



SOLENT PASTORAL AREA - UNITED IN CHRIST

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH
IN FAREHAM AND PORTCHESTER

Sacred Heart Church, Portland Street, Fareham. PO16 0NF. St Philip Howard Church, Bishopsfield Road, Fareham PO14 1ND
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16th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – YEAR A 19th JULY 2026

MASS INTENTIONS, CONFESSIONS & ADORATION

Masses at St Philip Howard Church are Livestreamed

Saturday 18th July – St Benedict

11am Ordination Cath. Priesthood - Fr Jack Ryan
Sorry, no confessions

SUNDAY 19th July – 16th Sunday Ordinary Time

Sat 6.30pm Vigil Mass SH Donald McGarr RIP
Sun 9am Mass SH John & Mary Byrne RIP
11am Mass SPH Ints. of SPA Choir Members
6pm Quiet Mass SPH For the People of the Parish

Monday 20th July – Feria

Sorry, no service

Tuesday 21st July – Feria

10am Mass SH Mabel Hundley RIP
'till Noon Adoration SH Silent prayer

Wednesday 22nd July – St Mary Magdalene

10.30am Requiem SPH Margaret Fitzgerald RIP

Thursday 23rd July – St Bridget of Sweden

10am Mass SH Ints. of Peter & Catherine Saul
after... Confessions SH Reconciliation
7.30pm Adoration SH Silent prayer for Vocations

Friday 24th July – Feria

10am Mass SH Ints. of Maria D.
6-10pm Adoration SH Jesus Youth Vigil for Peace

Saturday 25th July – St James

5pm Confessions SH Reconciliation

SUNDAY 26th July – 17th Sunday Ordinary Time

Sat 6.30pm Vigil Mass SH Alan Walker RIP
Sun 9am Mass SH Ellen & Tom Turnbull RIP
11am Mass SPH Ints. of Teams of Our Lady
6pm Mass SPH For the People of the Parish

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Sat 18th July 11am. Cathedral, Portsmouth. PO1 3HG

Dcn Jack Ryan from our Pastoral Area. Everyone is invited.

CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH (CCC) - Priesthood

CCC 1536 - 1597. All the baptised share in the priesthood of Christ through their Baptism. Alongside this common priesthood of the faithful is the distinct ministerial priesthood, conferred through the Sacrament of Holy Orders. By sharing in Christ's own priesthood in a unique way, ordained priests are called to serve God's people by proclaiming the Gospel, celebrating the sacraments, and shepherding the Church.

LOURDES YOUNG HELPERS' FUND - CAKE STALL

This Sun 19th July after Mass. Helping Callum, Bethany and Faith, fund the fares for their pilgrimage - end of August.

WITH GRATEFUL THANKS

Over the past 45 years this parish has been our rock as together with the love of God you have supported us through the challenges that life sometimes throws our way and celebrated with us our joys. Sadly though, it is now time for us to move to another parish but we will hold you all in our hearts and pray for you often. God willing our paths will cross often in the future. God bless you all.

Sue & Kevin Field.

ENQUIRERS' GROUP – ADULT JOURNEY IN FAITH

Interested in the Catholic Faith? Thank you to Dcn Larry and Yvette for leading the summer sessions. If you would like to join the autumn group starting in October, please email Dcn Larry: lmurawski@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

DIARY AT A GLANCE. The coming week: Sat 18th July – Sun 26th July

	Meeting	Location	Time	Contact
Sat	Dcn Jack Ryan - Ordination	Cathedral	11am	Ordination to the Priesthood. All are welcome! franciscansolent@outlook.com
	OFS Monthly Meeting	SHH	12pm – 4pm	
	<i>Sorry, no confessions</i>			
Sun	"Quiet Mass"	SH	6pm	
Mon	UCM (Union of Catholic Mothers)	SH Hall	7pm	lornefry1954@hotmail.com
Tues	PEG Recycling Team	SH Hall	10.30am - 12pm	Parish Office
	Craft & Chat Group	SH Hall	1pm	Parish Office
Wed	-	-	-	
Thurs	Conversation Group	SH Hall	2pm - 3.30pm	amnally65@gmail.com
	Solent Clergy Meeting	Stubbington	3 – 5pm	
Fri	4th Friday Adoration (Jesus Youth Vigil)	SH	6pm – 10pm	
Sat	Sacrament of Reconciliation - Confessions	SH	5pm	
Sun	Fr Jack Ryan – Mass of Thanksgiving	SH & St PH	9am & 11am	Parish Office

3RD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH – 6pm “Quiet” Mass.

Stigma-free service; reduced lighting, no music and periods of silence throughout. stephanie.campbellrc@gmail.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR The sick & those who care for them...

Mary F., Jan, Mary M., Ninette, Diana F., Paul D., Chris H., Nikki P. Simon D., and Sr. Veronica OP.

REST IN PEACE Please keep in your prayers

Margaret Fitzgerald RIP - her Requiem Mass is on Wed 22nd July 10.30am St Philip Howard Church.

Helen Horscroft RIP - her Requiem Mass is on Tue 21st July 12.30pm Our Lady, Stubbington. All are welcome.

Also **Michael Foley RIP & Colin Joel RIP** - passed recently.

FOUNDATION GOVERNORS NEEDED FOR ST JUDE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL & PRE-SCHOOL

Foundation Governors are appointed by the Bishop to help support the Catholic life and mission of our school.

If you would like to arrange an informal chat, visit our school, please email: adminoffice@st-judes.info

ADORATION - Tues 10.45am and Thurs. 7.30pm

Spend time in silent prayer “detoxing” your heart, mind and soul before the Lord. It would be wonderful this week to come together to pray for the ordinations happening.

JESUS YOUTH - 4th FRIDAYS ADORATION

Friday 24th July 6pm - 10pm. Sacred Heart Church

Time out to pray for peace. Come, just “be” with the Lord.

PARISH ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP)

The SVP are here to provide help, friendship and comfort. Everything we do is in strict confidence.

Call us on 07435 880 190 any day between 8am & 6pm.

PARISH GROUPS – Summer recess ...

Little Treasures - We are back on Tues 8th Sept.

UCM (Union Catholic Mothers) - Back on Mon 31st Aug.

Scripture Group - We are back on Fri 11th Sep.

A big thank you the leaders of all our parish groups. We hope you have a blessed summer break.

PARISH FINANCE

Dona Plates Contactless Giving available in the foyers

Standing Orders Please contact the Parish Office for details.

BACS Transfer The parish bank details if you need them are:

CDP Fareham Sacred Heart (Lloyds Bank)

Sort Code 30-93-04 Account 00877744

Cheques Payable to ‘CDP Fareham Sacred Heart’

Gift Aid Payers are encouraged to contact in confidence at:

farehamgiftaid@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

WELCOME TO FR JOHN ADIKWU

Celebrating Mass for us while Cn. John is away with Fr Jack Ryan celebrating his Ordination and Mass of Thanksgiving

CAFOD'S GLOBAL DEBT PETITION

Thank you for your support. 123 parishioners signed the petition and several others took information to sign online.

If you would like to know more or missed signing, you can do so online at www.cafod.org.uk and search global debt.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

Sat 25th July 10am Sacred Heart Hall.

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

Sun 26th July. Celebrated on the 4th Sunday of July to coincide with the feast of Ss Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus. Together we can help older people feel loved, valued, and connected. To learn more or offer support, contact: caritas@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk.

ADORE SPIRITUAL MINI-RETREAT - 25th July 10am - 1.00pm

Theme "HIS BANNER OVER US IS LOVE." On Zoom.

A mini-retreat morning with Mass, Adoration, prayer, praise, and a talk by Russ Fairman (National CHARIS Renewal Team). Register at bit.ly/ADOREJUL2026

‘CELEBRATE’ 15th – 19th Aug. www.celebratefestival.org

Worth Abbey, West Sussex. The UK's premier Catholic family event will feature keynote talks, worship, and family activities around the theme "Let There Be Light".

SILENT RETREAT - VERBUM DEI RETREAT CENTRE

21st - 28th August. Isle of Wight. www.uk.verbumdei.org

Time to be renewed, empowered, re-energised by being with and listening to God. verbumdei.iow@gmail.com

‘FANNING THE FLAME’ SUMMER CAMP

Mon 17th - Fri. 21st August. St Cassian's Centre, Kintbury

Age range: 11 - 17 years. £195 ... Spaces sell fast!

www.fanningtheflame.co.uk/summer-camp-2026

STELLA MARIS – Sea Sunday Collection

£1,118.00 raised. www.stellamaris.org.uk

Thank you to our speakers and for your generosity.

REGULAR GROUPS www.catholicchurchfareham.org.uk

Bethany Bereavement

Confirmation CHOSEN

Craft & Chat

Little Treasures Toddlers

PEG (Ecology Group)

SVP

Teams (Married Couples)

Bible Study

Conversation Group

Ladies' Prayer Group

Men's Prayer Group

Prayer Walks

Sycamore Pathway in Faith

UCM - Union of Catholic Mothers



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