

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

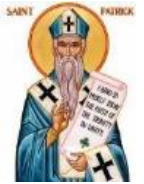


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Service & Intentions – First Week in Ordinary Time

			
Saturday 6 January	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	Wellbeing of Graham Stanbridge
Sunday 7 January – the Epiphany of the Lord	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	People of the Parish Deceased members of the Day family RIP
Monday 8 January – the Baptism of the Lord	9.30am OLOL	Mass	Felice De Rosa RIP
Tuesday 9 January	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Adoration & Confessions</i>	Veronica Kearney RIP
Wednesday 10 January	–	–	–
Thursday 11 January	9.30am OLOL	Mass	John Newton RIP
Friday 12 January	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Divine Mercy</i>	Hugh O'Hara RIP
Saturday 13 January	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	Peter O'Flinn
Sunday 14 January – Peace Day	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	People of the Parish Marina Rosario (RIP) & Douglas Rosario (RIP)
<i>Confessions at OLOL – Saturday 5.45-6.15pm.</i> <i>Next Sunday (14 January) is Peace Day.</i>			



Crib collection: All offerings this year are given in aid of the Catholic Children's Society A&B Crisis Fund to provide one-off emergency grants to support children and their families. Please send cheques to Arundel & Brighton Crisis Fund, Catholic Children's Society, 73 Charles Square, London W10 6EJ.



PLEASE PRAY for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for John Petty, Alison Stainthorpe, Sami Ghazal, Sophie Reilly, John Heal, Sandra Waugh, Eileen Cross, Cherie Pay, Maureen Garson, Teresa Ford, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Keith Francis, Andy Renton, Canon Oliver Heaney, Alexander Cruickshank, Teresa Curtis, David Iddiols, Philip Roderick, Christine Talbot, Beau Harvey & Michael O'Brien. 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.



MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION: Next meeting Tuesday 9 January. If you are suffering from the loss of someone you have loved, then the Ministry of Consolation may be able to help. **This is open to anyone who is struggling with grief, either recent or historic. You do not have to be Catholic to join us.** Meetings are on the second Tuesday of every month after the 9.30am Mass in the Church Hall at OLOL (there will be no coffee after Mass on those days). People are welcome to join the group, but once the group is in session, please do not disturb. Contact Maureen or Mary on rottingdean@abdiocese.org.uk for details.



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.



Volunteers needed to help with flower arrangements at OLOL. If you can help with this, please contact the Parish Office or see Fr. Max.

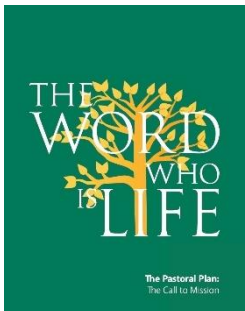


Christmas Grand Draw Prizewinners: Thank you to everyone who donated the prizes and to those who bought tickets for the Christmas Grand Draw. It was a great success raising much needed funds for our Church. Please see below the list of the lucky prize winners. **1st prize:** M&S Hamper - Deacon Neil. **2nd prize:** M&S Voucher - Sister Irene. **3rd prize:** Case of Wine - Elaine Hudson. **4th prize:** M&S Voucher - Tim & Sue Butler. **5th prize:** M&S Voucher - Jane (St Patrick's). **6th prize:** Bottle of Malt Whisky - Doreen Fox. **7th prize:** Bottle of Wine - Jonathan Sharp.



Two singing classes at St. Patrick's starting this month:

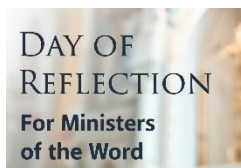
1. A weekly **Singing Mamas** class 10–11.30am Wednesdays, social, singing for ladies with or without children, followed by tea and biscuits. Leader is Laura. There will be a weekly charge. Starting **10 January**.
2. On Thursday mornings from **18 January** our **Varndean singing class** resumes 11.30am until 1pm with a new tutor; to join, contact Debra dem@varndean.ac.uk. Prices are very low for "concessions".



Diocesan Pastoral Plan now available: Bishop Richard has written a new Pastoral Plan for the Diocese: 'The Word Who is Life: The Call to Mission'. As society becomes more secular our parishes must be ever-clearer beacons of light guiding people to Christ. The new Plan highlights how our community of faith can embrace this important time of renewal, forging diocesan parishes into communities of saints and strong, lively, and welcoming schools of discipleship. The Pastoral Plan is now available on the diocesan website: www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/pastoral-plan. Hard copies are also available to read in each parish. Bishop Richard will be hosting a Pastoral Plan Webinar for people across our diocesan community on **Wednesday 10 January** at 7.30pm. Please use the following the link to join the webinar: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86457734895>.



Individually Guided Retreat, 14-21 January at The Franciscan Centre, Godalming, GU7 1ST (Suggested Offering: £520 with bursaries available). Step away from the noise and haste of your everyday life and into the quiet beauty of the Franciscan Centre Ladywell, attendees will be accompanied by a trained spiritual director each day. For more information and to book, please visit the events page of the Franciscan Centre Ladywell website.



Day of Reflection for Ministers of the Word, 20 January, 11-4pm at Sacred Heart Church, Cobham. Join Bishop Richard for a day of reflection and formation for Ministers of the Word; the day includes Lectio Divina and Mass with talks on Sacred Scripture, the Liturgy of the Word, the Lectionary, and the practical aspects of the ministry. To register, please visit the events page of the diocesan website.

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**The Parish Office is open to parishioners on Fridays** from 8.30am to 12noon.