

CATHOLIC PARISH OF EAST PRESTON WITH ANGMERING CHURCH OF OUR LADY, STAR OF THE SEA

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This is what Yahweh asks of you: only this, to act justly, to love tenderly, and to walk humbly with your God.

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ:

Sundays & Solemnities: Year C - Weekdays: Year 1



Saturday 21st June	6:00pm Mass	People of the Parish	1st Mass of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:15pm – 5:45pm
Sunday 22 nd June	10:00am Mass	In Thanksgiving	· ·
Monday 23 rd June	10:00am Mass	Fr Chris Basden (Wellbeing)	
Tuesday 24 th June	10:00am Mass	Celebrants intention	Birth of John the Baptist
Wednesday 25 th June	11:00am Mass at Bethany 6:00pm Mass		Sacrament of Reconciliation 10:00am - 10:30am Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:15pm - 5:45pm
Thursday 26 th June	No Mass		Gastament of recommendati Ciriopini Ciriopini
Friday 27 th June	9:40am Novena 10:00am Mass	For those who suffer Persecution	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday 28 th June	6:00pm Mass	People of the Parish	1 st Mass of Ss Peter and Paul Sacrament of Reconciliation 5:15pm – 5:45pm

FACES OF RESILIENCE: Many thanks to all those that supported the 'living book' exhibition last Sunday in the Church hall and who stayed on for our liturgy at 3:00pm. The tea and cakes were much appreciated and they helped to create a really warm and friendly atmosphere. The Ukrainian women who joined us were very touched and grateful. We must keep them in our prayers. Our thanks also go to the Justice and Peace group who organised this event.

<u>CAFOD 'CANCEL DEBT, CHOOSE HOPE' CAMPAIGN:</u> Two members of the Justice and Peace Group will speak after Mass next weekend (28th - 29th June) to explain the CAFOD 'Cancel Debt, Choose Hope' Campaign. Pope Francis spoke with great passion regarding this movement, explaining that 'it is a matter of justice' to cut the debt of the 54 countries who are facing a debt crisis. At the end of each Mass, all members of the congregation will be asked to leave the church via the fire exit at the back of the Church Hall and, if they wish to do so, sign a petition 'Cancel Debt, Choose Hope'. Thank you for your support.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: Please note the following weekly Mass times of our neighboring Churches for times when there are no weekday Masses at our Church:

St Joseph's Rustington – Wednesday's and Friday's 10:00am.

St Catherine's Littlehampton – Tuesday's and Thursday's 10:00am.

English Martyrs Catholic Church, Goring-By-Sea - Monday to Friday 9:30am.

Arundel Cathedral - 10:00am Monday to Saturday.

These masses are all subject to change.

SECOND COLLECTION: Next Sunday 28th – 29th June is for Peter's Pence.

<u>PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY:</u> For all the sick in our Parish family and those who are suffering at this time including; Theresa Price; Victor Bagley; Tony Fowler; Neil Hardingham; Giovanni and Astrid - Celeste's brother and niece; Paul Levy; Gary Wenham; Rev Andrew Perry; Gerald Hunt; Victor Bellamy; Maureen Ayres; Ann Fagan; Carole Costa; Diana Long; Juliet's daughter-in-law Lizzie Gibson-Bell; Wendy Milledge; Lorraine Arnold's sister Stephanie Price; Doreen Hutchins; Bernadette Doyle - Oliver Powell's niece; Margaret Heaney's brother-in-law John Erwin; Sylvia Whitenee; Evelyn Cumiskey and all who have lost a loved one during the year. If you know of anyone who needs our prayers, or no longer needs to be on the prayer list, please let Veronica know (772107).

<u>WELCOME:</u> To any visitors to our Church today. There will be teas and coffees this Sunday after Mass. **NOTICE:** Gluten free hosts are available in the Sacristy, if you need one just pop in and ask.

THANK-YOU: So much to everyone who donated, attended and helped at the Cuppa & Cakes. It was a really lovely community event at which we raised £1,337.33 for St Barnabas House, who were very appreciative. God bless you all.

SURPLUS ITEMS FOR COLLECTION: There are a few items of furniture from the Priests Bungalow, Office and Hall which are now no longer required. The items include a mobile computer desk, small round coffee table, white bar stall, two metal cabinets and a quantity of framed wall pictures. The items will be available for viewing in the parish hall from 5pm on Saturday 28 June until after 10am Mass on Sunday 29 June. There is no charge for any of the items but a donation to parish funds would be appreciated. Thank you. Deacon Tony

ARK BABY AND TODDLER GROUP: Meets at 10:00am on Monday's during term time in the Church hall. **TEA, CHAT AND SCRABBLE:** Meets this Monday 23rd June in the Church hall at 2:00pm. Rita (850304). **NEW BEGINNINGS:** A support group for widows meets this Tuesday 24th June in the Church Hall at 2:00pm. For more information please ring Rita (850304).

KNITTING GROUP: Will meet this Wednesday 25th June 2:00pm – 4:00pm in the Church hall. Newcomers welcome. Bring your own project to work on or join in with the latest group project. If you can't knit/crochet but want to learn, we can help! Veronica (772107).

<u>SILVER SONGS:</u> Final session Thursday 26th June 10.30am - noon. £3 to include refreshments. After 7 years at Our Lady Star of the Sea this is the last chance to enjoy a sing in good company and raise funds for Chestnut Tree House Children's Hospice.

<u>TABLE TENNIS:</u> Oye Oye! Are you stuck at home wondering what to do on a Friday afternoon? Well, here's your chance, have a go at table tennis! Not for you? You may be pleasantly surprised! You'll meet lovely people and play. No bat, no ball? We have them all! Give us a go, Marion Powell (775282).

<u>LECTIO DIVINA:</u> 1 Sam 3:9 "...Speak, Lord; your servant is listening..." Join the Lectio Divina group (Friday's 7:00pm – 7:40pm email <u>wardveronica49@gmail.com</u> for the zoom link). Not a bible study; the Living Word speaking into our hearts.

SHARED SUPPER: The next Shared supper will be next Saturday 28th June after the 6:00pm Mass. If you would like to participate, just arrive with your offering and put it on the table in the hall. This invitation is open to all Parishioners who attend Mass on Saturday or Sunday as an opportunity to build our community.

<u>PLANNED GIVING AND GIFT AID:</u> Donating by standing order is the most effective way of providing financial support for your Parish and over 50 parishioners already make their offertory donations in this way. Please contact Simon Davies on simon.davies1953@btinternet.com for more details and for advice on how to sign up. <u>50th ANNIVERSAY OF THE CONSECRATION OF WORTH ABBEY CHURCH:</u> 12th July, 10:30am – 4:45pm, Worth Abbey, RH10 4SB. We have planned a day of prayer and celebration, and we hope you will join us for this

special occasion. Kindly RSVP to help us plan our event more effectively, please use this link: https://worthabbey.net/celebrating-the-50th-anniversary-of-the-abbey-churchs-consecration/

<u>WALK THE AUGUSTINE CAMINO FOR MARY'S MEALS:</u> Monday 1st September – Sunday 8th September 2025. Join us for the whole pilgrimage or walk with us for a day. Starting at Rochester Cathedral and finishing at the Shrine of St Augustine in Ramsgate, the pilgrimage will also take in The Friars, Aylesford; St Jude's Shrine, Faversham; St Thomas of Canterbury, in Canterbury. To find out more or to book your place, please contact Roy Peachey, (<u>roy.peachey@marysmeals.org.uk</u> or 07593 447297).

COLLECTION OF MILK BOTTLE TOPS: For St Barnabas. Please be very careful to put <u>ONLY</u> those indicated on the poster and please make sure they are clean. Thank you, Celeste (07779076069).

HOLY HOUR: Every Thursday 5:00pm to 6:00pm with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, at Bethany, 63 Roundstone Crescent, East Preston, BN16 1DQ. All are welcome.

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday 20th September 2025 Festival of Hope. Join us for a Diocesan Celebration of the Jubilee year and 60th Anniversary of Arundel & Brighton. With speakers from the Church Mission Society and the Sion Community, as well as music from One Hope Project and our amazing schools' choirs. This festival will uplift, inspire and be a great day out for all. We'd love to see you there so pop the date in your diary now! **NOTICES FOR THE NEWSLETTER AND WEBSITE:** Please email me all items for the newsletter or website on wardveronica49@gmail.com or phone Veronica (772107) by the end of Wednesdays. Thank you.

Readings for next Sunday 29th June. Ss Peter & Paul: Acts 12: 1-11. 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18. Mathew 16:13-19.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS:

Offertory: £294.48. Gift Aid: £71.
Second Collection Day for Life: £343.42.
This does not include online offertory.
Thank you for your continuing generosity.