

SACRED HEART OF JESUS & ST. PETER THE APOSTLE

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26/27 January 2019

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Book: Year C, Volume 1, page 129

Entrance Antiphon: O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.

Psalm Response: Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! The Lord has sent me to bring the good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

Prayer for Vocations: Loving God, you love me and you know me better than I know myself. Give me the grace to live out your call to me in this life and to rejoice with you forever in the next. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

John O'Neill, Myrna Coleman, Maria Carmen Martin,
Chris Hyson, George O'Shaunessy, Thomas Andrew (TJ),
Pat Moffatt, Geoffrey Tompkins, Anne Littlefield,
Damien Haughan, Betty Groves, Carole Higton, Matthew,
Marion Greeham, Charlotte West, Elizabeth Evelyn
& Ian Cuthbert.

For the housebound, lonely, homeless, those in nursing homes & hospital and everyone in The Rowans Hospice.

Holocaust Memorial Day 2019

Theme vision

Torn from home

'I didn't feel like I had a home after the genocide because everything was destroyed. I had no home at all. I had nothing.'

Chantal Uwamahoro, survivor of the Genocide in Rwanda

Let us remember those who died in such a terrible way and pray for an end to genocide everywhere in the world. May we never be complicit by our silence or inaction in acts of persecution, torture and inhumanity.



Fr. Jeremy writes...

As we end Christian Unity Week, today's second reading reminds us of the gifts and riches Christians of other Churches bring to the Body of Christ. At one time we taught the 'there is no salvation outside the Church', and we meant the Catholic Church. However, the Church now teaches that not only can other Christians be saved, but God's salvation is for all people.



The following is the teaching of the Second Vatican Council which states quite clearly that God wills that all people should be saved and that salvation is possible for all:

[T]hose who have not yet received the gospel are related in various ways to the People of God.

In the first place there is that people to whom the covenants and promises were made and from whom Christ was born according to the flesh [the Jews]. On account of their fathers, this people remains most dear to God, for God does not repent of the gifts he makes nor of the calls he issues.

But the plan of salvation also includes those who acknowledge the creator. In the first place among these there are the Moslems; they profess to hold the faith of Abraham, and along with us adore the one and merciful God, who will judge mankind on the last day.

Nor is God himself far distant from those who in shadows and images seek the unknown God, for it is he who gives to all life and breath and every other gift, and who as Saviour wills that all be saved. Those also can attain to everlasting salvation who through no fault of their own do not know the gospel of Christ or his Church, yet sincerely seek God and, moved by grace, strive by their deeds to do his will as it is known to them through the dictates of conscience. Nor does divine Providence deny the help necessary for salvation to those who, without blame on their part, have not yet arrived at an explicit knowledge of God but who strive, aided by his grace, to live a good life.

Whatever goodness or truth is found amongst them, is looked upon by the Church as a preparation for the gospel, and as given by him who enlightens all people that they may finally have life. (Lumen gentium, #16)

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD TRAINING & SUPPORT DAYS

30th March 10am-2.30pm St. James, Reading
15th June 10am-2.30pm St. Edward the Confessor,
Chandlers Ford

All members of Children's Liturgy of the Word are invited to one of these training days. New diocesan guidelines and resources will be available as well as looking at recruitment, safety and safeguarding. Both sessions will have the same content - attend only one. You are invited to bring your own lunch; other refreshments will be provided. There is no cost. Location and parking information will be sent via email once you book online at www.tinyurl.com/clow-training-day
First come first served - please try and book as early as possible.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

St. John's Cathedral in Portsmouth

This weekend we take the annual collection in support of our Cathedral in Portsmouth. Envelopes are available at all Masses for those who do not have gift aided planned giving envelopes for second collections. This collection is the only support our Cathedral receives from the wider Diocesan family.

*Father PJ Smith,
Cathedral Dean of St. John's Cathedral.*



DATE	TIME	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 26 Jan	5.30pm 6.15pm	<i>Confessions</i> Vigil: THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Joshua's Intention
SUNDAY 27 Jan	10.30am 6.30pm	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	People of the Parish Patricia Sheppard RIP (FM)
Monday 28 Jan	12noon	St Thomas Aquinas, Religious, Doctor of the Church, memorial	Cynthia Cunliffe's Intention
Tuesday 29 Jan	10.30am	Mass with Years 5&6 at St. Peter's – ALL WELCOME!	
Weds 30 Jan	-	<i>No Adoration</i> No Mass	
Thursday 31 Jan	7pm	St John Bosco, Founder, memorial	Union of Catholic Mothers' Intention
Friday 1 Feb	9.30-9.50am 10am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i> Feria [3rd Week in Ordinary Time]	Betty Casey RIP
Saturday 2 Feb	5.30pm 6.15pm	<i>Confessions</i> Vigil: FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Dec'd Members of the Walton Family (FM)

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 Elodie Williams who will be baptised on Sunday @ 12noon.

WHAT IS IT? For some weeks now there has been a mysterious 'installation' in the narthex and it has raised some curiosity from parishioners. It is the Adelante Gallery, a four-sided column designed and created by Hugh Gibbons or Bracknell. Describing itself as 'an uncommon example of art with its sleeves rolled up', it is a mobile art gallery on loan to us from Oaklands and commemorating the recently canonised Oscar Romero with artefacts that memorialise his life and work and that of other 'unofficial' saints - Dorothy Day, Jo Cox, food bank supporters, human rights campaigners, Medecins sans Frontier, reporters under fire, etc. A leaflet at the base of the gallery gives more detail and is worth studying as you look at the gallery. We are grateful to Mugeni Sumba, who organised the memorial Mass for Romero at our cathedral, for promoting the work of the saint and this unusual installation.

IN THE EVENT OF BAD WEATHER... The parish is compiling a list of people who would help to make the Church a safe area in time of snow and ice. If you could help out, please contact Nina via email parishcentre@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

NEWS FROM ST. PETER'S PRIMARY SCHOOL: Fr Jeremy celebrated Mass with pupils from Years 3 and 4 in school this week. Linking with the current RE topic of Revelation, the Mass drew for inspiration on the Baptism of the Lord by his cousin John. Pupils from both year groups showed excellent knowledge of the sacrament and symbolism of Baptism during Fr Jeremy's homily. Our next Mass in school is Tuesday 29th January at 10:30am. As always, families of pupils in those year group are invited to join the celebration. Moreover, any parishioner from Waterlooville, or Horndean, or St Peter's parent who may not have a child in Years 5 or 6, are warmly invited to attend the Mass in school and celebrate with the children. *Mr Richard Cunningham, Headteacher.*

PARISH PRAYER GROUP MEETING. Monday 4 February In church @ 2pm. All are invited to a hour's quiet prayer and meditation led by a member of the Group. Further information from Margaret Day 023 9263 2533 or Tom Wilkinson 023 9259 4268.

THE TUESDAY CLUB. Parish centre @ 2pm on the first and third Tuesday of each month. For full details contact Trish on 07947 611699.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS. Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 6 February @ 2pm in the parish centre. New members always welcome. Anyone interested should call Jean Hartnell on 023 9259 9875.

WIVES GROUP. Monday 18 February @ 7.30pm in the parish centre. Access through main front door please. For more information call Tessa 023 9225 2855 or Elizabeth 023 9226 4042. Coffee/tea is available as well as a fundraising raffle to support one or two different charities each year. You do not have to be a member you are only asked to bring £1 for the raffle and 40p for refreshments. Everyone welcome. Speaker for February's meeting is Shahla – An Iranian Women in Britain.

ST. PATRICK'S HAYLING invite you to hear Fr. John Lavers speak (see picture - Fr. John is the tallest on the left) about his role as Chaplain to the Apostleship of the Sea on Wednesday 20 February at St. Patrick's Parish Hall, Manor Road, Hayling (behind the church). Tea/coffee will be served from 6.30pm with Fr. John speaking promptly @ 7pm. For further details contact Mary 023 9246 3714 or Pauline 023 9246 8498.



ESSENTIAL TRAINING FOR CATECHISTS. Sister Hyacinthe writes... One of the most exciting and enjoyable of our team's activities at the service of the diocese this year has been our Essential Training for Catechists, which was launched in September 2017. Since then, it has been taken up by 111 people from around the diocese. These wonderful people volunteer in their parishes as First Holy Communion catechists, Children's Liturgy leaders, Confirmation catechists, RCIA catechists, Baptism catechists and adult formators. A few also came to find out more before committing themselves to any one of these ministries. We designed this short course packed with the essential foundations necessary for their ministry of proclamation and explanation of the Good News. Once the participants have completed all the sessions, they receive a diocesan certificate from Bishop Philip during our annual day for Catechists, in the Cathedral. It is a wonderful occasion to worship together and give thanks for the wonderful service of the transmission of the faith in our parishes, in which so many are involved in great or small ways. The next course will be taking place in Hook Parish, every Tuesday evening in Lent from 7.30pm to 9.00pm beginning on 12th March. See poster in the church porch for details. If you are interested in attending the course, email Sr. Hyacinthe on ffm@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

TRISH BAILEY WRITES, ON BEHALF OF THE DENMEAD ROWANS SUPPORT GROUP...

- SUNDAY LUNCH accompanied by the Stoney Ridge Band. Glass of wine or juice. Roast lunch or Vegetarian option and choice of delicious deserts. February 17th Denmead Community Centre 1pm for 1.15pm. Tickets £15 from Trish on 07947 611699 patricia.bailey333@gmail.com
- The next event in Denmead will be the BEETLE DRIVE 27th March Denmead Memorial Hall 7.30 Entry £2
- We are taking bookings for your sales tables our Special SILVER SPRING EVENT. Denmead Church Hall April 13th. Crafts, homemade foods, Coffee & cakes. There will be a 'SILVER GAME' for all the family and the Rowans Charity Collecting Boxes will be opened. contact Trish on 07947 611699 patricia.bailey333@gmail.com

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES JULY 2019. Miss Keogh is leading a small group of Oaklands students as part of the larger Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in July. Young people are invited to serve the pilgrims in many different ways, as well as experiencing the joy of Lourdes on a personal level and as part of a fun team of young people from across the Diocese. See Miss Keogh at school.

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING: Please see the notice board in the lobby for full details of Child Protection Awareness, Vulnerable Adult Awareness and Refresher Training.

RACHEL MADOCKS SPECIAL SCHOOL is a co-educational day school for 89 pupils aged 2 - 19 with severe, profound and multiple learning difficulties and complex medical needs, near to Waterlooville. The school's latest Ofsted inspection in November 2017 confirmed that they continue to be a 'good school'. They are currently recruiting Governors to join their friendly governing body, drawn from members of the local community, staff and parents. Their important role is to support the excellent work of the school, be a critical friend and ensure they become 'outstanding'. The meetings are held after school at either 4pm or 5pm and you would be expected to attend approximately 9 meetings annually. If you would like further details of this important voluntary role please visit: www.rachelmadocks.hants.sch.uk or contact Judith Wilkins at governors@rachelmadocks.hants.sch.uk Telephone 02392 241818.

ROWANS SILVER JUBILEE APPEAL – SANTIAGO TREK October 5-12 2019. Trek across the green rolling landscapes of rural Galicia in Spain, meet fellow pilgrims, discover local traditions and enjoy the unique atmosphere and raise money for Rowans Hospice. More information at silverjubilee.rowanshospice.co.uk/events/santiago-de-compostela-trek/

LAST WEEKEND'S GIVING: Loose cash: £471.59, Direct Debits: £1,003.94, Gift Aid: £194.08. Total: **£1,669.61.**