

# PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

## Roman Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth: registered charity 246871

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**50 YEARS:** This coming Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February, marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of Our Lady Immaculate as a separate and independent parish. The worshipping Catholic Community here in Westbourne is, of course, much older and dates from the 1920s when it was served from the Sacred Heart, Bournemouth. The change in 1969 was technical rather than foundational but its anniversary serves to remind us of the legacy of former generations whose commitment to and support of the parish continues to benefit us today. Who we are as a parish today, a strong worshipping and caring community is, one hopes, evident to any who come. Among those who will be visiting our parish is Bishop Philip who will be making a formal Visitation of the Parish on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION:** Today is the annual collection in support of our Cathedral in Portsmouth. This collection is the only support the

Cathedral receives from the wider diocesan community. Please give generously, gift aiding your donation wherever possible. Envelopes are available at the back of the church.

**HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY:** Today in cities and towns across the country, events are being held to mark the liberation of Auschwitz and to remember the evil and injustice which has characterised genocide wherever it has appeared. From **2pm – 4.30pm at The Lighthouse Poole**, Holocaust survivor Joanna Millen (birth name Bela Rosenthal) will talk about how she was orphaned at 18 months old when her mother contracted tuberculosis in Terezin concentration camp in 1944 and how she survived. We will also be remembering the 80th anniversary of the Kindertransport and the 25th anniversary of the Rwandan genocide. The tickets for the event are free and available from the Lighthouse Poole box office 01202 280000.

**UNCLAIMED LETTER:** Addressed to 'Gillian' has been left on the parish noticeboard for some time. If any one has any information about this, please contact the parish office. *Thank you.*

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Forthcoming dates are **February 4th and 18th at 1.00pm.** All volunteers welcome.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

**MANY THANKS:** to everyone who has participated in the **100 Club**. With this and other donations we are delighted to have reached our target for the new sound system. The final draw will take place at the end of February.

**100 CLUB 2019/20:** We would like to run the **100 Club** for another year from March 2019 - February 2020 with the aim of sending two children to Lourdes through the charity HCPT. We would also like to make a donation to the Forest Holme Hospice. In order to achieve this, we would need you to

#### TIMES OF CONFESSIONS

<b>Our Lady Immaculate</b>	Fridays 11.30am - 12.00pm
<b>Bournemouth Oratory</b>	Wednesdays 11.00am - 12.00pm First Weds of each month 7.30- 8.30pm Saturdays 11.00am - 12.00pm/4 - 5pm Also 20 mins before each Mass
<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Saturdays 10.30-11.30am/5.30-5.50pm
<b>Annunciation</b>	Tuesdays before 7.00pm Mass Thursdays before 9.30am Mass Saturdays before/after 10.00am Mass
<b>Ss Joseph &amp; Walburga</b>	Saturdays 4.30pm
<b>Our Lady of Fatima</b>	Saturdays 10.30am

#### ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN THE AREA

Sunday Mass Times

**The Annunciation**  
Sunday 9am (Polish) 11am & 6.30pm  
Charminster Road. BH8 9RW  
01202 513369

**Bournemouth Oratory**  
Saturday Vigil 5pm; Sunday 8am,  
10.30am, 12.30pm (Polish) & 4pm  
1 Albert Road. BH1 1BZ  
01202 551013

**Corpus Christi**  
Saturday Vigil 6pm; Sunday 9.30am,  
& 5pm  
17/18 St. James Sq. BH5 2BX  
01202 425286

**St. Joseph and St. Walburga**  
Saturday Vigil 5.30pm, Sunday 10.30am  
2a Archway Road. BH14 9AZ  
01202 746539

**Our Lady of Fatima**  
Sunday 8.30am  
35 Brixey Road. BH12 3PB  
01202 748166

#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

*Prayer of the Church: 3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Cycle 1. Psalter Week 3*  
*Cycle of Prayer: World Peace*

SUNDAY	THIRD SUNDAY IN	9.00am	11.00am	People of the Parish
<b>27th JAN</b>	<b>ORDINARY TIME</b>			Monica Humphreys RIP
Mon 28th	St Thomas Aquinas			<i>No Service</i>
Tues 29th	Feria	11.00am		Derek McCusker
Weds 30th	Feria	11.00am		Special Intention
Thurs 31st	St John Bosco	11.00am		No Special Intention
Fri 1st	Feria	11.00am		No Special Intention
Sat 2nd	The Presentation of the Lord			<i>No Service</i>
SUNDAY	FOURTH SUNDAY IN	9.00am	11.00am	People of the Parish
<b>3RD FEB</b>	<b>ORDINARY TIME</b>			Paul Gilmore RIP

## PARISH CALENDAR

### JANUARY

Mon	28	1.30pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Thurs	31	7.30pm	Prayer Group	OLI Hall

### FEBRUARY

Mon	4	1.30pm	Bridge Club	
Fri	8	4.00pm	Choir Practice	OLI Church
Sat	9	10.30am	First Holy Communion Session	OLI Hall
Sun	10	11.00am	Induction of First Communion Candidates	OLI Church
Mon	11	1.30pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Tues	12	2.00pm	SVP Afternoon Tea	OLI Hall

sign up again for the **100 Club 2019/20**. **New forms are available in the lobby**; please note that existing members can keep their previous numbers if they would like to. For further details regarding the charities we would like to support, please visit [www.forestholmehospice.org.uk/](http://www.forestholmehospice.org.uk/) and [www.hcpt.org.uk/](http://www.hcpt.org.uk/)

**BRIDGE CLUB:** Mondays at 1.30pm. (Improvers welcome).

### PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

**CATHOLIC VOICES: Practical formation for defending the faith.** Catholic Voices aims to equip young Catholics with the confidence to communicate their faith, to lose their fear of controversy and instead see it as a unique opportunity to share the Church's message. They have conducted many interviews over the past few years on national and international news outlets. **St Peter's Church, Winchester on February 2nd. 10.30—5pm.** Visit [youth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:youth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) for more information or pick up a flyer in the lobby.

**VOLUNTEER OVERSEAS WITH JESUIT MISSIONS:** Do you feel called to serve others? Gain experience with an international NGO and make a difference to some of the world's most marginalised communities. Placements include Tanzania, India, Kyrgyzstan for 1 - 6 months. Open to volunteers of all ages. For more information visit [jesuitmissions.org.uk](http://jesuitmissions.org.uk)

**OPEN DAY FOR TEACHER TRAINING:** The Catholic Teaching Schools Alliance is running a series of open days throughout the South East. The CTSA believe the best way to train to be a teacher is in the classroom supported by a team of experts, trainers and mentors. They work with several Catholic and non-Catholic partner schools. Training programmes are available at

both Primary and Secondary levels, and are suitable for Catholic and non-Catholic applicants. There is an open day at **Corpus Christi, Bournemouth on Thursday 14th February 14th, 9.00-11.00am.** There is no need to book, just turn up on the day.

### SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

**THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION: For February. Human trafficking.** For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

**PRAYER GROUP:** Our next meeting will be on **Thursday 31st January at 7.30pm**, where we will continue our format of praise and worship (with synthesizer accompaniment); scripture reading and meditation; and petition for the many prayer requests that come our way.

**DISCERNMENT WEEKEND FOR MEN AGED 30-55: Friday 30th August - Sunday 1st September at The Beda College, Rome.** The weekend is aimed at men who are not already officially in touch with their diocese: it is a first step for those who may be exploring the possibility of priestly vocation in later life. For more information visit [pathwaystogod.org/courses-events-retreats/discernment-weekend-older-men](http://pathwaystogod.org/courses-events-retreats/discernment-weekend-older-men)

### SVP

**SVP AFTERNOON TEA:** Come along on the second Tuesday of each month, to meet old friends and make new ones. There will be a variety of entertainment including a raffle. The next tea is this **Tuesday 12th February** from **2.00pm—4.00pm** in the hall. *No charge. All welcome.*

**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 1.00pm.

**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.

**Safeguarding Officer** Pam Molen  
Tel 07989166917

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

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**We are part of Bournemouth Pastoral Area.**

### 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

### PRAYER CORNER

All the sick and housebound of our parish, including:

Patricia Kowalewska, Win Sheridan, Joy Chiari, Christopher Fordham-Hall, Patricia Plumb, Tony McCarthy, Harry & Paula Lia and Naiada Blunden

Avril Poole RIP

Holocaust Memorial Day, 27th January

People of Bamenda

Vocations to the priesthood and religious life

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