

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

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Fr BILL: Bishop Phillip writes -

Owing to ill-health, Fr. Bill Wilson has tendered to me his resignation as parish priest of Our Lady Immaculate, Westbourne. He is currently based at St John's Convent, Kiln Green. Please pray for him. Fr. Bernadine Nsom has been appointed parochial administrator of Our Lady Immaculate, Westbourne from the end of August and will hold this office until we can appoint a new parish priest.

WELCOME: We are grateful, once again to Deacon Roger who will be conducting the Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion Services today, in the absence of Fr Tim Healy who unfortunately is still unwell.

COLLECTION: Please note that when there is a Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion Service the collection takes place on leaving the Church.

NEXT SUNDAY, 11th September: There will Masses offered next Sunday at the normal times, 9am and 11am.

BAPTISM: Please pray for Milena Chomentowska who will be baptised during 11am Mass next Sunday.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY DOOR AT PORTSMOUTH CATHEDRAL: The revised date for the pilgrimage to the Holy Door at Portsmouth Ca-

thedral is Saturday 12th November the only date the cathedral could offer. If you have already paid your money for the trip that was cancelled, you are already on the list to go; but if you cannot make this new date, please see Pam at 9am Mass or Susan at 11am Mass to arrange a refund. If you had not previously booked but would like to go on this new date, please speak to Pam or Susan or put your name and contact details on sign up sheet on the notice board.

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Suzanne will be on holiday until 12th September. Emails will continue to be monitored for the newsletter.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Will resume next Sunday 11th September.

CANONISATION OF BLESSED MOTHER TERESA: Today, Sunday, 4th September, Pope Francis will declare Blessed Mother Teresa to be a saint. Born to an ethnic Albanian family in Skopje, in what is now part of Macedonia, she went to India in 1929 as a Sister of Loreto and became an Indian citizen in 1947. She founded the Missionaries of Charity in 1950. Mother Teresa died in 1997 and was beatified in 2003.



SECOND COLLECTION: No collection this weekend. Next weekend there will be a collection for Racial Justice.

SOCIAL EVENTS

QUIZ NIGHT: Thursday 15th September in the church hall. A fish and chips or sausage and chips supper is to be included in the total cost of £10 per person, which is to be paid in advance by 11th September. The quiz starts at 7.30pm, with an interval for food. Bring your own drinks. Teams are to consist of no more than 6 players. Please pay either Laura Fisher or Pam O'Neill. Alternatively you can leave your £10 in an envelope marked clearly with 'QUIZ NIGHT' together with your name (or names) and phone number. This can then be left in the post box by the office door. Cheques made payable to 'Our Lady Immaculate'. **Sign-up sheet is now on the notice board.**

BRIDGE CLUB: Will restart **Monday, 5th September.**

CRAFT CLUB: Will return every Thursday from **22nd September** and we look forward to welcoming new members then.

PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

LAUDATO SI CONFERENCE: Saturday November 12th at 9.30 for 10am.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Cycle of Prayer: The Care of Creation

SUNDAY 4TH SEPT	23RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	9.00AM & 11.00AM	Liturgy of The Word and Holy Communion
Mon 5th	Feria	No service	
Tues 6th	Feria	11.00am	Communion Service
Wed 7th	Feria	11.00am	SVP
Thurs 8th	Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary	11.00am	Communion Service
Fri 9th	Feria	11.00am	No Special Intention
Sat 3rd	Our Lady on Saturday	No service	
SUNDAY 11TH SEPT	24TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	9.00AM 11.00AM	People of the Parish James P. Martin

PRAYER CORNER

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: John & Dee McGuire, Frank Passos, Rosemary Baker, Win Sheridan, Christopher Browne, Felicity Whitehead, Naiada Blunden, Margaret Barkway, John Leebody, Christopher Fordham-Hall, Louise Borber, Ian Dolman, Alan Franklin Barnes, Joan Guyomارش, James Richards, Patricia Plumb and Dorothy Matthews.

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: All mentioned in our Book of Remembrance.

REQUESTS: in our visitor's book.

PARISH CALENDAR

September

Sun	4	9&11am	Visiting priest to be confirmed	OLI Church
Mon	5	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Thurs	8	6.00pm	Property and Finance Committee Meeting	OLI Hall
Sun	11	9&11am	Fr. Tony Pennicott to offer Masses	OLI Church
		9.00am	Children's Liturgy restarts	OLI Hall
		11.00am	Baptism of Milena Chomentowska	OLI Church
Mon	12	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Thurs	15	7.30pm	Quiz Night	OLI Hall
Sun	18	9&11am	Fr Patrick Chrystal to offer Masses	OLI Church
		6.00pm	Extraordinary Form (Tridentine) Mass	OLI Church
Tues	20	2pm & 7pm	Film Club—We have a Pope	OLI Hall
Thurs	22	2pm	Craft Club	OLI Hall
			Liturgy Group Meeting	OLI Hall

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 2:00pm.

At the Winchester Discovery Centre. (opposite St Peters Church). This conference explores Pope Francis's Encyclical and his concern for environmental issues. Bishop Philip will be opening the event and chairing a panel discussion in the afternoon. Further details [Laudato-si12nov@gmail.com](mailto:si12nov@gmail.com)

and hear more about CAFOD's work in Bolivia. To book a place, please ring 01252 329385 or email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk by 5 September.

SVP

AFTERNOON TEA: There will be no afternoon tea during September. The next date is **18th October**. All welcome.

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

Rosary in church
Wednesdays 10.15am

Benediction and Confessions:
Fridays 11:30am.

DIOCESAN INFO

SOUTHAMPTON CELEBRATE WEEKEND 2016: Early booking is advised. **Saturday 24th September 2016, 9a.m. - 9 p.m. to Sunday 25th September 2016, 9 a.m. - 5.30 p.m.** For cost, booking and more details please phone Lynda and Peter on 02380 292058.

CERTIFICATE IN CATECHESIS: This is a two-year distance-learning course, through the Maryvale Institute. It is intended for anyone seeking to learn more about their faith, as well as those looking for formation to equip them to work with children and adults in parishes, schools and families. For further information please contact feenquiries@maryvale.ac.uk or ring 0121 3608118

LOCAL INTEREST

BOURNEMOUTH CHRISTIANS ALONGSIDE ROUGH SLEEPERS: What move on/emergency accommodation can the church offer the homeless in Bournemouth? You are invited to hear more about this on **Sunday 18th September** at St Peter's Church, Bournemouth. To book call 01202 429037.

CAFOD NEWS

CAFOD PORTSMOUTH SUPPORTERS' MEETING: Next meeting on **Saturday 10 September 2016** from **10am until 1.30pm** at St Bede's RC Primary School (Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX) where we will explore our Harvest resources

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND: 11th – 20th October 2016. Pilgrimage to Bethlehem and Tiberius. For more details please contact Fr Tom Grufferty, email tomgrufferty1@gmail.com

Tea and Coffee
Downstairs after
both Sunday
Masses.

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We are part of Bournemouth Pastoral Area.

VISITING PRIESTS

September	11th	Fr Tony Pennicott
	18th	Fr Patrick Chrystal
	25th	To be confirmed
October	2nd	Fr Shaun Budden
	9th	Fr Ron
	16th	Fr Ron
	23rd	Fr Shaun Budden
	30th	Fr Ron
November		Fr Ron

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If you have anything of interest that you would like included in the newsletter, please email us at:
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