

OUR LADY OF LOURDES, ROTTINGDEAN and ST. PATRICK'S, WOODINGDEAN



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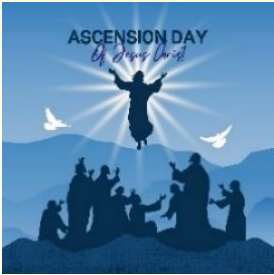
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Service & Intentions – Sixth Week of Easter

Saturday 4 May	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	Stephen M.
Sixth Sunday of Easter 5 May	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	People of the Parish Rita Gilbert (SI)
Monday 6 May	9.30am OLOL	Mass	John Davies RIP
Tuesday 7 May	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Adoration & Confessions</i>	George Wilson (A)
Wednesday 8 May	–	–	–
Thursday 9 May Holyday of Obligation – The Ascension of the Lord	9.30am OLOL 7.30pm OLOL	Mass Mass	People of the Parish Thanksgiving
			
Friday 10 May	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Divine Mercy</i>	Fr. Douglas Perkins RIP (A)
Saturday 11 May	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	Peter McBride RIP
Seventh Sunday of Easter 12 May	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	People of the Parish Paul Thompson RIP (A)

Confessions at OLOL – Saturday 5.45-6.15pm.

Thursday is the feast of the Ascension, Holyday of Obligation.

This Sunday (5 May) there will be a collection for CAFOD – Urgent Sudan Crisis Appeal 2024 – urgent help needed to get humanitarian aid to the people of Sudan.

Next Sunday (12 May) there will be a collection for World Communications Sunday.



PLEASE PRAY for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for John Petty, Sami Ghazal, Sophie Reilly, John Heal, Sandra Waugh, Cherie Pay, Maureen Garson, Teresa Ford, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Canon Oliver Heaney, Teresa Curtis, David Iddiols, Philip Roderick, Christine Talbot, Beau Harvey Michael O'Brien, John Chapman & Pat Turner. Please let the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the souls of all those recently deceased members of our parish. May they rest in peace. Please keep their families in your prayers.

PLEASE PRAY for the eight young people in our parish, aged 14-18, who are preparing for Confirmation this year.

Visits to the Sick/Hospital/Housebound: If you know of anybody who is sick please contact the Parish Office.



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) course: Tuesday evenings from 6pm to 7pm in the Church Hall at OLOL.



Breakfast Club: We are in the Church Hall at OLOL every Thursday after 9.30am Mass. All orders freshly made. Eat in or take away. Thank you for supporting this parish fundraising weekly event.



Safety request: We've had a few incidents of parents/carers and children using the OLOL church car park as a shortcut when walking to/from school and the children nearly being hit by a car as they run into the car park. To reduce the risk of an accident, can those of us who walk through the car park as a shortcut please use the Twitten next to the car park instead? Thank you.



The postponed Italian Night with Quiz is taking place on **Saturday 11 May** after the 6.30pm Mass at OLOL. BYOB. Tickets are available from the kitchen at £15.00 each. There are only 50 tickets so when they are gone they are gone!



CANCELLED – Parish Walk: The walk planned for **Friday 10 May** has been **cancelled**. It will be rearranged as soon as possible.



St Patrick's future film club: We have a new projector to show films to parishioners. Hopefully after this trial run, we will have monthly events with a winter afternoon film club. The date is **Wednesday 15 May** at 7pm. All welcome to join us and see what you feel and think about the idea. All ages welcome but maybe not too young! No charge but refreshments available in the interval. **Stop press:** the first film will be 'Mrs Harris goes to Paris'. A feel good film starring Lesley Manville and an exciting cast! Please come and support our efforts or we might give up! Just turn up or email me, frances.low@ntlworld.com or text on 07816642943.



Winners of the 100 Plus Club April Draw are: 1st Prize £25 - Heather Caffrey, 2nd Prize £15 - Lucas Payne, 3rd Prize £10 - Jacqui Rhodes.



African Evening – date for your diary: **Friday 21 June** 6pm, dinner and music, £10 at St Patrick's. This was our most successful event ever when we did it last year! Contact person is Frances (frances.low@ntlworld.com).



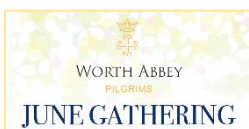
Prayer event at Holy Cross Church, Woodingdean: On **Wednesday 15 May**, Off the Fence Schools Team and Brighton & Hove City Mission will be holding a prayer event at Holy Cross Church from 4pm to 5pm. They will be praying for schools in the East of the City. Schools, churches and members of the community are invited to attend in person or send in prayers in advance.



Green Festival on **Saturday 18 May** at Rudyard Kipling School, Woodingdean 10am until 4pm. The event includes nature based art and craft, yoga, ecotherapy, wreath making, seed/seedlings planting, food, bike repair and lots more. Irene can send a copy of the incredibly comprehensive programme to you if you e-mail her (icgreen70@gmail.com).



Monks in the City Season 3: On **Tuesday 7 May**, there will be a talk exploring stability ("Planted in the house of the Lord") – join the Monks for Prayer at 6pm in the Church, followed by a soup and bread supper at 6.30pm in the Fitzherbert Community Hub with the talk at 7pm.



Worth Abbey Pilgrims June Gathering: The Abbott and Community invite you to Worth Abbey from 11.00am to 4.30pm on **Saturday 1 June** for a social and spiritual day. Share monastic prayer in the Abbey Church and enjoy the beauty that is Worth. Enjoy a guided walk through the woods and fields and visit St Bruno's retreat centre. Families welcome, there will be activities for children. For more information, please visit the events page of the Worth Abbey Pilgrims website or telephone 01342 710370. Admission is free; please register your attendance at <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/worthabbey>.

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**The Parish Office** is closed this week.