



## FATHER'S DAY

Today, Sunday 19th June is Father's Day  
We pray for all Fathers, we ask your Blessing on them. We also remember especially all Deceased Fathers. May they Rest in Peace.

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2017

Application forms are available this weekend for those children who wish to join the FHC 2017 programme in the Autumn. Please complete the form and return to the Parish Office.... There is a letter box in the wall near the electronic doors.

## CONFIRMATION 2017

Confirmation 2017 for St. Bede's & Sacred Heart  
Application forms are available to those who wish to be confirmed in 2017. Please complete the form and return to the Parish Office.

## TEA AT 3

Tea at 3 in support of The Hospice was a most enjoyable Afternoon. Thank you to Joan, Cathy and their many Helpers, who baked cakes and set up the hall beautifully. £616.00 was raised, which included £175 as donations. Grateful thanks to you.

## A DAY FOR LIFE

Day for Life is an annual celebration in the Catholic Church's year, dedicated to upholding the dignity of all human life. This year focuses on the wonder of the gift of human life and the gift of our common home which is God's Creation. Pope Francis has powerfully articulated in *Laudato Si'* there is a real need for all life to be properly respected.

## LIFE SHOP BASINGSTOKE

The Life shop is doing reasonably well but we always need good donations. The Manager, Dorota and volunteers have changed a number of things in the shop so do pop in. We are always needing customers so don't forget to tell your friends and neighbours. 'Day for Life' this coming weekend – for further information please log on [www.dayforlife.org](http://www.dayforlife.org) for more information on what this charity does. There will be a retiring collection also today.

## BISHOP CHALLONER SCHOOL

Bishop Challoner School 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass – Sat 25 June at 11am at St Joseph's Church. For further information please contact Tel. No. 01256 462661 or email [adminoffice@bcs.hants.sch.uk](mailto:adminoffice@bcs.hants.sch.uk).

## BISHOP CHALLONER SCHOOL

Is looking to appoint an enthusiastic and energetic Learning Support Assistant to join our dedicated team; this is a fixed term post for one year.

This post is suitable for a graduate.

If you require any further information or would like to arrange a visit to the school please contact Nicki Galley via e-mail [nicki.galley@bcs.hants.sch.uk](mailto:nicki.galley@bcs.hants.sch.uk)

## PARISH DIARY:

**Sun 19th June :** Music: 9am Cantorg: 11 am Popley : 6.30 pm Priest Led  
Refreshments after the 9 am Mass  
Repository open after all Masses  
Welcome to Fr. Wojciech who will be celebrating the 9 am Mass today, also Fr. Peter who will be Celebrating the 11 am Mass this weekend.  
Fr. Chris will be celebrating Mass at Sacred Heart Church at 6 pm Sat. 18th and 10.00 am on Sun. 19th.

Tues: Toddler Group SB 1.30—3.15 pm

Wed: 9 am Choir Practice SB—7.30 pm

Thurs: RCIA meeting 7.30—8.45 pm

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic Faith, we will meet in Holy Ghost Church Hall, Burgess Rd . Next session will take place on 23rd June.

**Syro Malabar Mass** in Holy Ghost Church next Sunday 26th June at 4 pm

## FEAST OF Ss PETER & PAUL

### Mass at St. Bede's Church at 9.30 am

Wednesday 29th June, the Church Celebrates the Feast of Ss Peter & Paul, it is a Holy Day of Obligation.  
(Code of Canon Law # 1247)

## REQUIEM FOR MARTIN UPTON RIP

Requiem Mass for Martin will take place on Thursday 23rd June at 12.30 pm here at St. Bede's Church. We remember Veronica and her family at this sad time. May He Rest in Peace

## CHURCH CLEANING

If you have an hour to spare on Thursday 30th between 11—12 noon, please come and help with the cleaning of our vast Church complex. We need your help !!

## YEAR OF MERCY - Saturday 8th October 2016

As part of the Year of Mercy , we will be having a Pilgrimage to the Holy Door at Our Lady & St Edmund, Abingdon. Please sign up to join our Parish Pilgrimage, there is a list in the cloister area. There will be a charge of £10 per person to pay for the coach. Please bring a packed lunch/drink. Tea and coffee will be available. Places are limited, so it's first come, first served again.

## ALTON CONVENT SCHOOL

Alton Convent School is opening a new Garden House Day Nursery in conjunction with St. Lucy's Convent, Medstead in September For more information or to register your interest, please contact Mrs. Sheila Spooner (Tel. No. 01420 82070).

## COLLECTION

Sunday collection amounted to £1,343.14p. Retiring collection for CAFOD last weekend amounted to £662.70p. Grateful thanks. Retiring collection next weekend for Peter's Pence.