

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE
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HOLY WEEK: 9-16th April

PALM SUNDAY	9.00am	Mass with blessing of palms
	11.00am	Mass with procession and blessing of palms
	4.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
TUESDAY	11.00am	Mass and Stations of the Cross
	11.00am	Chrism Mass at the cathedral
'SPY' WEDNESDAY	11.00am	Mass followed by confessions

MAUNDY THURSDAY	7.00pm
GOOD FRIDAY	3.00pm
HOLY SATURDAY	11.00am
	3.00pm
	7.00pm
EASTER SUNDAY	9.00am
	11.00am

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION
Solemn Morning Prayer
Blessing of Easter Food
VIGIL AND FIRST MASS OF EASTER
EASTER MORNING MASS
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CONGRATULATIONS: to Alex, Pawel, Diana, Karolina and Nikolas who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time on Saturday. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue along the journey of preparation for their First Holy Communion in June.

PALM SUNDAY: Next Sunday, 9th April. Please gather in the courtyard before the 11.00am Mass. *Thank you.*

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: 4pm-5pm, every Sunday during Lent. A time for quiet prayer and reflection in the presence of Our Lord. Come any time between 4pm and 5pm. Stay as long as you like.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: After Mass, every Tuesday during Lent, at **11.30am.**

LENT SOUP LUNCHES: Every Friday at **Midday** during Lent, in the hall. Please join us; come on your own and make new friends or bring a friend. Soup and roll followed by tea or coffee £3.00 each. All proceeds to CAFOD East Africa Crisis Appeal.

CAFOD LENT APPEAL: Thank you for your generous donations. We raised a total of £970.80.

SVP AFTERNOON TEA: This Tuesday, 4th April at 2pm. Please join us for tea, coffee and cakes.

NEW DOORS: Please note that the new fire doors are self-closing, meaning that there is no need to close the door after you. Pulling on the latch causes the door to lock while it is still open.

FILM CLUB: We would like to restart the film club but to enable us to do this we need two volunteers; one to run the afternoon session and one to run the evening session. If you would like further details, please contact the parish office. Full training on the equipment will be given.

FR. BERNADINE'S 25 YEARS IN THE PRIESTHOOD: Due to Father's very large circle of friends, family, past students and parishioners, his Silver Jubilee Mass will be celebrated at **Sacred Heart Church, Richmond Hill, Bournemouth on Saturday 22nd April, 2017 at 1pm.** Everyone is very welcome to attend. A reception will follow in the Annunciation Parish grounds immediately after Mass. Fr Bernadine kindly requests that instead of buying him gifts, he would prefer a donation which

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS
 Cycle of Prayer: Candidates for the Sacraments

SUNDAY	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT	9.00AM	Special Intention
2ND APRIL		11.00AM	People of the Parish
Mon 3rd	of the 5th Week of Lent	<i>No service</i>	
Tues 4th	of the 5th Week of Lent	11.00am	Amparo Rivero-Suarez
Wed 5th	of the 5th Week of Lent	11.00am	Julia Gray
Thurs 6th	of the 5th Week of Lent	11.00am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Fri 7th	of the 5th Week of Lent	11.00am	Miriam Kenny
Sat 8th	of the 5th Week of Lent	<i>No service</i>	
SUNDAY	PALM SUNDAY OF THE	9.00AM	Harold Russell
9TH APRIL	PASSION OF THE LORD	11.00AM	People of the Parish

PRAYER CORNER

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:
 Jeanette McKay, 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 Guyomarsh, 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

APRIL

Sun	2	4.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	OLI Church
Mon	3	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Tues	4	11.30am	Stations of the Cross	OLI Church
		2.00pm	SVP Afternoon Tea	OLI Hall
Wed	5	11.30am	SVP Monthly Meeting	OLI Hall
Thurs	6	2.00pm	Craft Club	OLI Hall
Fri	7	12 noon	Lenten Lunch	OLI Hall
Sat	8	10.15am	First Holy Communion Session	OLI Hall
Sun	9	9.00am	Mass with Simple Entrance and Blessing of Palms	OLI Church
		11.00am	Mass with Procession and Blessing of Palms	OLI Church
		4.00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	OLI Church

will go towards the construction of a dining hall/kitchen, in John Paul II Comprehensive College, Wum, Cameroon. This is a Catholic boarding college in his home diocese located in a rural area that until 2007, had no secondary Catholic School. The education of the young is what he cherishes most at heart. Donations will be collected after both Masses on **9th April**.

GIFT AID ENVELOPES: Gift Aid envelopes for 2017/18 are now ready for collection in the entrance of the church. If you are interested in arranging a new Gift Aid, please contact the office.

PORTSMOUTH PEOPLE: Our free diocesan magazine is still available and can also be found online at www.portsmouthdiocese.org.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: None today. Next week, for Fr. Bernadine's Silver Jubilee.

EASTER CHURCH CLEAN: 10th April, at 2pm. If you can spare even just half an hour, please come along to help out at this extra church clean for Easter. *Thank you.*

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Suzanne Quinn will be away from the office on **Monday 3rd April and Wednesday 5th April**. Emails will still be monitored during this time.

PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

SPONSORED CHARITY WALK: The Knights of Saint Columba say "Come walking with us!" on **Sunday 30th April, 10.30am** from Corpus Christi Guildhall, BH5 2BX. We will be walking 5 miles to raise money for Kabanana Care (Zambia) and Michael House (Housing the Homeless). Sponsor forms are in the church foyer.

LATIN MASS IN APRIL: The Franciscans of Gosport will celebrate the next Mass in the Extraordinary Form at Sacred Heart church, Bournemouth on **25th April at 7.15pm**.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL 80TH ANNIVERSARY REUNION: 29th April. St. Catherine's Road, Bournemouth BH6 4AH. There will be Mass at 2pm in the De la Salle Theatre; Cream Tea between 3-5pm in the new building and the Annual Dinner takes place at the Chine Hotel, Boscombe at 6pm for 7pm. **Booking is essential at [st-peters.bournemouth.sch.uk/80th-anniversary-reunion](http://stpeters.bournemouth.sch.uk/80th-anniversary-reunion).**

DIOCESAN INFO

PORTSMOUTH DIOCESE GOES GREEN! The Diocese will soon "go green" as it becomes the 17th Diocese to take up a 'green' energy contract. In response to Pope Francis' challenge in *Laudate Si'*, the Diocese is moving to a 100% renewable energy tariff through an alliance between Interdiocesan Fuel Management (IFM), a fuel procurement company set up by a number of Catholic Dioceses, and Churchmarketplace, a collaborative buying group serving the Catholic Church.

CAFOD

EAST AFRICA FAMINE CRISIS: Millions of families across East Africa are on the brink of starvation because drought and civil war have hit food supplies. The UN is warning that the world faces the largest humanitarian crisis since 1945. With life-saving assistance urgently needed, CAFOD has joined forces with Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) to tackle the threat of famine. **To donate to CAFOD tel: 0303 303 3030. Or to give to DEC 03730 60 60 610. Or TEXT the word DONATE to 70000 to give £5.**

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

LENTEN VOYAGE WITH THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA: Fr. Colum Kelly, port chaplain with Apostleship of the Sea, presents a series of weekly podcasts during Lent, centering each week on the Sunday Gospel. To watch the podcast, go to apostleshipofthesea.org.uk/Lenten-voyage

DAY OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION: led by Fr Tony Horan SJ in the Memorial room at Corpus Christi, on **Holy Saturday 15th April**, beginning with teas and coffees at **10.30 for 11.00 am** and finish at **4.15 pm**. We will focus on **From the Pieta to the Resurrection**. Please see poster

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION for April

Young People

That young people may respond generously to their vocations and seriously consider offering themselves to God in the priesthood or consecrated life.

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.

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Pay income tax?
We can reclaim 25% of your offering today from the Government at no cost to you.
Please use one of our special envelopes or ask for a form.

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