

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE
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BAPTISMS: Please pray for Joshua Umeadi and Grace Montgomery Howell being baptised this weekend.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN: Are you thinking about becoming a Christian? Are you Christian but not Catholic? Fr. Bill will be leading a weekly discussion group for "enquirers" starting in October. There will be an initial planning meeting on **Tuesday 8th September at 7.00pm** in the parish hall. If you are interested, please fill in an enquiry form available at the back of the church and give it to Fr. Bill. Thanks.

FR BILL'S ANNIVERSARY MASS: Special Mass and reception in honour of Fr. Bill having been with us for 5 years now, to be held on **Tuesday 1st September at 6.00pm** at OLI. we are going to be providing finger food after Mass, and so will need volunteers to help set up and tidy up afterwards. If you are able to provide any home made dishes or assistance with set up can you please let Pam O'Neill or Denise Atkins know at 9am Mass and Anne-Marie Fletcher or Susan Kelly at 11am Mass.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: The children's liturgy during 9am Mass is taking a summer break, and will restart on **September 13th**.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: The next Pastoral Council meeting will be on **Thursday, 27th August** at 4.30pm.

PARISH LITURGY TEAM; The next

meeting of the Liturgy, Formation and Spirituality team will be **Thursday 3rd September** at 2.00pm.

FILM CLUB: Our next film will be *Noah*, starring Russell Crowe, 2014. "Spectacular and intense" retelling of Noah and the flood. **Tuesday 15th September**, 2.00pm and 7.00pm. Free: all welcome.

QUIZ NIGHT: We are holding a Quiz night on **17 September**, 7.00pm for a 7:15 start. This will include a **fish and chip supper** - the cost is £10 per person. A sign up sheet is available on the notice board. Please join us and if you can get a 'team' together all the better, if not you can join up with others on the evening. Tickets will be on sale next Sunday but in the meantime please include your name on the sign up sheet.

KEY HOLDERS: We need to update the list of current key holders and the declaration forms. If you are a key holder please can you make time to see the Parish Administrator, Suzanne Quinn, during her office hours, to sign your declaration by **31st August** if possible. Many thanks.

FOOD HYGIENE CERTIFICATE: there are occasions when we need someone who holds a current Food Hygiene Certificate to assist or be present. If you hold a current Food Hygiene Certificate and are willing to assist us please advise Suzanne in the office.

A VOLUNTEER: is required to give Derek van der Syde a lift to church for the 9.00am Mass. At the moment he is having to walk as there are no buses on Sunday morning prior to 9.00am.

CHURCH CLEANING: Monday 7th and 21st September, 5th and 19th October at 2.00pm. All volunteers are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE: We are planning an International Harvest Supper on **Saturday 24 October**. Please save the date in your diaries. Further details to follow nearer the time.

SECOND COLLECTION: No collection today or next weekend.

PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

A VULNERABLE ADULTS TRAINING SESSION: has now been organized for: - **Saturday 3rd October 2015** at St Joseph's, Christchurch. Vulnerable Adult training from **1.30pm – 4.00pm** with Val Croughan (Diocesan Safeguarding trainer). There is also a "Refresher Session" taking place from **10am – 12.30pm** the same morning at the same venue. (Refresher training is a combined CP and VA session and is for those who have undertaken their initial CP and/or VA training three or more years ago.) People who wish to attend will need to register with **Soraya Ciccarone** Tel: 02392 836511, 02392 816396 or 02392 825430, Email: soraya@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk. Val can be contacted via email on - valcroughan@ntlworld.com Training is mandatory for all volunteers who have

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS			
Prayer of the Church: Week 21 - Psalter Week 1			
TODAY	TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY	9:00AM	Simon Philipps
23RD AUG	OF ORDINARY TIME - B	11:00AM	Neville Gatt and Maria De- lores Vidal
Mon 24th	St Bartholomew (Apostle)	No service	
Tues 25th	St Louise IX (King of France)	11.00am	Muriel Philby w/b
Wed 26th	Blessed Dominic Barberi	11.00am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Thurs 27th	St Monica	11.00am	Holy Souls
Fri 28th	St Augustine of Hippo	11.00am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Sat 29th	The Beheading of St John the Baptist	No service	
SUNDAY	TWENTY SECOND SUN-	9.00AM	Florencio Lopez de Vicuna
30TH AUG	DAY OF ORDINARY TIME	11.00AM	Lise van der Syde

PRAYER CORNER
THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Rosemary Baker, Win Sheridan, Christopher Browne, Felicity Whitehead, Naiada Blunden, Margaret Barkway, John Leebody Christopher Fordham-Hall, Louise Borber, Ian Dolman, Alan Franklin Barnes, Patricia Dewar, Joan Guyomarsh, Lorretta Domanska, James Richards, Patricia Plumb, Ann Hogg, and Dorothy Matthews.
THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: All mentioned in our Book of Remembrance.
REQUESTS: in our visitor's book.

PARISH CALENDAR

AUGUST

Thurs 27 4.30pm Parish Pastoral Council OLI Hall

SEPTEMBER

Tues 1	6.00pm	Mass & reception marking Fr. Bill's first five years with us.	OLI Ch & Hall
Thurs 3	2.00pm	Liturgy, Formation & Spirituality Council meeting	OLI Hall
Tues 8	7.00pm	Becoming a Catholic Christian - Enquirer's Meeting	OLI Hall
Sun 13	11.00am	Guild of St Stephen enrolment	OLI Church
Tues 15	2.00pm	Film Club - Noah	OLI Hall
	7.00pm	Film Club - Noah	OLI Hall
Sun 20	6.00pm	Extraordinary Form Mass (Tridentine)	OLI Church
Sun 27	12.15pm	Baptism of Denisa Patriche	OLI Church

contact with children and vulnerable adults during the course of their ministry for the Catholic Church.

SCHOOLS NEWS

EXAM SUCCESS: Well done to all at St. Peter's on their excellent exam results! See report on notice board.

ST PETER'S SECONDARY SCHOOL OPEN EVENINGS 2015: For Parents/carers and children, in De La Salle Theatre, St Peter's School, Southbourne, St Catherine's Rd. **Thurs 17th Sept & Tues 22nd Sept 6.00pm to 8.30pm**

ST PETER'S PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN EVENING: 8th October - 6.00pm. St Peter's School (Iford Site), Holdenhurst Avenue, Bournemouth. Meeting is for parents/carers who have children for Reception in September 2016.

DIOCESAN INFO

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL: On Friday 11th September the House of Commons will debate and vote on a Bill to legalise assisted suicide. This will put the most vulnerable people in our society at risk. Please contact your MP, urging them to attend the debate and vote against the Bill. You can send an e-mail to your MP via the Catholic Bishops' Conference website www.catholicnews.org.uk/assisted-suicide or send a letter by post. Please take a briefing sheet home today.

MIGRANT SLAVERY CONFERENCE: Saturday 26th September 2015. The Justice, Peace and Social Responsibility Team of the Diocese is hosting this conference at St. Bede's Church, Popley Way, Basingstoke RG24 9DX, 9.30 – 3.30 pm. There is an excellent team of speakers. Booking is essential: the day will cost £10. Priority booking for members of diocesan parishes lasts until 7th July 2015 when booking will be open to all. The day is likely to become fully booked very quickly so please book now. Email: cvirgo@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

CAFOD NEWS

CAFOD PORTSMOUTH SUPPORTERS' MEETING: Sat 12 September 10.00am – 1.30pm, St

Bede's Primary School (Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX). We will explore CAFOD's new *Lauda-to Si* study guide for parishes and hear more about CAFOD's work in Niger. To book a place please ring 01252 329385 or email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk by 4 September.

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

HOME MISSION SUNDAY: Home Mission Sunday is celebrated on **20 September 2015** and is themed: PROCLAIM God's Mercy. On this day we are encouraged to pray for the work of evangelisation in England and Wales. Please support the second collection which funds the bishops' national work of evangelisation and the development of this year's Proclaim '15: Building Missionary Parishes initiative. It is possible to donate online at: www.catholicnews.org.uk/donations Please support the work of Home Mission through your prayers and generosity. For more information see: www.catholicnews.org.uk/hms15 God bless you and thank you.

SOUTHAMPTON CELEBRATE WEEKEND: for 2015 will be on **26th & 27th September**. This event is in its eighth year! Join with families around the Diocese for another faith-filled weekend with Mass, good teaching, brilliant music, and stream activities for all age groups. The conference takes place at St Mary's College, Bitterne Park, Southampton. Mass will be celebrated by Episcopal Vicar for Evangelisation, Fr Mark Hogan, on the Saturday, and Fr John Chandler on the Sunday. More details are available at www.celebrateconference.org or we can be contacted on 02380292058 or by email: peterszymski@hotmail.co.uk

FORMATION FOR MISSION: Are you a catechist? Keep up-to-date with Formation for Mission training and events at: www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/formation There is a lot coming up this term, including: Retreat Day for Catechists – **26th September**. Day for Catechists with Fr Mark Hogan – **17th October**. Conference with Matt Pinto, Founder of Ascension Press – **9th November**.

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If you have anything of interest that you would like included in the newsletter, please email: olinews-letter2@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 Weds 11:30am in the Hall.

Rosary in church Wednesdays 10.15am

Benediction and Confessions: Fridays 11:30am.

Parish Administrator & hall bookings
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