

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE AND BLESSÉD MARGARET POLE CHURCH SOUTHBOURNE-ON-SEA

Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth, Charity No. 1199568

2nd Sunday Advent 2023

		Mass intentions			
Sunday 10 th December 2023	9:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish Francis Cunningham R.I.P.	Second Sunday of Advent Year B Psalter Week 2		
Tuesday 12 th December	9:30 am	Yolanda Lorimer R.I.P. (FD)			
Wednesday 13 th December	9:15 am	Grace & Terence Warr R.I.P.	St Lucy - no confessions or Adoration today		
Friday 15 th December	9:30 am	J A James and deceased James family members (FD)	The Immaculate Conception of the BVM		
Sunday 17 th December 2023	9:30 am	Deceased and living members of the Clark and	Third Sunday of Advent 'Gaudete' Year B		
	11:00 am	Crowley families Michael Adamson R.I.P.	Psalter Week 3 'O Wisdom'		

Bold = Public Mass in Church

CHURCH HEATING Now the weather is turning colder, the church heating is turned on. As fuel costs are still high, the heating is set low so we advise people come dressed warmly. Can people please close external and internal doors behind them to conserve the heat and costs.

BUILDING WORKS. For health and safety reasons please do not enter into the fenced off area, nor should you enter the church by the side door (this will remain a fire exit). The Carpark will have limited parking, and only one entrance/exit will be in use, so take care when using this. It might be best to only use the carpark for those with mobility issues.

THE "O ANTIPHONS" (see table above for the 17th) are prayed from the 17th–23rd as part of our preparation for Christmas. For those familiar with Evening Prayer, these are the antiphons used with the Magnificat each day. They are based on Isaiah's prophecies and reveal the different titles given to the Messiah, and can be found in one of our most popular Advent hymns O Come, O Come, Emmanuel.

ADVENT/CHRISTMAS SERVICE TIMES.

Friday 15th December 7 pm - **Pastoral Area Penitential Service** (at Corpus Christi - Boscombe). **Tuesday** 19th December 730 pm - **TAIZE** style service 730 pm.

SUNDAY 24th December 1030 am - Fourth Sunday Advent (one Mass).

Christmas Eve, 4 pm - Family Nativity Mass.

9 pm - Carols and readings, followed by 930 pm - Mass at Night.

MONDAY 25th December, 1030 am - Christmas day Mass.

CHILDREN'S NATIVITY We are looking for children to take part in the Nativity Mass on the 24th December at 4:00 pm. For further details please contact Paul White by email <u>stonehamdesign@outlook.com</u>

ADVENT ART PROJECT Calling all children; can you paint, draw or create a picture (A4 Size) which represents the true meaning of Christmas? Please can these be brought to the church THIS WEEK. They will be displayed in the church during Advent.

CAKE SALE : Thank you to our bakers and to everyone who supported the cake sale last Sunday. We raised £184.70 CAFOD'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL and THE CHURCH ROOF FUND.

HOUSEBOUND AND CARE HOME PARISHIONERS If you know someone, with family consent, who could appreciate a visit and a gift at Christmas, please let Father Kevin or one of the above ladies know. Thank you.

CAFOD'S ONLINE ADVENT CALENDAR: Go to <u>cafod.org.uk/pray/advent-calendar</u> to share with your family our daily prayer and reflection as we journey through the season of Advent with our global family and prepare for Christmas.

CHRISTCHURCH LIVING ADVENT CALENDAR Each evening in December a different 'door' or 'window' is opened at 6pm to a 45 minute performance by a local talented performer or group of performers. Performances may include choirs, singers, bands, dance troupes, theatrical performers etc. <u>https://christchurchlivingadventcalendar.org.uk/</u>

POST MASS HALL REFRESHMENTS Please do come along after mass for refreshments. We would love to have some new volunteers to join the refreshment team. Would only be a once a month commitment.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY Sunday 9:30 Mass. For safeguarding purposes parents are reminded that children need to be signed in before Mass starts, thank you.

PARISH 100 CLUB The annual subscription of £15 is now due for the coming year (October 2023 – September 2024). Please put your subscription into an envelope marked "100 Club" and post it through the letterbox in the Priest's House. If paying by cheque then please make this out to "CDP Bournemouth Our Lady of Peace 100 Club". *Thank-you*

FOODBANK, is experiencing increased demand again. Food in jars, cans and packets (non-perishable) that are in date. Tinned beans, peas, carrots, sweetcorn, fish, meat, Angel delight/Instant Whip, jellies, and custard. Also, tea, fruit squash or juice and pasta. Strong carrier bags would be very useful also. Please drop off NON PERISHABLE FOOD items at the church. Cash maybe donated in the wall box marked foodbank in the narthex (church porch); envelopes marked foodbank via the collection bag. Thank you all for your support. For more information visit https://southbournefoodbank.org/

GIFT AIDERS If you have not filled in a new Gift Aid form, please do so. (The old forms are no longer valid.)

CONTACTLESS MACHINE AND GIFTAID The DONA contactless machine now accepts Gift aided payments. When you present your card, you are given the option to giftaid or not. If you select yes, then you will be prompted for your name, number of house, and postcode. The Postcode must be entered in UPPER CASE (CAPITALS) LETTERS. Once this has been done, the machine will recognise your card the next time to make a payment and automatically gift aid the transaction. Gift Aid can increase the value of your donations by 25%. To see a video of how to set up Gift aid please see the following link. Donations will show as "SumUp" on bank statements.

CONTACTLESS GIVING To use the contactless machine, you need to wave your card over the small box to the



right of the main screen. The machine has options for Sunday Collection, Second Collection, Repository and other collections as the need arises. Donations will show as "SumUp" on bank statements.

LEGACY GIVING Support of the church - One way is by leaving a legacy gift to the Church in our will. For more information contact <u>legacygiving@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk</u> or phone 023 9421 6503.

NEWSLETTER EMAIL The newsletter is sent out electronically each week. If you would like to receive this by email, please email the office <u>olqp@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk</u> and ask to be added to the newsletter list.

FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP CLUB Parish Centre 2:00 pm Fridays. All welcome.

NORMAL OFFICE HOURS Tuesday - Friday 9:30 am - 12:30 pm.

Confessions Wednesdays and Fridays after Mass, or by appointment. **Church normally open** for prayer Wednesdays and Fridays 9:00 -12:00 am. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** after Mass on Wednesday until **11:00 am.**

JOBS IN THE DIOCESE https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/about-us/other/iobs/

MASS READINGS AND DAILY PRAYER https://universalis.com/index.htm

READINGS AND MINISTERS FOR MASS				SUPPORT OF THE PARISH				
Second Sunday of Advent Year B Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11 Ps 84(85):9-14 2 Peter 3:8-14 Mark 1:1-8		Third Sunday of Advent Year B Isaiah 61:1-2,10-11 Ps - Luke 1:46-50,53-54 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24 John 1:6-8,19-28		Contactless payments can be made via the machines in the church, (and will appear as "SumUp" on bank statements). Cheques should be made payable to CDP Bournemouth Our Lady of Peace.				
L Pritchard T McCaffrey 11:00 am	N Jean-Francise N Jean-Francise	Readers K Allen 11:00 am C Evans	Eucharistic Ministers T McCaffrey V Rochford	Standing orders (can be gift aided if you pay tax). Setting up a standing order is easy. Either download the forms from the <u>website</u> or go online to your bank with our bank account details Sort code: 30 93 04 A/c no. 00875180				
Sunday Mass Responses			Donations can be made online through the					
Entrance Antiphon: (if no hymn)			Parish website or the Donate button.					
O people of Sion, behold, the Lord will come to save the nations, and the Lord will make the glory of his voice heard			Your donation really does make a difference Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth.					
in the joy of your heart.			LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS					
Responsorial Psalm : Let us see, O Lord, your mercy, and give us your saving help.			Envelopes	£83.00 £434.00	Cash	£192.80		
Gospel acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Prepare a way for			Good Box	£14.31	Total	£861.31		
the Lord, make his paths straight, and all mankind shall see the salvation of God. Alleluia!				k	Vith thanks: F	ather Kevin		
Parish Priest: Rev. Fr. Kevin Hoiles.								

Parish Priest: Rev. Fr. Revin Holles. Priest in Residence: Rev. Fr. Phillip Harris

Priest's House, 18 Douglas Road, BH6 3ER, Office: 01202 424960,

olgp@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/parish/our-lady-queen-of-peace-blessed-margaret-pole/

Hall bookings olqpparishcentrebookings@gmx.co.uk

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Mary Basing - 07969 120264 Data Protection Co-Ordinator: Mary Basing - 07969 120264