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TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9th June 2024 AD Year B (Psalter Week 2)

Welcome to St Patrick's Church. In today's Gospel we hear many things. One of them is that Satan has been defeated and has no power over us. Another, is that Jesus has taken us as His brothers and sisters. Each of us is constantly tempted to put other people before God. Here we see an example to follow: Mary the Mother of Jesus waits outside to receive Jesus' and His whole family—His brothers and sisters—you and me.

First Reading: Genesis 3:9-15—I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring

Responsorial Psalm: With the Lord there is mercy and fulness of redemption (Psalm 129)

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1—We believe and therefore we speak

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! If anyone loves me he will keep my word,

and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him. Alleluia! (John 14:23)

Gospel Reading: Mark 3:20-36 —It is the end of Satan

Communion Antiphon: The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my Gpd is my saving strength. (Psalm 17:3)

Day		Time	Service	Intention
Sunday TENTH SUNDAY IN	9th June ORDINARY TIME	11:00am 11:00am 11:30am	Mass at St Thomas's, Emsworth Mass at St Joseph's, Havant Reconciliation (Confession) SUNG MASS, BAPTISM & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PARISH MEETING (in Church Hall)	People of the Parish People of the Parish
Tuesday St Barnabas, Apos	11thJune stle	10:00am	Rosary Group	
Wednesday Feria	12th June		Mass at St Joseph's, Havant Funeral Service	Isobel Boniface RIP Thomas Leson RIP
Thursday St Anthony of Page	13th June dua, Rel Dr		Mass at St Thomas's, Emsworth Adoration Mass	Mary Clare Tibbits (FM) Canon James Daly (FM)
Friday Feria	14th June	10:00am	Mass at St Joseph's, Havant	Dantis
Saturday Our Lady	15th June	5:00pm	Mass at St Thomas's, Emsworth	Thanksgiving for Priesthood
Sunday ELEVENTH SUNDAY	16th June IN ORDINARY TIME	11:00am 11:30am	Reconciliation (Confession) SUNG MASS	Canon James Daly (FM)

Prayers For The Sick: Wendy Field, Mary Webb, Joan Ramsbottom, Patricia Church, Paul Kessell-Holland, Lizann De Souza, Josie Whitehouse, Bill McGill, Ben Lewis, Maureen Cronin, Gerard Cronin, Monica Peters, John Nowaczewski, Liam Brice.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those recently departed:

Thomas Leson

And those whose Anniversaries occur at this time:

Ciara Jamison (Wed), Michael Green (Thu) May Thorne (Fri)

Please join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after mass. This is a time to gather and share fellowship with the family of God.

NOTICES:

Praying to the Father through Mary with Jesus

Please join the congregation on Tuesdays at 10:00am for the Rosary. A time of prayer when we gather to pray for half an hour with Mary and Jesus.

Catholic Women's League - Come along to a fun afternoon of Bingo on Wednesday, 12th June in the Hall at 2:00pm. It is always very friendly, and if Bingo isn't for you, please pass the word around, all are invited to come with friends or come alone, a warm welcome always awaits. There is always a friendly face to speak to. Home-made cake with tea/coffee in the interval and a raffle. Proceeds to CWL charities which comprise Children's charities, Women's Refuge, Care of the Homeless and Overseas Aid (CAFOD, ACN, RTU) and for this year PACT - Prison Advice and Care Trust.

Repository - Short of a card for a birthday or other occasion? - Have a browse at all that is on offer at the back of the Church, also small gifts and remember the 'crosses in pockets'. At just £1 each these hand-stitched items continue to be very popular for putting in with a card for a friend/relative. The CWL organise and manage the Repository, so as above proceeds to CWL charities.

Coffee after Mass - is part of Parish life, always enjoyed by the 'regulars' and visitors alike. But we would be very grateful for more volunteers to come forward to help us provide this each week. Nobody is asked to do it alone, please give it a thought and get together with a couple of others,

CHARIS Portsmouth are running the **Diocese of Portsmouth 'Life in the Spirit'** course for 2024, delivered Diocesan wide on Zoom. There is an option to run livestream sessions in your parish to allow discussion with fellow parishioners rather than going into breakout rooms. This programme is supported by the CHARIS Charismatic Renewal Service of Communion for England & Wales.

7 Sessions starting on Thursday evenings, from 6th June to 18th July from 7:30pm until 9:00pm

There will be a live Holy Spirit Day at St Bede's Church in Basingstoke on Saturday 29th June running after the 9:30am Parish Mass until 1:00pm. You are invited to stay and share your packed lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided. If you are able to arrive early enough, you are welcome from 8:30am for Adoration in the Church – optional. All are welcome to attend from across the Diocese. To register for the course, which includes the option of attending the day in Basingstoke, please use this link – https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tzllf--trDwjGNAuzzyTiLVcwy7lzHwq87dG

Parish Meeting: 9th June

Quite a lot has gone on over the last couple of years. First Covid-19 lockdowns, followed by gatherings regarding the "Synod on Synodality", then announcements regarding the "10 year plan", followed by Fr Mark's illness and time away from the parish and, most recently, talk of administrative work alongside Havant and Emsworth. This has left some people feeling a little confused and unsettled and not altogether clear as to what is going on now or what the future holds for St Patrick's Parish here on Hayling Island.

Communication is the key! To remedy this situation, Fr Mark and the Stewardship Group are offering a meeting today after mass and all parishioners are invited. The meeting will take place (along with tea, coffee and biscuits) in the Parish Hall after mass. At this meeting there will be an opportunity to hear exactly what the plans are for us in the immediate future.

Please come if you are able; it will be helpful to us all so that we can better perform our primary purposes as the Body of Christ which is to worship the Father, proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ and bring the Holy Spirit of Salvation to the people of Hayling Island.

Hayling Holiday Lunches

Our next HHL Collection will be on **Sunday 9th June** (2nd Sunday in month)

The General Election will take place on 4th July, Portsmouth CAFOD and the Society of St Vincent de Paul are working together so that the combined voices of Catholic parishioners will be heard by parliamentary candidates in the coming weeks. It is important that the voices and the experiences of the most vulnerable are at the heart of our thoughts and decisions as we move towards an election. Resources to assist parishioners in their discernment are available at the following: cafod.org.uk/encounter and svp.org.uk/encounter and on the Catholic Bishops' Conference website www.cbcew.org.uk/election24/

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes—22nd to 26th July

The cost is £850 per adult and £780 for youth places. Young people are called to be Youth Pilgrims offering assistance to those who need physical help and there is potential for funding. For more information and booking email: Lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

The New Lectionary

Starting in Advent 2024 the new lectionary will come into effect. The parish will needs to spend roughly £1,500 and any donations toward this would ne most helpful. Lectionaries for personal use will also change. These can be bought from the Catholic Truth Society bookshop either in person or online www.ctsbooks.org