

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

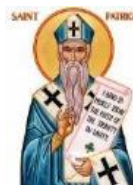


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LOL Church is usually open each day until 5pm.

Day	Time	Place	Mass	Intention
Sat eve	6.30pm	LOL	<b>FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	James & Richard McCabe RIP
<b>Sun 13<sup>th</sup> July</b>	9.00am 10.30am	St P LOL		People of the Parish Alacoque Stewart RIP
Mon	9.30am	Convent		Sr Cecile's intention
Tue	9.30am	LOL	St Bonaventure	Matt Coffey RIP
Wed			Our Lady of Mount Carmel	No public Mass today
Thu	9.30am	LOL		
Fri	9.30am	LOL		Helen Thomas's wellbeing
Sat am	10.00am	LOL	Our Lady	
Sat eve	6.30pm	LOL	<b>SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	People of the Parish
<b>Sun 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	9.00am 10.30am	St P LOL		Philip Whitehead RIP Simone Avice (anniversary)

**Confessions at LOL – Saturdays after 10am Mass & 5.45-6.15pm. Tuesdays 10.00-10.30am**

**Adoration: Saturdays 9-10am (LOL). Divine Mercy devotions & scripture reflection: Fridays at 10am (LOL)**

**Hymns for 13<sup>th</sup> July at LOL: Entrance** – Holy, Holy, Holy (468); **Offertory** – All that I am (600); **Communion** – Ubi Caritas (244B); Soul of my saviour (938); **Exit** – He who would valiant be (862)

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**Retiring collection THIS WEEK for Stella Maris (formerly the Apostleship of the Sea).** Some of the charity's Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of church

The churchwardens at St Margaret's, Rottingdean have issued an open invitation for any of us to attend the farewell **shared lunch** on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July from 12.15pm for the Rev Anthony Morre as he prepares to take up a new position.

**The new Parish of Brighton & Hove** In the third edition of the Diocesan Pastoral Plan: The call to Mission, Bishop Richard wrote about the need to change the shape of deaneries and parishes. Reflecting on the many discussions that had taken place and the needs of the Diocese to enable her to carry out her mission, he wrote "...the groupings of parishes that form deaneries currently, will themselves become parishes." I am pleased to say that the current Deanery of Brighton and Hove has in place now the basic structures to become the new Parish of Brighton and Hove, which Bishop Richard will inaugurate in September.

There is still much work to be done to develop fully as one parish. We will need to undertake this work gradually and carefully, clergy and lay people together. The overarching purpose of this change is that we work more closely together in the mission of the Church. Bishop Richard describes the Church's mission in this way: "All are called to build up the Body of Christ, lead a holy life and promote the growth of the Church."

Each existing parish will become a community of the new parish and will continue to be served by your current parish priest who, together with the other parish priests, will also have responsibility for the whole parish coordinated by a Moderator. The clergy will work collaboratively with the Leadership Team and the Finance Committee for the mission. I look forward to working with you all in the new parish.

Canon David Parmiter

The Requiem Mass for **Fr Ray Blake** RIP will take place at The Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, West Grinstead RH13 8LT on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 2pm.

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

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

**Please pray** for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for John Petty, Cherie Pay, Teresa Ford, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Keith Francis, Teresa Curtis, David Iddiols, Christine Talbot, Beau Harvey, Ann and Brian Turner, John and Elizabeth Chapman, Pat Turner, Norah Grey, Cassie Cava, Helen Thomas and Sybil Workman. Please let the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.



**MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION:** The next meeting date has been moved to Tuesday 19th August.



**BREAKFAST CLUB – “we’re all goin’ on a summer holiday”:** The last breakfast club will be on the 17<sup>th</sup> July and will return on the 4<sup>th</sup> September.



**St. Patrick's Film Club:** Many thanks to those of you who have supported our first full year. It has been great to see increased numbers. Do come if you have not tried it yet! Parishioners and friends welcome.

Without our lovely team of helpers, nothing could be done. Thanks to Hilary and Anne for refreshments, Mike L for blinds, Irene for subtitles! I am most grateful for their support and encouragement. Keep going team!

**There is no film in August so we are back on 1<sup>st</sup> September at 2pm.** Blockbuster film to be shown which has won a lot of awards.

If you have ideas about a possible film, please let me know. I am hoping to have 'A night at the Opera' in late October with a light supper and a Mozart Opera.

Again, many thanks for supporting our endeavours.



**St Martha's Convent opens for guests from 1<sup>st</sup> July.** Any queries or bookings, call 07760 565495, 01273 302354 or email: [office@stmarthasconvent.org.uk](mailto:office@stmarthasconvent.org.uk)



**100 Plus Club:** The new season (July 2025-July 2026) begins with the July Draw. Thank you to all those members who have renewed their membership. **There is a new list in the porch of those who have not yet notified us of their intentions to continue their membership. If you intend to continue as a member, please help us to keep our records up to date by signing and indicating your method of payment on the list in the porch.** New members will be very welcome. Please complete and return a membership form available in the church porch. The yearly subscription for a share is £12. The monthly prizes are: 1st £25, 2nd £15, 3rd £10. All profits go towards parish funds.



**Fundraising OLOL Mini Sale:** Sat 19<sup>th</sup> July after 6.30pm Mass and Sun 20<sup>th</sup> July after 10.30am Mass. If anyone has anything we could sell or if you could bake or make anything it would be much appreciated. Please let Jose know. Thank you.



**St Patrick's thanks and applauds our helpers at Woodingdean Carnival on 5<sup>th</sup> July:** Ted, Bernadette, Lovett, Jane, Stuart, Hilary, Anne, Michael G, Mike L, Mary, Les, Michele. Irene was contact person. The weather was not helpful - windy and there was fine drizzle, needed 3 gazebos and horticultural polythene sheets. We kept St Patrick's on the community spectrum and met lots of friends on the day. We bank £402.80 for the church from sales of plants, preserves, food, jewellery. Virginia's stall at Woodingdean Carnival raised £100 for the Sacred Heart Parish in Zimbabwe. Looking forward to a dinner at OLOL for Fr Moyo's church, date to be announced.



**Parish skills register – community contribution form:** We are building a register of skills within our parish to support one another and strengthen our community. If you have skills you'd be willing to share, or know of anyone you have used in the past who would be willing to be entered onto our register, please fill in one of the forms available at the back of OLOL and St Patrick's churches.

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**The Parish Office is open to parishioners on Fridays from 10am to 12noon.**