

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

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At Bishop Phillip's request, we will say a decade of the rosary at the end of Mass, praying especially for a parish priest and for vocations to the priesthood.

Priest: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

All: Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Priest: Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

All: Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen (repeated 10 times)

Priest: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

All: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.



WELCOME: and many thanks to Fr. Tony Pennicott who will be offering Masses for us today.

A DECADE OF THE ROSARY will be said at the end of each Mass. Please see the insert box above for further details.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: the repose of the soul of John Grady, whose Funeral Mass will be at Our Lady Immaculate Church on **Monday, 20th February at 12.30pm.** We keep him in our prayers and may God comfort all his loved ones, especially his dear friend Maria Harris.

THANK YOU: Following the illness and death of their son Mike, Hildegard and John Slater wish to give their thanks to all those people who have offered thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. It has been of immense comfort to receive such support. Mike's funeral will take place in Germany on Monday, 20th February.

ASH WEDNESDAY: March 1st. Mass will be offered at **11am only.** However, there will be a 7pm Mass at The Annunciation, Charminster if you are unable to attend in the morning.

LATIN (TRIDENTINE) MASS: Due to Fr Glaysher's ongoing ill health, there will be no more monthly Latin Masses here at Our Lady Immaculate until further notice.

LENTEN LUNCHESES: We are hoping to provide Friday Lent Soup lunches again this year. If you would like to help, please speak to Pam at 9am Mass or Susan at 11am Mass or please see sign-up sheet on the notice board in the porch.

LITTLE BAGS OF TEALIGHTS FOR SALE: 20p per bag, containing around 10 tealights. Please see Sara or Suzanne.

SECOND COLLECTION: No second collection today, or next week.

CHURCH CLEANING: Dates include 27th February; 6th and 20th March at 2pm. *All volunteers welcome.*

SOCIAL EVENTS

ESCOFFIER: A social lunch is being organised at the Escoffier Restaurant for **Tuesday, 28th February**, which happens to be Shrove Tuesday! For those interested, a sign-up sheet, together with the menu can be found on the notice board in the foyer.

PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

ALPHA TASTER SESSION: this Tuesday, 21st February, 7.15pm-9.15pm at St. Joseph's Parish Centre, Christchurch BH23 1EH. Free. The Alpha Course is open to all: whether you are regular churchgoers, occasional visitors, atheists or just curious. In fact, the AL-

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Cycle of Prayer: Racial Justice

SUNDAY	SEVENTH SUNDAY IN	9.00AM	Serene Low
19TH FEB	ORDINARY TIME	11.00AM	People of the Parish
Mon	20th Feria	12.30pm	Funeral Mass John Grady
Tues	21st St. Peter Damian	11.00am	Kevin Fitzpatrick
Wed	22nd The Chair of St. Peter	11.00am	Deceased Friends of SVP
Thurs	23rd St. Polycarp	11.00am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Fri	24th Feria	11.00am	Barbara MacNamara- Thomas
Sat	25th Our Lady on Saturday	<i>No service</i>	
SUNDAY	EIGHTH SUNDAY IN	9.00AM	Kate Butler-Creagh w/b
26TH FEB	ORDINARY TIME	11.00AM	People of the Parish

PRAYER CORNER

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Mary Bell, Joy Chiari, John & Dee McGuire, Rosemary Baker, Win Sheridan, Christopher Browne, Felicity Whitehead, Naiada Blunden, Margaret Barkway, John Leebody, Christopher Fordham-Hall, Louise Borber, Ian Dolman, Joan Guyomارش, James Richards, Patricia Plumb, Dorothy Matthews and Laura Lafferty.

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

REQUESTS: in our visitor's book.

PARISH CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

Sun	19	9&11am	Fr. Tony Pennicott to offer Masses	OLI Church
Mon	20	12.30pm 2.00pm	Funeral Mass for John Grady Bridge Club	OLI Church OLI Hall
Wed	22	11.30am	St. Vincent de Paul Society - Monthly Meeting	OLI Hall
Thurs	23	2.00pm	Craft Club	OLI Hall
Sat	25	10.15am	First Holy Communion Session	OLI Hall
Sun	26	11.00am	Induction of First Holy Communion Candidates	OLI Church
Mon	27	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Tues	28	Noon	Social Lunch at Escoffier Restaurant	Escoffier

MARCH

Wed	1	11am	Mass for Ash Wednesday	OLI Church
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pha course is for anyone who's curious. The short films explore the basics of the Christian faith and encourage conversation in a friendly, welcoming open and informal environment. No question is out of bounds and you are free to discuss as much or as little as you wish. Further information: Richard at www.alphavonstour@gmail.com or see the poster on the notice board.

LATIN MASS IN FEBRUARY: The Franciscans of Gosport will celebrate the next Mass in the Extraordinary Form at Sacred Heart Church, Bournemouth on **Monday, 27th February at 7.15pm.**

DIOCESAN INFO

SIGNIFICANT WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: If you are celebrating a 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th 60th or anniversary over 60 years this year, Bishop Philip would like to invite you to attend the Significant Wedding Anniversary Mass at St Bede's Church, Basingstoke on **Saturday 24th June at 11am.** To help celebrate the occasion please could you provide a **COPY** of your Wedding photograph which you can upload when you complete the form. Alternatively send by post to the following address: **St Bede's Parish Office, Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX.** Please mark envelope Significant Wedding Mass. If you would like to attend, please email: anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk to register or complete the online form which can be found on the Portsmouth Diocese website.

SCHOOLS NEWS

PRIMARY TEACHER TRAINING: Would you like to train to be a Primary School Teacher? Do you already have a degree? You could train locally with the Primary Catholic Partnership either for a PGCE or through Schools Direct. Why not come along and find out more? Paul Haslam, the PCP Director will be holding a short open afternoon at St Walburga's Catholic Primary School in Malvern Road, on **Thursday 2nd March at 1.30pm.** As well as hearing about potential routes into teaching, there will also be an opportunity to meet with current students, and teachers who have completed the course and are now working at St Walburga's. If you would like to attend, please contact the school office on 01202 528811.

FAITH FORMATION SEMINARS: For Catholic educators and support staff, with internationally

renowned speaker on Catholic education, **Jonathan Doyle.** Seminars are **free** and will take place between **20th-23rd March.** For further information and to register, please fill in a booking form **before March 3rd.** They are available at the back of the church.

CAFOD

LENT FAST DAY: Florence is a hard-working mother who has been helped by CAFOD's partner in Zambia to learn to become a fish farmer. This will help provide for her family, and give her children a brighter future by enabling them to go to school. By supporting the CAFOD Lent Fast Day on **Friday, 10th March,** you are bringing this hope to Florence's family and many others like them in Zambia. Many thanks.

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

WORLD WOMEN'S DAY OF PRAYER is an ecumenical movement led by Christian women who come together to observe a common day of prayer on the first Friday in March each year. **St. Ambrose Church, Westbourne,** is hosting the event in our area this year, on **Friday, 3rd March at 2.30pm.** All welcome.

LENTEN RETREAT DAY: 'Into the Desert', reflecting on the temptations of Jesus in the desert. **Saturday, 4th March, 9.30-15.00 at St. Joseph's, Ashurst SO40 7DU.** Free admission. Donation £20. There are 20 places available.

PREACHED RETREATS IN OXFORD: The Carmelite Priory in Oxford is offering a number of Preached Retreats throughout 2017. Each of these weekends begins with a meal at 6.30pm on Friday evening and ends on Sunday after lunch. There will be at least four talks and the opportunity to join the resident Carmelite Community for Eucharist and Prayer. There will also be time for personal prayer, reflection, reading and rest. An atmosphere of silence is kept in the house throughout these retreats. For further information please visit www.carmeliteprioryoxford.com

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND: 13th-18th March 2017. Price £599. For further information please contact Patricia at Knock Pilgrimages. Tel: 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com Please see poster on the notice board with details of the itinerary.

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.

SVP Society meets
Weds, once a month 11:30am in the Hall.

Rosary in church
Wednesdays 10.15am

Benediction and Confessions:
Fridays 11:30am.

Tea and Coffee
Downstairs after both Sunday Masses.

Parish Administrator & hall bookings
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