

WATERSIDE CATHOLIC PARISH

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Part of the New Forest Pastoral Area

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Oct 29 to Nov 4 30th Sunday in ordinary time

Year A, Weekdays Year 1

MASS TIMES

SUNDAY 9.00am MASS SB's

Mass Intention :Seamus Brannigan

SUNDAY 11.00am MASS.. SM's

Mass Intention: People of the Parish

Anniversaries this week: Jason Singleton(30th)RIP. Mary Smith(30th), RIP. John Parker (30th)RIP. Joyce Grimes(31st). Katherine Tobin(31st)RIP. Betty Powell,(31st) RIP. Tianne Smith-Evans(2nd)RIP. Honora Power,(2nd) RIP. Edna Lamb (3rd)RIP. Dot Mangham (4th)RIP.

Pray for Fr Abraham's recovery.

If you have any announcement to be made in the church or newsletter we would like to have it by **Thursday morning**. Only emergency ones to be brought to the sacristy on Sunday morning.

Confessions are available after Friday mass, or by appointment.

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

Father Abraham wishes to thank all the volunteers who help to run things smoothly.

Coffee and Tea at St Michael's

You are warmly invited to join us after 11am Mass.

(Go through the Sacristy into the Hall)

The Food bank needs:

Milk (uht) and powdered. Instant mashed potato. Fish and meat (tinned). Coffee/Tea. Sponge Puddings. Fruit juice (uht) Carrots/peas/sweetcorn/fruit(tinned) Sugar, Toilet Rolls. Toiletries.(No baked beans)please.

Weekday Mass Timings

St.M. Masses at St Michael's

St. B. Masses at St Bernard's

Monday 9am. No Mass.

Tuesday 7pm. Vigil Mass All Saints. St.B

Wednesday 10am Mass. All Saints St.M.

Thursday 10am Mass. All souls. St. M

Friday 10am. NO Mass.

Confessions Not this Friday.

Saturday 10am. No Mass.

Collection this week: Bamenda (Obligatory)

Weekday Masses

Until further notice the daily mass will be at 10am Monday Mass remains at 9am.

November Holy Souls

Nov is the month in which we remember our beloved departed ones. It is a time to pray and specially do things to help our departed souls. Attend and offer masses for them. Our friends and family are in need of our help. Works of charity, masses, remembrance are some ways of helping them. All masses in the month of Nov will be offered for Holy Souls (Except for any Special Intentions). You can write as many intentions as you want and they will all be placed in a bowl before the altar and prayed for every day. Please collect a special "Prayers for the Holy Souls" sheet at the back of the churches.

The Solemnity of ALL SAINTS

is celebrated on Wednesday 1st November. It is a Holy Day of Obligation:

Father Abraham We welcome Fr David Quarmby who has kindly offered to celebrate mass in Fr Abraham's absence. Please keep Fr. Abraham and his family in your prayers while he recovers at home.

For Sacrament of the sick or Holy Communion to the sick or housebound: contact parish office

Please keep in your prayers: Violetta Baddour, David Bazley, Janice Bird, Philomena Breen, Christopher Browne, Marion Butler, Denise Calder, Bruno Chrzanowski, Fr Vincent Convery, Kathryn Cox, Deny Croll, Elizabeth Dawtry, Baby Finlay Drozd, Keith Ellison, Derek Faiers, Mervyn Francis, Dennis Freemantle, David Grennell, Amanda Gudge, Sally Herbert, Fiona Francis, Catherine Heron, Doreen Holman, Peggy Kirwan, Sarah Marshall, Pauline Moore, Anne O Connor, David Parkinson, Michelle Ripley, Joan Smith, Emmie Walker, Brian Weston, Mary & Lawrie Witchell, Patrick Bradley. Brenda Atkinson. Iris Bolton. Barry Norris. Magdalene Smith. Lisa Swanson. Joan Hopper. John Bowden.

Parish Christmas raffle.

From Sun 29 Oct we will be giving out raffle tickets for you to sell and return by 26 Nov. The Draw will take place at St. Bernard's Hall on 29 Nov at a Coffee Morning at 10.30am. Please support your Parish by selling or buying as many as you can. We still welcome more prizes please. For queries contact Louise or Theresa 80898213. Thank you

Prayer to St. Michael, the Archangel

Most glorious Prince of the heavenly armies, St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in our battles against principalities and powers, against the rulers of this world of darkness, against the spirits of wickedness in the high places. Come to the assistance of men whom God has created to His likeness and whom He has redeemed at a great price from the tyranny of the devil. Holy Church venerates you as her guardian and protector, to you the Lord has entrusted the souls of the redeemed, to be led into heaven. Pray to the God of peace to crush satan beneath our feet, that he may no longer retain men captive and do injury to the Church. Offer our prayers to the Most High, that without delay they may draw His mercy down upon us, take hold of the dragon, the old serpent, which is the devil and satan and cast him into the bottomless pit, so that he may no longer seduce the nations.

LAST WEEK COLLECTION

Loose plate £137,80 Missio. £124,82

Gift Aid £210 CAFOD £50

FOODBANK:

The Food Bank is in need of donations. Our Parish has always been very generous; thank you to all who donate on a regular basis. Perhaps those who do not currently donate may consider doing so. We are told that donations to the Food Bank are reducing but the need is increasing. Thank you for your generosity.



THE POPE TWEETS @pontifex

Be courageous witnesses to Christ in the places where you live and work.

Let us all work together to promote peace among peoples and guarantee respect for human rights. Jesus gave us the light which shines in the darkness. Defend and protect this light it is the greatest treasure entrusted to you.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE LATEST NEWS!

The Diocese of Portsmouth now issues a weekly e-news. Go to www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk and add your email address to receive these updates.

Refugee Response Day: On Fri 10th Nov 1-4pm at St. Edward the Confessor. 191 Winchester Rd, Chandler's Ford, SO53 2DU. Speakers from Jesuit Refugee Service.

Pray: For peace, reconciliation and a just outcome for the people of Cameroon and offer a Rosary for Bamenda. Pray too for Rohingya refugees and CAFOD who is supporting Caritas in Bangladesh.

FAIRTRADE

The Parish shop, Faith, Hope and Charity is now closed but we still have muesli, honey, tea and coffee plus chocolate, sweets, kitchen rolls etc. which we need to sell. Louise will sell them in the Hall after Masses at St. Bernard's at 9am or phone her on 80898213.

Catholic Legacy Week 5-11 Nov. Gifts in your Will are a valuable and lasting way to support the Church's ministry and mission and help meet the needs of future generations. Do please consider gifts to the Church and Catholic charities next time you update your Will. For more info pick up a leaflet; contact Your Catholic Legacy on 0207095 5370; or go to www.yourcatholiclegacy.org.uk

Demystifying Natural Family Planning.

On Sat 11th Nov. 9.45am to 4pm. St Michael & All Angels, Leigh Park. Free but donations welcome. Our Family Life team have organised a day of talks and workshops on Family planning. Lunch, tea and coffee provided. Speakers Dr. Helen Whiting, Dr Olive Duddy, J. Garrett and C. Bergess.

Celebrate Youth Sunday with Bishop Philip.

On Sun 26th Nov at St. John's Cathedral, Portsmouth. Bishop Philip will celebrate 6pm Mass, after there will be a social with food and talks from inspiring speakers in the Discovery Centre.

Volunteers needed to wash and iron altar cloths.

Mary Fenn has done it for years and it would be easier with 4 or 5 more ladies please. We also need a Parish Safety Officer Volunteer. Training will be given. Please contact Fr. Abraham or the Parish Secretary. List at the back of the church. Thank you