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MASS TIMES

Sunday October 31st

ALL SAINTS

9.am-
11am

*Paul Roberts
The Parish*

Weekdays (Tuesday – Friday) 10.00 a.m. – no need to book

Confessions: After Mass or by Appointment.

Tuesday November 2nd

- ALL SOULS

Wednesday November 3rd

-of the day

Thursday November 4th

St Charles Borromeo

Friday November 5th

- of the day

Sunday November 7th 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9am
11am

The Parish

To request mass intentions, please see Father Leslie after Mass,
or Email him: ladams@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

Enquires about Baptism or Marriage should be made directly to Fr Leslie in person or by email.

Prayer Corner: Please remember all the sick and housebound of our parish especially: Patricia Kowalewska, Win Sheridan, Kathleen Wood, Phillip Rockford, Germain McAulay, Geoffrey Dixon, Joe Bonnici, and Marjorie Lee



**REFRESHMENTS AFTER 9AM & 11AM MASS THIS SUNDAY
AND AFTER WEDNESDAY MASS IN THE HALL
COME AND JOIN US FOR A CUPPA!**

TUESDAY- ALL SOULS DAY

On this day we remember all of those who have died and have not been saints. That is most likely the great majority of those who have died. We pray for them because we know that prayer for the dead is important. We do not know how those who have died are purified to be in the presence of the living God, but we recognise that such purification is truly necessary. It could happen in the very act of dying or it could happen in some other way. We Christians have always believed that this purification is necessary to come into the presence of God. So we can offer good works for those who have died, such as almsgiving, indulgences and works of penance.

How long ago someone died makes no difference, we can still pray for them. This is because prayer goes beyond space and time. Today we can pray in a special way for those who have touched our lives and have already died. We can pray for all of our family members who have died and all of our ancestors. We can pray for those who seem to have died with their hearts set against God.

Let us rejoice in our faith which shows us the importance of praying for those who have died. Let us trust in the compassion and mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*Sr Hyacinthe OP, Leader of our Formation for Mission Team shares news of an exciting new online course to support our Diocesan Year of the Eucharist beginning **next month on Monday evenings...***

In this Year of the Eucharist our Formation for Mission Team is delighted to offer an opportunity to share advice and ideas on how to foster love for the Eucharist in our families.

We are offering 4 online sessions for parents, grandparents, catechists, teachers and everyone passionate about passing on love for the Eucharist to our children, led by Sr Hyacinthe and Angela Wood, with practical advice, discussions, testimonies and prayer, finishing each session with a Adoration.

The sessions will run on **Mondays evenings from 22nd November to 13th December** at 7.00pm. The sessions will be:

1. Why the Eucharist is Important and how to pass on love of the Eucharist
2. Going to Mass as a Family
3. Making the Home a Place of Communion
4. Taking and Making Opportunities to foster love for the Eucharist

Details of how to register for 'Passing on love for the Eucharist to our children' can be found on the Portsmouth E-News Issue 341