

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

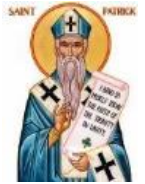


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LOLOL Church will be open every day until 5pm. People are welcome to come and pray quietly.

Service & Intentions – Week 25 of Ordinary Time

Saturday 21 September	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 22 September	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	Fr. Kevin Steen (Anniversary) Kathleen Power RIP
Monday 23 September	9.30am OLOL	Mass	Celia Pires (Thanksgiving)
Tuesday 24 September	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Adoration & Confessions</i>	Karen Ormiston RIP
Wednesday 25 September	–	–	–
Thursday 26 September	9.30am OLOL	Mass	Bernard Workman RIP (Anniversary)
Friday 27 September	9.30am OLOL <i>10.00-10.30am OLOL</i>	Mass <i>Divine Mercy</i>	Welfare of Khidir Buni
Saturday 28 September	6.30pm OLOL	Sunday Vigil Mass	Veronica & Francis Kearney RIP
Sunday 29 September	9.00am St. Patrick's 10.30am OLOL	Mass Mass	John Cremin RIP (Anniversary) Conference of St. Vincent de Paul (Special Intention)

Confessions at OLOL – Saturday 5.45-6.15pm and Tuesday 10.00-10.30am.

*The annual Mass Count is taking place this weekend (21/22 September), and on the following dates:
28/29 September, 5/6 October and 12/13 October.*



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, Teresa Ford, Geraldine Lewis, Peter Hogan, Sr. Angela, Rosemary Gill, Asahi Religa, Keith Francis, Canon Oliver Heaney, Teresa Curtis, David Iddiols, Christine Talbot, Beau Harvey, Michael O'Brien, Ann and Brian Turner, John Chapman, Pat Turner, Sylvia Rogers, Lionel Muir and Fred Jenkins. 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 and Alacoque Stewart and Sebastian Foucauld who died recently. May they rest in peace. Please keep their families in your prayers.

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



WELCOME to Fr. Stephen who is joining us as our new Parish Priest. His first Mass with us is on Saturday 21 September at OLOL.



Breakfast Club We are in the Church Hall at OLOL every Thursday after 9.30am Mass. Hope to see you all there? Eat and chat, raffle and fun! All orders freshly made. Eat in or take away. Thank you for supporting this parish fundraising weekly event.



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) course: The next course will be starting in September. If anyone is interested in becoming a Catholic and learning more about the faith, please contact the office for further information.



The next St Patrick's meeting - when we discuss everything church related - is **this Tuesday (24 September)** at 4pm, meeting usually takes about an hour. Anyone can attend, we have about 10 at the moment but would like more. You won't be volunteered to do anything so it is safe to attend!



Winners of the September 100 Plus Club Draw are: 1st Prize - £25 Pauline Butler, 2nd Prize - £15 Maureen James, 3rd Prize - £10 Dylan Wood. Please collect your winnings from the Sacristy.



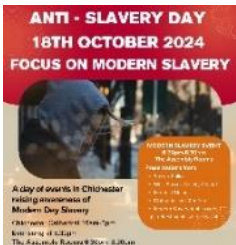
Monks in the City: On **Tuesday 24 September**, there will be a talk by D. Anthony/D. Gabriel ("Praying with Lectio") – join the Monks for Evening Prayer at 6pm in St. John the Baptist's church, Kempton, followed by a soup and bread supper at 6.30pm in the Fitzherbert Community Hub with the talk at 7pm. All welcome.



Brighton and Hove Deanery Church Music Day: led by Catherine Christmas from the Diocesan Liturgy and Music Formation Team, **Saturday 28 September**, 10.30am to 3pm at Cardinal Newman School (Chapel), BN3 6ND. Open to all musicians and singers in the A&B Diocese to share ideas and experiences and to explore the place of music in the Liturgy, the role of music ministers, ways to help the Congregation to sing, new repertoire, the singing of Psalms, and available resources. Bring a packed lunch, your voice and/or instrument. Coffee/tea available from 10am. Parking on site.

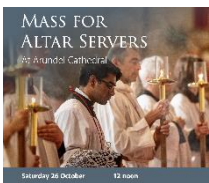


Animal Blessing Service at Arundel Cathedral, **Saturday 5 October** at 2.30pm. Pets, animals and people are warmly invited to join Bishop Richard at Arundel Cathedral for our popular annual Animal Blessing Service. There is no need to book. Tea will be available at the Cathedral Centre after the service.



Anti-Slavery Day, Friday 18 October, 10am-8.30pm, Chichester Cathedral & Assembly Rooms, PO19 1PX. A day to raise awareness of modern-day slavery, with opportunities for prayer and sharing of information in the Cathedral, and presentations from Sussex Police, West Sussex County Council and local Modern Slavery Ambassadors, in the Assembly Rooms.

Southwark Against Modern Slavery's event at Reigate Methodist Church, 53 High Street, RH2 9AE - **Saturday 19 October** 10.00am – 3.00pm. All are welcome to find out more about this heinous crime going on behind closed doors in all our neighbourhoods. Speakers include Bishop Richard Moth and DCI Kerry Loveless. Organisations presenting their work in this area include the Santa Marta Group (Catholic charity), Gatwick Detainees Group and others. Guided Prayer space available alongside. Please drop in anytime. For more information, contact Victoria (Ambassador; e-mail: victoriapitt@btinternet.com; mobile: 07986 019124).



Altar Servers' Mass at Arundel Cathedral, **Saturday 26 October** at 12 noon. Fr. Aaron Spinelli, Diocesan Director for the Guild of St. Stephen, invites all diocesan altar servers to a special Mass at Arundel Cathedral led by Bishop Richard. The occasion will offer an opportunity to celebrate and thank servers for their service to our parish communities. Refreshments will be available but please bring a packed lunch. Contact Fr Aaron to confirm attendance and numbers (aaron.spinelli@abdiocese.org.uk).



Lourdes Pilgrimage Anniversary Big Sing: Come and help us celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Pilgrimage in our Diocese. This is an opportunity to raise your voice to sing some Lourdes favourites alongside other Pilgrims from across the 50 years. There will be raffle, refreshments and sales stalls. Entry is free - donations to the Pilgrimage welcome on the day. **Saturday 26 October** from 2.00pm to 3.45pm at Worth Abbey. To sign up, please visit the events page of the diocesan website.



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