

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

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BAPTISM: Please pray for Olivia Silva being baptised on Saturday.

REMEMBERING THE GREAT WAR:

We would like to set up a kind of 'scrapbook' of images, stories and events concerning the First World War. We are looking for your own family stories from whatever part of the world, as well as anything to do with Westbourne. To do this, we need a co-ordinator who will gather, copy, and sort materials. Then he or she will follow-up by having everything put in presentation formats ('scrapbook'), display boards, *Powerpoint*, whatever. Do you have the organisational and personal skills to do this? Please see Fr. Bill or Bernard Kelly if you can help.

PARISH SUMMER FETE: The final sum raised for CAFOD from the summer fete, including sale of remaining items after the Masses last Sunday came to a total of £929.45. Very well Done!

BOURNEMOUTH PASTORAL AREA CHANGES:

This month we say, 'Farewell,' to Fr. Marcus who is leaving Charminster to become parish priest of Havant at the opposite end of the diocese. Fr. Marcus has done a brilliant job at Charminster and his parishioners will be, rightly, sorry to lose him. Indeed, he is such a hard act to follow that he is being replaced with not one priest but two! We therefore welcome Fr. Bernadine, as parish priest of the Annunciation and St. Edmund Campion, and Fr. Andre (already known to us as chaplain to the Polish Community at Sacred Heart) as his assistant priest.

Fr. Andre will continue to have responsibility for the Polish Community, which grows apace. Also, both Fr. Bruce (Sacred Heart) and Fr Denis (Corpus Christi) will be taking three-month sabbaticals this autumn. Sacred Heart will be looked after by our old friend Mgr Ron Hishon, and Fr. David will hold the fort in his very capable hands at Corpus Christi. Fr Bill isn't going anywhere.....

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: Friday 15th August is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses at OLI will be at **11.00am and 7.00pm.**

STUDENT OUTREACH: We would like to reach out to the many international students visiting Westbourne. As a starter we would like to offer a British Film afternoon once a month to help with their English language and pronunciation. The students finish school around 4pm-5pm so this would be the prime time to hold this event. The hall is available Monday for this. We are looking for someone, or a small group of people, to host this event and welcome the students. If you are available on occasional Mondays 4-7pm please contact Fr Bill or Lisa Jukes.

FILM CLUB: *The Prince of Egypt*, **Tuesday 19th August, 2.00pm.** Animated feature of the life of Moses and the Exodus. Great for children, and toddler friendly show. (We don't mind if they make a bit of noise!).

PARISH FILM CLUB: Has been very well attended at both 2pm and 7pm showings. Thank you to Susan and Bernard for looking after the 7pm slot. We need someone to take on the 2pm show that Fr. Bill has been doing until now. We need someone to work the equipment, stay for the length of the film in case of problems, and lock-up afterwards. Please see Bernard or Fr. Bill if you can help.

FEMALE HEALTH TALK EVENING: Tuesday August 26th: 7-8.30pm in the Church Hall. Parishioner & Nutritionist, Anne-Marie Fletcher, is pleased to co-present an evening focused on 'Female Health Through The Lifestages'. Come and join the nutrition team from Westbourne's own Health store for an evening of nutrition tips and free health product samples. Topics covered during the evening will include many of the most common female health complaints and the nutrient imbalances associated with them. Book your place by purchasing a £5 entrance ticket from The Discount Healthstore on Seamoor road. This is redeemable against any Discount Healthstore product purchased on or following the evening. Delicious refreshments will also be provided! An evening not to be missed for ladies of all ages!

WITH HEARTS AND MINDS: A six-session course led by Fr. Bill looking at the Mass. Three consecutive **Saturdays: 13, 20, 27 September, 11.00am-3.00pm**, OLI Hall. All welcome. See poster and sign-up sheet at the back of church.

| LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS | | | | |
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| Prayer of the Church: Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time - Psalter Week 3 | | | | |
| Cycle of Prayer: World Day of Prayer for Life | | | | |
| TODAY | NINETEENTH SUNDAY | 9:00AM | Gerard and his work | |
| 10th Aug. | OF ORDINARY TIME - (A) | 11:00AM | People of the Parish | |
| Mon 11th | St Clare (Foundress) | <i>No service</i> | | |
| Tues 12th | St Jane Frances de Chantal | 11.00am | Helena Marchak | |
| Wed 13th | Ss Pontian & Hippolytus | 11.00am | <i>Communion Service</i> | |
| Thurs 14th | St Maximillian Kolbe (Priest) | 11.00am | Helena Marchak | |
| Fri 15th | The Assumption of Our Lady | 11.00am | Bob Phillips | |
| | | 7.00pm | People of the Parish | |
| Sat 16th | St Stephen of Hungary | <i>No service</i> | | |
| SUNDAY | TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF | 9.00AM | Simon Phillips | |
| 17th Aug | ORDINARY TIME - (A) | 11.00AM | People of the Parish | |
| | EF MASS | 7.00PM | Joan Dean | |

| PRAYER CORNER | |
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| THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: | |
| Rosemary Baker, Win Sheridan, Christopher Browne, Derek Ward, Lise van der Syde, Felicity Whitehead, Naida Blunden, Lilian Whitty, Margaret Barkway, John Leebody, Christopher Fordham-Hall, Louise Borber, Ian Dolman, Alan Franklin Barnes, Alix Norris, Ken Hayward, Patricia Dewar, Natalie Gale, Jill Bickley, Lorretta Domanska and James Richards. | |
| THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: All mentioned in our Book of Remembrance. | |
| REQUESTS: in our visitor's book. | |

PARISH CALENDAR

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| Fri | 15 | 11.00am | Mass for the Assumption | OLI Ch |
| | | 7.00pm | Mass for the Assumption | OLI Ch |
| Sat | 16 | 2.00pm | Baptism of Olivia Silva | OLI Ch |
| Sun | 17 | 7.00pm | Extraordinary Form Mass | OLI Ch |
| Tues | 19 | 2.00pm | Film Club: The Prince of Egypt | OLI Hall |
| Sun | 24 | after Masses | Cake Sale | OLI Hall |

DIOCESAN INFO

BISHOP PHILIP EGAN; will celebrate Mass in honour of Saint Lorenzo Ruiz, a Filipino-Chinese saint enshrined at St. John's Cathedral in Portsmouth on **Saturday 27th September at 4:00 pm.** There will be a procession of Filipino and Chinese saints from the car park to the Church starting at 3:30pm. Filipinos and Chinese groups will bring food to share after the Mass. All are invited. For more information call Fr. Claro Conde, 07803191502.

SVP

SVP AFTERNOON TEA: is on Tuesday next, **12th of August**, from **2.00 to 4.00pm.**

OLD & FOREIGN CURRENCY: The box is still available (until September) in the entrance for your currency, or speak to an SVP member.

SCHOOLS NEWS

ST PETER'S PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN EVENING: on **Thursday 9th October** at 6.00pm in St Peter's School, Iford, for parents/carers whose children will be five years old between **1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016** and are looking for a place in Reception in **Sept. 2015.**

YOUTH NEWS

WILL HINCE: For the last three years, Will has been the Catholic Youth ministry leader for the Pastoral Areas of Bournemouth and Avon Stour. Sadly, for financial reasons, we have had to let Will go. Will has done a fantastic job in engaging with our young people and we are very sorry indeed not to be able to employ him further. One of the things Will has left us is a functioning Youth Council who will continue organising ministry for young people. We wish Will every blessing.

THE JOURNEY: Youth 2000 pilgrimage to Walsingham **21st-25th August** For 16-25 yr olds - sign up on the Portsmouth Diocese website Costs £100. Any queries - email edchap@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk.

NEW CATHOLIC SCOUT GROUP: Based at the Sacred Heart, a new (and the only) local catholic Scout group is opening in Bournemouth for girls and boys. If you would like more information about joining the group, go along on **Thursday 4th September 2014**, times as follows. Beavers...5.15-6.15pm, Cubs...6.15-7.30pm, Scouts...7.30-9.15pm. Call Chris Murphy **07806 499692.**

CAFOD NEWS

GAZA CONFLICT URGENT APPEAL: Please help stop the violence in Gaza and get aid to families in great need. You can ask the Foreign Secretary to push for peace, or donate to CAFOD's humanitarian aid on the ground. Go to <http://www.cafod.org.uk/Gaza>. Please also remember to pray for peace - 'Our Lady Queen of Peace hear our prayers'.

CAFOD NEEDS YOU: CAFOD Portsmouth is currently looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help us visit Catholic **primary** schools in Bournemouth. If you are a good communicator and interested in global issues, do get in touch. The role aims to empower young people to make a difference in today's world. Full training provided. Please contact Lynda Mussell on 01252 329385 or email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk for further information.

CAFOD PORTSMOUTH SUPPORTERS' MEETING: CAFOD Portsmouth will be holding a meeting for all supporters on **Saturday 13 September** from **10am until 1.30pm** at St Bede's RC Primary School, Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX. To book a place please ring 01252 329385 or email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk by 8 September.

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

8TH SOUTHAMPTON CATHOLIC CELEBRATE WEEKEND: on **27th & 28th September** at St. Mary's College, Bitterne Park, Southampton. The theme is "Jesus, the hope of all the world". For details and booking forms see the **Celebrate Website.**

DAY OF RECOLLECTION: at Sway for Ministers of Holy Communion and Readers **11th October 2014 10am-4pm.** Please put your name on the list in the church porch and don't forget to bring a packed lunch. Parish will pay.

DEEPENING OUR AWARENESS OF GOD WITHIN US (following the guidelines of St Ignatius of Loyola): A course that will be held in the Library Room of the Corpus Christi parish centre. Part 1: on Monday evenings 7.20 - 9.20pm from **Sept 15 - Dec 15.** Application to be in **by 29th July** to Fr Tony Horan SJ. For application form/information contact Fr Tony on **01202 436721** or email tony.horan@btinternet.com.

If you have anything of interest that you would like included in the newsletter, please email: olinewsletter2@virginmedia.com.

Welcome to all our visitors today.

Dedicated bays for wheelchair and buggy users at the front and back.

Please remember: mobile phones off.

Just moved in? Please give us your details.

If you need any assistance, please ask one of our welcome team, who will be happy to help.

Church Cleaning alternate Mondays at 2:30pm.

SVP Society meets alternate Tuesdays 11:30am in the Hall.

Rosary in church each Wednesday, 10:15am.

Benediction and Confessions: Fridays 11:30am.

We are part of Bournemouth Pastoral Area. For details of local parishes, schools, and chaplaincies, please ask a welcomer for a leaflet.

For hall bookings please call 01202 760640, or email ourladywestbourneoffice@gmail.com.

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