

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

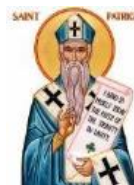


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OLOL Church is usually open each day until 5pm.

Day	Time	Place	Mass	Intention
Sat am	10.00am	OLOL	All Souls Day	Holy Souls
Sat eve	6.30pm	OLOL	<b>THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY</b> <b>IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	Sime Viduka RIP
<b>Sun</b>	9.00am	St P		People of the Parish
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Nov</b>	10.30am	OLOL		Intention available
Mon	9.30am	OLOL	St Charles Borromeo	Mary Arkwright RIP
Tue				No public Mass today
Wed				No public Mass today
Thur	9.30am	OLOL	St Willibrord	Martha Adams RIP (A)
Fri				No public Mass today
Sat am	10.00am	OLOL	Consecration of the Lateran Basilica	H & R Day (Wedding Anniversary)
Sat eve	6.30pm	OLOL	<b>THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY</b> <b>IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	People of the Parish
<b>Sun</b>	9.00am	St P		Ivor O'Mahony (Welfare)
<b>10<sup>th</sup> Nov</b>	10.30am	OLOL		Juraj Trumbetas (RIP)
	1.30pm	OLOL		Baptism Service: Raiola family

**Confessions at OLOL – Saturday after 10am Mass & 5.45-6.15pm. Tuesday 10.00-10.30am**

**Divine Mercy devotions and Sunday Readings reflection: Fridays at 10am at OLOL**

**Hymns for 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov: Entrance Hymn** – God is love, His the care (p 794); **Offertory Hymn** – O God you search me and you know me (p 779); **Communion** – Gather us in (p 475), A new Commandment (p 920); **Recessional Hymn** – Be thou my vision (p 970)

**The Blessing of Graves** will take place on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov at 10am at Woodingdean (Deacon Stephen Sharpe from Peacehaven) & Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov: after the 10.30am Mass at OLOL, 2pm at St Margaret's, 2.30pm or so at Ovingdean and 3pm at Woodingdean Lawn cemetery.

**Mass for the bereaved** followed by refreshments: Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov at 10am (please note the correct date). An opportunity to pray for and remember our departed loved ones.

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

**The Funeral Mass for Una McLoughlin RIP** will take place at OLOL on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Nov at 11.30am.

**Please note:** No Masses on Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday this week.

It would be good if someone could **open and close the church** when Fr Stephen is not around, principally on a Wednesday but also when he is away at other times. Could you do this?

Fr Stephen recently asked for thoughts on the **timing of the weekday Masses** having been asked to consider moving them from 9.30am to 10am. He received 63 responses. 47 (74.6%) favoured 9.30am, 16 (25.3%) favoured 10am, so for now the time will remain at 9.30am. Thank you for responding.

**PLEASE PRAY** for all our sick parishioners who are in nursing homes or housebound especially for John Petty, 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, Ann and Brian Turner, John Chapman, Pat Turner, Sylvia Rogers, Lionel Muir, Norah Grey. Please let the Parish Office know if you would like a name added.

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



**More money counters needed at**

**OLOL Church:** We need more volunteers, on rotation (one pair each week), to do weekly money counting. It is mostly notes so takes maximum 1 hour. Full training will be given. Please see Carmel Stevenson in the Parish Office or send an e-mail to [rottingdean@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:rottingdean@abdiocese.org.uk). Thank you very much.



**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 course has now started but it is not too late to join. If

anyone is interested in becoming a Catholic and learning more about the faith, please contact the office for further information. Sr. Sheema is running the course this year.



**Winners of the October 100 Plus Club**

**Draw are:** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize - £25 Pat Peers, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - £15 Mrs. B. Byrne, 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - £10

Liz Hopkin. Winnings will be available for collection from the Sacristy next weekend.



**Advance Notice: The St. Patrick's Line Dance**

is back on **Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> November**. More details to come. Don't miss it!! Frances



**One month to stop assisted suicide!**

The most vulnerable in our society are at risk. MPs will vote on whether to introduce an

extreme assisted suicide law on 29<sup>th</sup> November. To protect the vulnerable from this radical law change, contact your MP and ask them to vote NO. Take action now - it only takes 30 seconds to contact your MP using the tool here: [www.righttolife.org.uk/mpcontactnow](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/mpcontactnow)



**St. Patrick's Film Club:** Our next screening is on **Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> November** at our winter time of 2pm.

All welcome as ever. Free, but donations gratefully received. Refreshments available. Film is one set in Sussex with a great cast. Please support this undertaking. Grateful thanks to the volunteer helpers. We will be open again on **2<sup>nd</sup> December** for our Christmas film, and some tea and cakes for you to enjoy. There will be an extra showing on **16<sup>th</sup> December** entitled 'Bygone times in Brighton and Hove'. Wonderful, restored film with Peter Sellars and others. Local scenes from the 50's!



**Traditional Christmas Afternoon**

**Tea.** Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 3.00pm in OLOL Church Hall, parish fun and fundraising Afternoon Tea.

Only 50 tickets available. £15 per ticket. Dress code - Christmas Jumpers. Tickets available from OLOL kitchen. Can also be paid for on DONA.



**OLOL Grand Christmas Draw:**

Prizes worth £500! Tickets £2 each. Draw will take place on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2024 after Mass. Prizes listed in OLOL Church Hall.



**Eucharistic Healing Service:**

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** from 3pm to 4.15pm at St Mary Magdalen, Upper North Street, Brighton BN1

3FH (parking available on school playground off Spring Street). A time of prayer, reflection and music. Praying for the healing of our families, for those we know in need and for ourselves. All welcome.



**Mental Health Awareness Seminar:**

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November** 10am, Crawley, focused on being able to identify the early symptoms, and

warning signs, of mental ill health in those around you. Attendees will also learn how to signpost people to resources, networks, and appropriate medical professionals. To book your place, scan the QR code or visit the events page of the Diocesan website.

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