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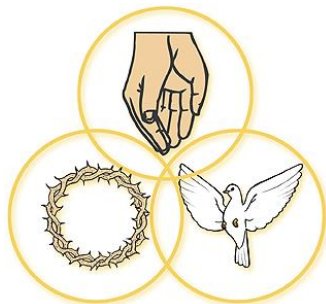
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# OUR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## Sunday 22nd May 2016 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



Proper Psalms

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

Corpus Christi Sunday  
*Genesis 14:18-20*  
*1 Corinthians 11:23-26*  
*Luke 9:11b-17*

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2015 /2016**



We congratulate our first Holy Communion candidates who have now all celebrated this blessed sacrament. We thank our catechists who have all worked so hard to prepare them for their special day . We thank Catherine Burton and her team for arranging the beautiful flowers you have seen in the Church. Our candidate will all come together on Sunday 12th June in their outfits for a final celebration and tea party.

**WHAT'S ON IN THE PARISH THIS WEEK**



Sun 22nd: 9am & 10:45am Children's liturgy  
Tea & Coffee after 9am & 10:45am Mass  
Mon: Tea & Coffee after Mass (Old Hall)  
Tues: 9:15am - 11:15am Toddler Group (Old Hall)  
Thurs: SVP (Old Hall)  
Sun 29th : 9am & 10:45am Children's liturgy



**THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL - vacancy**

TEACHER OF IT - required from 1st September 2016. See notice board for full details.

**From Olympics to the Convent** - On Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm Sister Catherine Mary (32), a Franciscan Sister of Renewal and a former Olympian Speed – Skater, will be talking about hanging up her skates and devoting her life to serving God in full time ministry. Sister Catherine served as a tutor, facilitated retreats and worked in a soup kitchen in the Bronx before joining the Orders' new mission house in Leeds to do similar tasks. Please take the time to come along and hear the story of how Sister Catherine swapped the skin tight racing suit for an ankle habit which she wears today. Everyone is most welcome.

The Sacred Heart church will be on show for the **Open Caterham event 25/25th June**. Your support is needed to help welcome our visitors in the church or in the tea room. Cake bakers we also need your very best offerings. More details in the porch. Please spread the word.

**Feast of the Sacred Heart** - there will be a BBQ after the 7pm mass on 3rd June. There are tickets in the porch. To help with the catering leave your name and give either a donation or bring a dessert.

**Second Collection**

Next week there will be a second collection for The Missionary Endeavour of the Diocese. This is eligible for Parish Gift Aid please use your blue envelopes.

**Offertory Collection**

Sincere thanks for your generosity last weekend:  
Offertory (including FHC): 1,057.23 (Gift Aid: £332.40)

**Fire Safety** - we would like to take this opportunity to remind parishioners of the following:

- ||| In the event of a fire in Church there are two escape routes, either through
- ||| the fire exit at the front of the church or through the fire exits in the Old Hall.
- ||| In the event of a fire the call "Fire" will be given and parishioners should
- ||| evacuate by the safest route and assemble on the lawn in front of Church.
- ||| Personal possessions and buggies should be left in church. If you have any
- ||| mobility issues please remain in your seat and assistance will be given. Chil-
- ||| dren will be led to the assembly points by Catechists if they are in Liturgy and
- ||| we ask parents to meet them there. We would like to remind parishioners
- ||| that aisles should be kept clear and push chairs should be left in the porch if
- ||| there is no suitable space in Church.
- ||| We would remind you that Arundel and Brighton policy is that only trained
- ||| people should use fire extinguishers.

||| In the event of a fire in the Centenary Hall, Club or Committee Room the fire alarm will be activated and parishioners should use the signed exits and wait at the assembly point on the lawn in front of Church.

**For the attention of all Gift Aid donors:** On 6<sup>th</sup> April 2016 some changes to tax allowances became effective. Please remember that you must have paid sufficient Income/Capital gains tax that is at least equal to the amount reclaimed on all your Gift Aid donations to charities. If you have paid insufficient tax you will have to repay the shortfall. If you need tax advice please contact either your tax office or professional tax adviser.

**Gift Aid Annual Statements** - Gift Aid annual statements for tax year 2015/16 are now prepared and will be available for collection at all Masses on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June. If you would like your statement earlier, or would like to help us save printing costs, then you can receive your statement by e-mail, just send Peter Kelly a note at [peterfkelly67@gmail.com](mailto:peterfkelly67@gmail.com).

## CONTACTS

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### **Parish Youth Clubs:**

(First Friday during school term 7pm)

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### **St. Francis Primary School:**

Head teacher: Maria Wheeler

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**Join us** - we celebrate! The coming of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles, His coming to us, and more –

**All welcome!**

**8.00p.m. Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May, in the Old Sacristy** (next to the Old Hall)



**Baptisms** - Lola May Marro will be Baptised next week. Please keep her in your prayers.



**Weddings** - We pray for Oliver King and Vanessa & Chris Ryan and his fiancée who will be married here this week.

## THIS WEEK—SERVICES, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

### **Sunday 22nd - The Most Holy Trinity**

9:00am Mass - Jacqueline Gilly (J Nicolotti)

10:45am Mass - Mary Fahy RIP

5:15pm Mass - People of the Parish

### **Monday 23rd**

10am - Fidelma Carolan RIP (K Linsdel)

### **Tuesday 24th**

10am - Bill and Evelyn Coyle (J Ralphs)

### **Wednesday 25th - St Bede the Venerable**

10am - Grant and Loretta Lane

### **Thursday 26th - St Philip Neri**

10am - Tony Grimwade RIP (Cutler Family)

### **Friday 27th - St Augustine of Canterbury**

7pm - Jimmy Mullen (Ruby)

### **Saturday 28th - B. Margaret Poole**

10am - Brendan Finnegan RIP

### **Sunday 29th - Corpus Christi**

9:00am Mass - People of the Parish

10:45am Mass - Sister Marion Nestor RIP (Flannery Family)

5:15pm Mass - Michael Church RIP (C Roofoe)

**Confessions** every Saturday 10:30am – 11:00am

**Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament** Saturdays: 9am – 11am



**Your Prayers are requested for the following persons who are ill or house-**

**bound:** Pat Knight; Kathleen & John Saunders; Helen Keogh; Daisy Hill;

Christopher Browne; Kit Monk; Krista Thompson; Jane Hill; Rosemary Whale;

Pam Weaver; Jimmy Mullen; Bernie Horrocks; Margaret Robertson; Heather Tordim-

mah; Jenny Rowen; Elizabeth Daley; Eileen, Mel & Rose Lattimore; Bryan Smith; Oliver

Farrell; Seeta Pillay; Pat McCoy; John Dunlop, Elise O'Connor, John Gilford, Chris Nor-

man, Bridget Crook, Baby Tabitha Harrison, Christine Vernon, Maureen Kelly, Mary

Wallace, Don Hancock, Gina Waiton, Joe Kelly, Harry Gaut & Ian Lester.

The 10.45 Leaven Group will meet in the Old Hall following Mass today 22nd May. All are welcome to attend or please see a member of the group if you would like to pass on any comments. Thank you.

St Marys Flower Festival - Sunday 22nd May 2pm - 5pm

### **SVP Mobile Home**

The SVP have a 3 bedroom, 6 berth mobile home at Riverside Park in Bognor Regis. This is used to provide holidays for deserving families during the school holidays. However, to boost funds, the SVP are this year offering parishioners the opportunity to enjoy a week outside of the school holiday for the cost of £250. At present there is availability during the month of September. For further information telephone Biddy Lovat (01883 345749)

**"From Persecution to Genocide" 22 May, 4pm** - Talk by Dr Suha Rassam at All Saints Parish Room, Oxted, RH8 0AA on the plight of Iraqi Christians. Dr Rassam is the acclaimed author of "Christianity in Iraq" and has recently returned from refugee camps in Jordan and Northern Iraq.

**SVP Diary date - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm**—Become a Dementia Friend— Learn what it is like to live with dementia and turn that understanding into action. This event will be open to all parishioners.

Further details to follow.

The next 9am Leaven meeting is after Mass today. Please contact one of the group if there is any matter concerning 9am Mass that you would like discussed. - Pat Magnus, Mark Ryland, Joy Cutler, Moyra Brohier, Richard Williams, Valory Williams, Cheryl Daly, Tree Dodington, Michele Anderson or Rosemary Kinman.