have given me. My doors in Jersey will always be open to you all. Please do come around. May the peace of Christ abide with you and all your loved ones. I cherish you all!!!
Fr Johnpromise Umezuru.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS:

John O'Neill, Maria Carmen Martin, Thomas Andrew (TJ), Geoffrey Tompkins, Anne Littlefield, Damien Haughan, Betty Groves, Carole Higton, Matthew, Marion Greeham, Charlotte West, Elizabeth Evelyn, Teresa Richardson, Ron Littlefield, Paul Evelyn, Mary Ling, Margaret Bush, Boris Mayfield, Stephen Condon, Nicola O'Neill, Bernard Griffin, Mary Harrington & Dave Hill.

For the housebound, lonely, homeless, bereaved, those in nursing homes, hospital and Rowans Hospice.

If you ask for someone to be prayed for and their name is placed on the Prayers for the Sick in the newsletter, it is your responsibility to ensure that the presbytery is kept informed about their condition. For the long-term sick, a quarterly update would be appreciated. Thank you.

DATE	TIME	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 31 Aug	5.30-6pm 6.15pm	<i>Confessions</i> Vigil: TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Adriano Persiano RIP
SUNDAY 1 Sept	10.30am 6.30pm	TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Paul Hourigan RIP Deceased members of the Lodrick Family
Monday 2 Sept	12noon	Feria [22nd Week in Ordinary Time]	Margaret Maidens RIP
Tuesday 3 Sept	7pm	ST GREGORY THE GREAT, Pope, Doctor of the Church, feast at All Saints', Denmead. All Welcome!	Holy Souls
Wednesday 4 Sept	7pm	Feria [22nd Week in Ordinary Time]	Mrs. Rachel Arnold
Thursday 5 Sept	9.30-9.50am 10am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i> Feria [22nd Week in Ordinary Time]	Joseph Higgins RIP
Friday 6 Sept	9.30-9.50am 10am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i> Feria [22nd Week in Ordinary Time]	John Beauvoisin RIP (FM)
Saturday 7 Sept	5.30-6pm 6.15pm	<i>Confessions</i> Vigil: TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Patrick Casey RIP

Notices & Information...

WELCOME TO ANY NEW PARISHIONERS! It would be helpful if you could provide us with some basic contact information. Please complete one of the 'New Parishioner Preliminary Information' cards (on the table in the narthex) and hand it to Fr. Jeremy.

BAPTISM INTO THE LIFE OF JESUS AND THE CHURCH. We welcome into the family of the Catholic Church and our parish community, Luke Watkins-Mayo, who will be baptised on Sunday @ 12noon. Please remember Luke, his parents and Godparents in your prayers this weekend.

PAT MOFFATT RIP. Please pray for the rest and peace of the soul of Pat who has died recently. Pat was a member of the parish for many years before moving away to be closer to her daughter. Details of her funeral will be announced when known.

GEORGE O'SHAUNESSY RIP. Tragically, little George, who was only 6 years old and whom we have been praying for since November 2016, has died following a long battle with Leukaemia. Please remember George's family at this very sad time and pray that they may be comforted by much love, support and prayers in their grief.

ANNA WILLIAMS RIP. Please pray for Anna who passed away recently at Easterlea Nursing Home in Denmead. Please remember her family and friends at this sad time. Anna's Funeral will be on Monday 30 September @ 11.30am.

OAKLANDS APPLICATION FORMS - Information for parents regarding admission to Oaklands September 2020: There is no need to call the presbytery for an appointment to see Fr. Jeremy, you will only be contacted if there is an issue. Parents will need to complete the entire form, including Part B – Father will just need to sign and stamp where indicated. Please include a family photo and a copy of your child's baptism certificate and bring it into the presbytery. If there's no answer at the door just pop it through the letterbox. You will then be called when the form is ready to collect, please remember to include your mobile on the paperwork/envelope.

THANK YOU.

- Dorothy Pople would like to thank everyone who supported the Cake Sale in aid of 'First Steps 2 School Peru' last weekend. £245.00 was raised.
- Boni Mpario writes... "I have been overwhelmed by your kind generosity and interest in my fund raising. Your cash donations have reached £980.98, added to my online JustGiving donations of £1300, brings my total donations to £2280.98. This exceeds my original target of £2000 and hopefully means an extra wheelchair depending on the exchange rate. I'm going to Kenya in November to distribute the wheelchairs personally to ensure the families in greatest need receive them. It is my hope to share photos etc. on my return so that you can see the enormous impact your kind donations will have made. If you have any questions you will usually find me at the Sunday 10.30am Mass. Thank you and may God bless you all."

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND: Home Missions. Mission Sunday encourages prayer and support for the outreach of the Church. Missio/APF works through local bishops and churches to ensure that resources go directly to those in need.

WHAT CAN I DO? Please pick up today a copy of the August/September edition of the Leaflet.

MALTESE CULTURE MOVEMENT - MALTA DAY UK. This Event, commemorating the feast of Our Lady of Victories, will be held at Sacred Heart, Waterlooville on Saturday 14 September. The celebration will start at 10am with the St. Sebastian Brass Band playing in the piazza and the official opening of the Fair by Her Worship the Mayor of Havant Cllr. Diana Patrick. At the Maltese Fair you will be able to purchase Maltese products, Galletti, Gbejniet, Twisteets, Maltese Wines to name but a few. The fair closes at 2pm. Mass will be celebrated by Fr. Jeremy together with other Maltese clergy. This will be a *cantata* Mass with the joint choirs of Sacred Heart directed by Soprano Tamsin Stevens. The Mass will conclude with the Maltese National Anthem at 3.45pm. After Mass there will be a procession out into the piazza for a fanfare and firework display. Entrance is free and everyone is welcome. Day concludes at 6pm.

CELEBRATING FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019 – SUNDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 10.30AM MASS: Fr. Jeremy and the First Communion Team would like to invite the children and their families from this year's programme to attend Mass on this day to celebrate with the rest of the Parish Community. Children can come dressed in the First Communion outfits if they wish and after Mass we will be distributing their certificates as a memento of their special day.

THE TUESDAY CLUB is open to everyone on the first and third Tuesday of every month, at 2pm in the parish centre. You can expect a warm welcome plus fun, friendship, card games, scrabble etc. along with a cup of tea or coffee & cake. For more information please contact Trish on 07947 611699.

THE WEEK OF ACCOMPANIED PRAYER CONTINUES. There will be an opportunity to set up small groups to share our journeys in faith on Tuesday 15 October @ 7pm in the narthex. If anyone is interested in finding a personal ongoing Spiritual Director, or for more details or to find resources please contact me, Chris Bryden at spirituality@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING. Please see the new calendar for Safeguarding Training (Child Protection & Vulnerable Adults) on the Notice Board.

YOUTH ALPHA/CONFIRMATION 2020. Applications are invited from anyone 13 years or older (or, in the school system, anyone entering Year 9 or above this coming September). Applicants should apply personally by hand-written letter to Fr Jeremy before 30th August 2019, explaining why Confirmation is important to them. Sessions will begin on Friday 18th October, time to be confirmed, in the parish centre and will continue weekly every Friday evening until Easter, school holidays excepted. There is no date set yet for Confirmation but we will let you know when the Bishop decides.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020. Please contact the Presbytery by noon on Friday 20 September if you would like your child to be included in next year's programme. Children are required to be in Year 3 or above and throughout the duration of the programme it is expected that the candidate and their family attend the Sunday 10.30am Mass together after each session. Registration will be on Sunday 13 October and the sessions will begin on Sunday 5 January with First Reconciliation on Saturday 28 March and the First Holy Communion Masses will be on Saturday 11 & 18 July, so please make sure your commitments allow you to be here for these important dates.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME AND ASSISI, 24-31 October, 2020. Many people have indicated that they would be interested in coming on the pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi next October. Now the time has come to register your interest in writing. Please fill in one of the cards on the table in the narthex giving your name and contact details. Please use one card for each person wishing to travel and put the cards in the box provided for privacy. The box and cards will remain for a few weeks. Fr. Jeremy Garratt.