

THE MESSENGER

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Year B

Psalter Week IV

Sunday 24th June

THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

Sun 24th	9.00 am	SB	Terry & Breda Reilly RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Int. Izzy & Jason Bell (5th Wedding Anniversary)
	6.30 pm	SB	People of the Parish
Mon 25th	No Mass		
Tues: 26th	9.30 am	SB	Canon Cornelius Reidy RIP
Wed: 27th	7.30 pm	HG	<i>MEMORIAL OF ST. CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA</i> Mass for Vocations (Catenians)
Thurs: 28th	9.30 am	SB	<i>MEMORIAL OF ST. IRENAEUS</i> Letty, Gerard Murphy RIP
Friday: 29th	9.30 am	SB	<i>FEAST OF Ss PETER & PAUL: HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</i> Dec. Mbrs O'Connor Family RIP
	7.30 pm	HG	Intention Brian & Sarah White
Sat: 30th	11.00 am	SB	In thanksgiving for Married Couples across the Diocese

Significant Weddings Anniversary Mass with Bishop Philip Egan

Sunday 1st July

Sunday 1st July	THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Year B	Psalter Week 1		
Sun 1st	9.00 am	SB	People of the Parish
	11.00 am	SB	Int. Anita & Tom Davidson
	6.30 pm	SB	Martha Placa & Vladimir Placec RIP
Mon 2nd	No Mass		
Tues 3rd	10.00 am	SB	<i>FEAST OF ST. THOMAS, APOSTLE</i> Int. Daniel Standing
Wed 4th	12.30 pm	SB	<i>MEMORIAL OF ST. ELIZABETH OF PORTUGAL</i> Requiem Tito Gomes RIP
Thurs 5th	9.30 am	SB	<i>MEMORIAL OF ST. ANTHONY ZACCARIA</i> Malcom Flitcroft & Bro. Jude Dudman RIP
Fri 6th	9.30 am	HG	<i>MEMORIAL ST. MARIA GORETTI</i> Canon Paul Chidey RIP
	10—11 am	HG	Adoration
Sat. 7th	9.30 am	HG	Francesco & Caterina Giunta RIP

Sunday 8th July

Sunday 8th July	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Year B	Psalter Week II		
Sun 8th	9.00 am	SB	Jim Fagan RIP
	11.00 am	SB	People of the Parish
	6.30 pm	SB	Harry Antoniadis RIP

CLERGY MOVES Bishop Philip writes.....

I have made the following clergy appointments, which take effect from 8th September 2018. I thank those priests for all they have done and for being willing to make these moves. Please pray that in the new appointments the Lord will Bless these Pastors and their Communities abundantly.

- ◆ Daniel Atgber as Priest in Charge of St. Edmund's Horndean and Asst Priest under Mgr. Jeremy Garratt as Parish Priest:
- ◆ Ross Bullock to Jersey as Assistant Priest.
- ◆ John Chandler to Sacred Heart Bordon & St. Joseph Grayshott as Parish Priest.
- ◆ John Chadwick to Immaculate Conception, Christchurch and Holy Redeemer, Highcliffe as Parish Priest.
- ◆ Raffaele Cozza (as Priest in Charge) and Fr. Luca Speziale (as Local Superior) to St. Swithun Wells, Eastleigh under Fr. Mark Hogan as Parish Priest.
- ◆ John Cooke to Sacred Heart Fareham and Porchester as Parish Priest. Fr. John will become the Coordinating Pastor of Solent PA.
- ◆ Canon Dominic Golding to Jersey as Parish Priest and Dean.
- ◆ Zac Mabee to Reading Christ the King as Priest in Residence.
- ◆ Innaiah Maddineni to Portsmouth St. Colman and St. Paul as Parish Priest
- ◆ Jude Mbono to Maidenhead St. Joseph as Assistant Priest
- ◆ Joseph McNerney to Southampton Hospital as Chaplain.
- ◆ Elijah Fru Nde to Southampton St. Joseph and St. Edmund as Assistant Priest
- ◆ Gerry Onyejuluwa to St. Theresa's Totton and Our Lady of the Assumption and St. Edward the Confessor Lyndhurst as Parish Priest
- ◆ Jaya Praveen to Southampton St. Joseph and St. Edmund as Assistant Priest and Priest-Chaplain to the University of Southampton.
- ◆ Emmanuel Rinda to Basingstoke St. Joseph as Assistant Priest
- ◆ Francis Sasinowski to Our Lady's Stubbington and St. John's Lee on Solent as Parish Priest
- ◆ PJ Smith to St. John's Cathedral, Portsmouth as Parish Priest and Dean
- ◆ Bill Wilson to St John Bosco, Woodley as Parish Priest
- ◆ Keith Windsor OFM Cap to Isle of Wight as Catholic Chaplain to the Prisons.

As you can see Fr. Gerry is moving on to pastures new in September. We will be arranging a 'farewell' celebration for him at a later date.

IF YOU ARE GOING INTO HOSPITAL

If you wish to receive Holy Communion whilst in Hospital, please contact Liz Murphy in the Parish Office. The Hospital Volunteer Chaplains visit the Hospital on a Wednesday to give Holy Communion to those who request it.

RCIA

Next RCIA meeting will take place in Holy Ghost Church Hall on Thursday 12th July at 7.30 pm.

PARISH DIARY:

Sun 24th Music: 9.00 am Choir: 11.00 am : Popley:
6.30 pm: Guitar
Refreshments after the 9 am and 11 am Masses
BACCA meet after 11 am Mass
Mon: SVP at 7.30 pm SB
Tues: Toddlers 1.30—3.15 pm SB
Wed: Choir 7.30 pm SB
Thurs: Church cleaning after 9.30 am Mass

Sun: 1st July Music: 9.00 am Choir: 11.00 am Cantorg:
6.30 pm Quiet
Refreshments after the 9 am Mass
Baptisms 12.30 pm SB
Tues: Toddlers meet 1.30—3.15 pm SB
Choir: 7.30 pm SB

FEAST OF Ss PETER & PAUL

Friday 29th June is a Holy Day of Obligation, Mass times are 9.30 am here at St. Bede's Church with School joining us, and 7.30 pm at Holy Ghost Church.

REQUIEM

Requiem Mass for Tito Gomes RIP will take place on Wednesday 4th July in St. Bede's Church at 12.30 pm. We remember Tito's Family and Friends at this sad time. May He Rest In Peace.

BASINGSTOKE AFRICIAN CARIBBEAN CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION

Bacca will be having their Annual Summer Social as a fund raising event for the Parish on Saturday 7th July between 1pm and 5pm. A great day out for the whole family.

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME

- ◆ BBQ Drinks Desserts
- ◆ Musical Chairs Face painting Lucky dip
- ◆ Egg n Spoon race Sack race Bouncy castle

Tickets only £5 per adult, accompanied children eat free!

TICKETS ON SALE AFTER ALL MASSES

MARRIAGE & RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLING WITH MARRIAGE CARE

Catholic Marriage Care is a faith-based organisation, that draws on its Catholic tradition and contemporary research, to help couples in both good times and bad. Most relationships face difficulties at some point. Talking to a relationship counsellor can help. Our local centre in Reading offers relationship counselling with fully-trained counsellors. For further information please call 0800 389 3801. If you are a Trained Relationship Counsellor, could you volunteer with Marriage Care? Further counsellors are needed for our Reading centre – expenses and supervision is provided. For further information, please contact Sue Cooper at reading.admin@marriagecare.org or phone 0793 9495774.

COLLECTION last weekend amounted to £2,343.41p.
Second collection for SVP amounted to £357.77p.
Second collection for Day for Life amounted to £254.41p.
Second collection this weekend for 'Peters Pence'
Grateful thanks.