

## WATERSIDE CATHOLIC PARISH

Registered Charity No 246871

*Part of the New Forest Pastoral Area*

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**St Bernard's Church, (SB)** 20a, Southbourne Ave, Holbury, SO45 2NT

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**Office hours: Tue and Thur 10-3pm**

**Nov 5 to Nov 11 31st Sunday in ordinary time**

**Year A, Weekdays Year 1**

**MASS TIMES**

**SUNDAY 9.00am MASS SB's**

**Mass Intention :Holy Souls**

**SUNDAY 11.00am MASS.. SM's**

**Mass Intention:Ketty Burroughs**

Anniversaries this week: Peter Mulvenney (6th)RIP. Eva Bate-man (6th)RIP. Ted Tisdale (7th) RIP. Eric Parker (10th) RIP.

Please 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 10am. St.M. Liturgy of the word & Communion.**

**Wednesday 10am No Mass**

**Thursday 10am No Mass**

**Friday 10am. St.M. Liturgy of the word & Communion.**

**Confessions Not this Friday.**

**Saturday 10am. No Mass.**

**Collection this week: Bamenda**

### 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.

**Father Abraham** We welcome Fr David Quarmbly 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.

**Senior Citizens' Christmas Lunch.:** On Thur 7th Dec. at the Old Mill, Holbury. At 12.30 for 1pm. The cost will be £6 p.person. Add your name and phone number, at the lists available at both churches. All senior citizens are welcome to join us. If there are any problems contact: Phil Hopkins, Mary King, Veronica Chadwick or Maureen Cain.

**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.

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 tickets as you can. Thank you to everyone who have kindly donated prizes. Fortunately we do not require any more. Thank you for your generosity, we have West End theatre tickets, a meal for two at a local restaurant, a luxury hamper, bottles of spirit and many other prizes. For queries contact Louise or Theresa 80898213.

### St. Bernard on Mary

Bernard tells us, "in dangers, in doubts, think of Mary, call upon Mary. Do not let her name leave your lips nor your heart. So that you will more certainly obtain the assistance of her prayer, do not neglect to walk in her footsteps. With her as guide, you will never go astray; while calling to her you will never lose heart. As long as you think of her, you will never be deceived. While she holds your hand you cannot fall. Under her protection you have nothing to fear. If she walks before you, you shall not grow weary and you will reach your goal

### LAST WEEK COLLECTION

Loose plate £171.29 Gift Aid. £289

### Quiz Night

Thank you to David King and all those who organized and attended the Quiz Night. Your help and generosity was greatly appreciated  
The Quiz raised £335

**Sat 18th Nov. Fruitful Discipleship:** At Winchester Parish Centre, 9.30am-5pm. For people in the diocese who would like to know and serve the Lord more deeply and be an active disciple. Bishop Philip will be hosting and with Katherine Coolidge will be giving talks on Fruitful Discipleship



### THE POPE TWEETS @pontifex

May the Virgin Mary help us to take the first step each day in order to build peace in love, justice and truth.

Learn from wonder; nurture, astonishment. Live, love, believe. And, with the grace of God, never despair.

I invite you to keep your eyes fixed on Jesus Christ in order to learn from Him how to love with all your heart.

### KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE LATEST NEWS!

The Diocese of Portsmouth now issues a weekly e-news. Go to [www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](http://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 archbishop Cornelius and 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](http://www.yourcatholiclegacy.org.uk)

**CAFOD Memorial Mass.** A mass of remembrance for all CAFOD supporters, family and friends who have passed away will be held on Sunday 19th Nov at 10am at St.Michael & All Angels Church Leigh Park, 437 Dunsbury Way, Havant. PO9 5BD. Everyone welcome.

### 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

### PAUSE FOR PRAYER

Dates for your diary: At St.Michael's 10.30 to 11.30  
28th November 2017  
5th December 2017  
30th January 2018  
All welcome for quiet scripture & prayer in Our Lady's chapel. Organized by Christine Olden.