

# PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

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**THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: One-day pilgrimage to Liverpool on Saturday 8th September.** Bishop Phillip invites you to join him in Liverpool at the National Eucharistic Congress to be a public witness that the Church is strong, alive and growing. Share in a unique opportunity to deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Several inspirational speakers include Cardinal Vincent Nichols and Bishop Robert Barron. To find out more and join the pilgrimage, you can obtain a brochure from the parish office or you can email [congress@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:congress@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

**SINCERE APOLOGIES:** To all those who came for Mass on the last two Fridays, only to find that, unfortunately, the supply priest we had booked was not here. Hopefully all is back to normal now and we can confirm that there will be Mass, Benediction and confessions this coming Friday with Fr Andrew.

**A SIMPLE DAILY PRAYER BOOK:** In his book *A Simple Daily Prayer*, Fr Andrew presents a way to embark on a daily discipline of prayer based around the structure and content of the Divine Office. It includes a selection of Morning and Evening Prayers, together with readings, psalms, intercessions and space for personal prayer. There is a sample copy in the lobby for anyone who is interested. If you would like to purchase one, please let the parish office know. *The price has increased to £9.99 plus postage and packaging.*

**CHURCH CLEANING:** 4th June at the new time of **12.30pm.** *New volunteers welcome.*

**SPECIAL COLLECTION:** None today, nor next week.

## SOCIAL EVENTS

**BOOK SALE:** Thank you to all who supported the book sale last week. £41.82 was raised, which will go towards the cost of our sound system.

**100 CLUB APRIL DRAW:** The winning numbers for the April draw are: 1<sup>st</sup> prize £80 - **no. 73**; 2<sup>nd</sup> prize £60 - **no. 19**; 3<sup>rd</sup> prize £20 - **no. 100.** Cheques will be sent out in the post. If you wish to join or buy more numbers for May 2018–Feb 2019 (£50 or £5 pcm), please fill in a gold form (in lobby) and return it to the office postbox downstairs. *Thank you.*

**QUIZ NIGHT: Monday 4th June at 7pm.** Please see sign up sheet on the notice board in the foyer. £10 per person to be paid in advance. Money can be left in the office postbox. Please ensure you have clearly written your name and 'Quiz Night'. All proceeds will go towards the sound system fund.

## PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

**BOSCOMBE CONVENT SCHOOL - FINAL REUNION:** This year we celebrate 130 years since the laying of the foundation stone of Boscombe

Convent, now the home of Anglo-European College of Chiropractic. All past pupils and friends are warmly invited to a final reunion on **Sunday 1st July.** The day will start with Mass in Corpus Christi at 11am followed by a light lunch in St Thomas Garnet's School and a visit to the old school. To help with catering it is *essential* that lunch is booked by emailing [annie.winiecki@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:annie.winiecki@hotmail.co.uk) or phone 07432585589 **by 8th June.** *Thank you.*

## DIOCESAN INFO

**DIOCESAN DAY FOR READERS: Saturday June 16th. St. Bede's Catholic Church, Popley Way, Basingstoke, Hampshire. RG24 9DX.** The day will start with Mass at **9.30 am**, and will end at **3.00 pm.** The day will include practical formation for reading at Mass, what we need to know and be aware of when reading in public; liturgical formation, to understand the proclamation of the Word of God as a liturgical action of the Church; theological formation, to better understand the texts that we are to proclaim. A buffet lunch will be provided, thanks to the generous support of the Bible Society. To register, please go to [portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/readers/](http://portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/readers/)

**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 30th June.** To help

### LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Cycle of Prayer: The Church

SUNDAY 20TH MAY	PENTECOST SUNDAY	9.00AM	Charles & May Ward RIP
		11.00AM	People of the Parish
Mon	21st The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Christ and the Church	<i>No Service</i>	
Tues	22nd Feria ( <i>Ordinary Time Week 7</i> )	11.00am	Holy Souls
Weds	23rd Feria	<i>No Service</i>	
Thurs	24th Feria	11.00am	No Special Intention
Fri	25th St Bede the Venerable	11.00am	No Special Intention
Sat	26th St Philip Neri	<i>No Service</i>	
SUNDAY 27TH MAY	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	9.00AM	Olive Emery RIP
		11.00AM	People of the Parish

### ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN THE AREA:

**The Annunciation**  
Charminster Road. BH8 9RW  
01202 513369

**Bournemouth Oratory**  
1 Albert Road. BH1 1BZ  
01202 551013

**Corpus Christi**  
17/18 St. James Sq. BH5 2BX  
01202 425286

**St. Joseph and St. Walburga**  
2a Archway Road. BH14 9AZ  
01202 746539

**Our Lady of Fatima**  
35 Brixey Road. BH12 3PB  
01202 748166

## PARISH CALENDAR

### MAY

Mon	21	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Tues	22	6.00pm	Choir Practice	OLI Church
Sat	26	10.15am	First Holy Communion Session	OLI Church
			Parents' Session	OLI Hall
Sun	27	9 & 11am	Enrolments into the Altar Servers' Guild of St. Stephen	OLI Church
Mon	28	2.00pm	No Bridge Club (Bank Holiday)	
Tues	29	6.00pm	Choir Practice	OLI Church
Thurs	31	7.00pm	Prayer Group	OLI Hall

### JUNE

Sat	2	10.15am	Practice for First Holy Communion Day	OLI Church
Sun	3	11.00am	First Holy Communion Day	OLI Church
Mon	4	12.30pm	Church Cleaning	OLI Church
		2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
		7.00pm	Quiz Night - Fish and Chip Supper	OLI Hall

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 register by emailing [anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) or you can complete the online form which can be found on the Portsmouth Diocese website.

## SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

**THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION: For May. The Mission of the Laity.** *That the lay faithful may fulfil their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.*

**PRAYER GROUP:** Meetings take place every alternative Thursday at **7.00pm**. The next date is 31st May. *Please join us.*

**CATHOLIC SOCIETY FELLOWSHIP GROUP: every Sunday at the Bournemouth Oratory.** Mass at 4pm. Formation and sharing at 5pm. Benediction at 6pm. Social gathering at 6.20pm. A group for university students and young adults. Time to share and discuss religious matters, to grow and deepen your relationship with God.

### HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS

*If you are in hospital, you will not be visited unless you or a close relative request a visit from the Roman Catholic chaplain.*

#### **Bournemouth Hospital Chaplaincy Office**

*non-urgent: 01202 704221*

*urgent: 01202 303626*

*Mass at Bournemouth Hospital*

*Every Wednesday at 6.00pm in the chapel*

#### **Poole Hospital Chaplaincy Office**

*Rev. Declan McConville: 01202 665511*

*Mass at Poole Hospital*

*Every Thursday at 6.30pm in the chapel*

## CAFOD

**SHARE THE JOURNEY WITH CAFOD:** This year, the Holy Father urges us to reach out to our brothers and sisters who are forced to flee their homes. This new campaign is called *Share the Journey*. You can *Share the Journey* by joining a walk. This is not just any walk, this is a walk around the world. Schools, parishes, and local communities across England and Wales will be walking to show solidarity with people on the move. Together, we are aiming for 24,900 miles – the distance around the whole world. CAFOD will use this shared journey to deliver a powerful message to world leaders, who meet in September 2018 to agree two global agreements on refugees and migration. For more information on organising your own parish walk or to find out about a walk in your area please contact Jo Lewry by emailing [portsmouth@cafod.org.uk](mailto:portsmouth@cafod.org.uk) or call 01252 329385

## SCHOOLS NEWS

**SAVE THE DATE - ST PETERS PRIMARY OPEN EVENING:** For September 2019 places. **Thursday 18th October 2018 6.00pm-7.00pm.** There will be a headteacher's talk at 6.30pm. Further details can be found at their website [st-peters.bournemouth.sch.uk](http://st-peters.bournemouth.sch.uk)

### PRAYER CORNER

**The sick and housebound of our parish who receive Holy Communion:**

Patricia Plumb, Joy Chiari and Naiada Blunden.

**The people of Syria and The Middle East**

*You are welcome to write other prayer requests in our visitor's book.*

**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 12.30pm.*

**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.*

**Safeguarding Officer**  
**Pam Molen**  
*Tel 07989166917*

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**Suzanne Quinn**  
**Office hours :**  
*Mon, Wed, Fri 9.30-11.30am.*

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