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FORTNIGHTLY NEWSLETTER
12TH & 19TH JUNE 2022, TRINITY SUNDAY & CORPUS CHRISTI

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sat 11 June	OLR	10am	Pat Reynolds RIP
	OLR	10.30am	Adoration & Confessions
	OLR	6pm	Tony Houry RIP
Sun 12 June The Most Holy Trinity	St.G	9am	The Harding family
	OLR	10.15am	Joan Marolf RIP
	St. A	11.30am	Chris Perera RIP
	OLR	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Mon 13 June	OLR	11am	Denis Kenward RIP
Tues 14 June	OLR	7.30am	Extraordinary Form: Holy Souls
Wed 15 June	OLR	11am	Co-Workers of St Teresa
Thurs 16 June	OLR	11am	Jack McIlroy RIP
Fri 17 June	OLR	11am	Robin Butler RIP
	OLR	6.30pm	Extraordinary Form: Madge McGrath RIP
Sat 18 June	OLR	10am	Oliver McCulloch RIP
	OLR	10.30am	Adoration & Confessions
	OLR	6pm	Mary Schulte
Sun 19 June The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ First Holy Communion at all morning Masses	St.G	9am	Nellie & her mother and father
	OLR	10.15am	People of the Parish
	St. A	11.30am	Joe da Silva RIP
	OLR	5.30pm	Pedro da Silva; Manuel Barros, Gilbert Da Silva RIP
Mon 20 June	OLR	11am	Angelo Gallo RIP
Tues 21 June	OLR	7.30am	Extraordinary Form (EF): Holy Souls
Wed 22 June	OLR	11am	Aurilee Grimmon & Anna Mogford RIP
Thurs 23 June	OLR	11am	Mary Maguire RIP
Fri 24 June Solemnity The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	OLR	11am	Michael Butters RIP
	OLR	6.30pm	EF – Sung Mass : Patrick O’Keefe & Bob Doyle

CONFESSIONS: 10.40-11.50am & 5-5.45pm Saturday (Our Lady of Ransom)
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Fridays 11.30am – 6pm Benediction
ROSARY: Tuesdays 10.30am St G; OLR after Monday, Wednesday & Thursday Mass
OUR LADY OF RANSOM church open for private prayer 8am – 6pm daily

Sunday Collections:

28/29 May: OLR/St.G £2192.20
 St.A: £207.95

4/5 June OLR/St.G £2440.28
 St.A: £176.66

2nd collection: 28/29th May £431.70
(2nd Collection 26th June for Peter’s Pence)

Prayers for the Sick

Sybil Glenister, Pauline Bosley, Pat Higgins, Joan Garbet, Valerie Downey, Roy Sleigh, Agnes Phipps, Joy & Gerald Shakespeare, and for all our sick & housebound.

For those who have recently died:

Roslyn Upton, Robin Butler

MORNING PRAYER OF ST TERESE OF LISIEUX.

“O my God, I offer you all my actions of this day for the intentions and for the glory of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I desire to sanctify every beat of my heart, my every thought, my simplest works, by uniting them to His infinite merits; and I wish to make reparation for my sins by casting them in the furnace of His merciful love. O my God, I ask of You for myself and for those dear to me the grace to fulfil perfectly Your holy will, to accept for love of You the joys and sorrows of this passing life, so that we may one day be united together in Heaven for all eternity. Amen.”

These two Sundays we celebrate two great mysteries of our faith, The Holy Trinity and Corpus Christi. The Catechism (#234) tells us that ‘the mystery of the Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them.’ The Trinity is who God really is, a personal loving God. The Body and Blood of Christ is the greatest treasure the Church holds here on earth since it is the real presence of the Lord with us still. On Corpus Christi Sunday 39 of our children will be making their First Holy Communion. This is one of the most important days in the year for the parish and one of great joy as we see again the great vocation which God calls each one of us to. All of us, young and old alike, are called to communion with God. Our Lord Jesus loves us and calls us to love him in return and offer him our lives. Please keep the children in your prayers, and God bless you, Fr Bruno

TO VIEW LIVE STREAMED SUNDAY 10.15 AM AND WEKDAY MASSES GO TO: www.youtube.com/ourladyofransom

PARISH OPEN MEETING: an invitation to all parishioners on **Sunday 26th June in OLR Hall from 3.30-5.00pm** (allowing for those who wish to then go into the 5.30pm Mass). We will present reports on finance and other areas of parish life and activity, plus invite comment and suggestions on a draft Pastoral Plan to be presented, in light of the Census and Volunteering audit.

MOTHERS PRAYERS have resumed their Prayer Meetings after the 11am Mass in the Committee room on FIRST and THIRD THURSDAYS of the month. New members welcome. For more info please call Mary 01323 732907 or Teresa 01323 733487.

SUNDAY MASS OBLIGATION: The Bishops Conference of England & Wales have reintroduced the Sunday Mass Obligation from Pentecost Sunday, respecting that there will be those for whom it is still not possible due to health concerns.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Kai Marshall, Maya Bradley, Troy Daramola, Chloe Foster, Lilybelle Aguilar and Flora Surgey who were baptised on 28 June and David Coates & Philip Perry who were Confirmed and Received on Pentecost Vigil 4th June. We ask for special prayers for the 39 children who will celebrate their First Holy Communion in our 3 churches on the morning of Sunday 19th June.

MONTHLY EASTBOURNE HOSPITAL MASS: a monthly Mass at 12pm on the **last Tuesday of each month** is celebrated in the Hospital Chapel, to which anyone is invited who would like to come and pray with and for the staff and patients.

PRAYING THE LITURGY: The Eucharist – 21 -23 June. Worth Abbey, Led by Fr David Jarmy OSB. Cost: £220 per person: Since the Second Vatican Council enormous time and energy has been put into renewal of the liturgy – mainly through encouraging active participation. In recent years we seem to have reached another stage - where emphasis has changed to ask the question, How do I pray the Mass? What difference does this make to my life? This retreat will help you ask some of these questions. Online Booking: worth.co.uk/retreats/booking-form-for-residential-retreats/

CO-WORKERS OF ST. MOTHER TERESA: The next meeting is Wednesday 15th June after 11am Mass.

ST AGNES: Lunch every 2nd Thursday of the month at 12 noon, £3.50. All welcome.

Polish Mass every 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month 6pm.

NEWMAN SOCIETY TALK BY MGR PAT KILGARRIFF, “FIVE HOPKINS SONNETS”: Friday 17 June, 7.30pm. St Martha’s Church Hall, Cooden Sea Road, Bexhill TN39 4SP. Open to all. Fr Pat has a passion for literature and an appreciation for nature which is echoed in the poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins. For more information call 01424 219788.

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP: meeting in the parish centre committee room on the **second Monday of every month at 7.30 pm**. New members are welcome to join us in prayer to this wonderful Saint. For more info: Sean: 01323 504417.

ENRICHMENT TALKS: Thurs 23rd June 7.30pm : Love of Neighbour - examples from Jesus in the Gospels. (John Kimberley).

ARUNDEL CARPET OF FLOWERS: 15th & 16th June: The Cathedral will be open to view the carpet on Wednesday 15th June from 9.30am – 5.30pm and on Thursday 16th June from 9.30am – 5.30pm when the Mass begins.

THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP) is a Christian voluntary group in our parish dedicated to tackling poverty in its many forms by providing practical assistance to people in need. Visiting is at the centre of what we do; spending time befriending people is our greatest gift. As well as offering friendship and support, we help with food, clothes, furniture and financial help where possible. If you know of any individual or family in our community who may need our support then please let the SVP know by contacting Alison Parsons on 01323 644363 or Email: parsonsaj87@gmail.com.

“SAINTS & SINNERS CONCERT” – thanks to all who came along and supported the concert last Saturday evening. Everyone seemed to enjoy the evening and £300 was raised for the JPK Project here in Eastbourne, supporting adults with learning difficulties.

KNIGHTS OF ST. COLUMBA: The Eastbourne Council of The Knights will meet in St Wilfrid’s Church Parish Centre, South Road, Hailsham. BN27 3JG, on Tuesday 14 June at 3pm. All Catholic men are invited to come and see how together we can support the Church. More details from Bob on 01323 847014.

DEC THE HALL TEAM: We are delighted to say work begins on the flooring in July. However we must still raise £3000 to complete the job. If you can join our monthly money draw (forms at back of churches) that would be a great contribution. Or purchase a gift token (money draw entry) as all of this money goes towards the flooring/curtains. Next draw Sunday 19th June. **JUBILEE DAY:** Thank you to everybody who supported us on the day. Over £900 was raised.

TEA & COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY 10.15 MASS: Do come and join us for Tea/coffee after Mass.

OLR MUSIC GROUP: Do you play an instrument? Would you like to be part of our newly formed music group at OLR? They will be playing the 3rd Sunday of every month. Please contact Maura 01323 430532.

GIFT AID: If any parishioner wishes to join the scheme please contact Nick Price on 07711243419 or nickprice8@hotmail.com

Next Newsletter: The next newsletter will be issued on 26 June. All items for this issue to be sent in by June 21. **Mass Intentions:** When requesting a Mass, please keep it to **ONE** intention. **Note: Sunday 10.15am Mass is generally for the People of the Parish**

A WARM WELCOME: to all who join us for Mass, especially to any visitors. If you are new to the Parish, you too are very welcome. Please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass so that we can properly welcome you!

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