



## Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea

*Serving Southwick, Portslade,  
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### Upcoming Events

◆ **Sunday 2nd July, 3pm, Arundel Cathedral:**

**Deanery Confirmation Mass.** Please keep the  
candidates in your prayers.

The newly confirmed will have their certificates  
presented to them the following Sunday at St George's

◆ **Sunday 16th July, 11:30am, St George's:**

**School Leavers Mass and Fr Tony's 30th Anniversary of  
Ordination,** followed by a parish lunch.

*NB. No morning Mass at St Theresa's that day.*

**18th June 2023: 11th Sunday of Year A  
Weekdays: 11th Week in Ordinary time, Year: A(I)**

### Fr Tony Writes



Last Saturday I had the privilege of participating in the ordination Mass of seven deacons who will go on to be ordained priest next year. Two of them are from our diocese: Gustavo Campanelo (far left) and Eddie Hopkins (next to Gustavo). It is wonderful that we will have two new priests for our diocese in the coming year, but it still remains the case that, "the harvest is great but the labourers are few". But while we certainly must pray for "more labourers" we can be tempted to think that the labourers are just the clergy. In fact we are all called to service in the Lord's harvest, and it is through a culture of understanding our Christian lives as lives of service and self-giving in imitation of Christ that more will respond by giving their lives to God in the ministerial priesthood.



Last week I wrote about the Eucharist, and I mentioned that we hope to re-introduce communion under both kinds reasonably soon. Following that we had a Pastoral Team

meeting this week, and decided to re-introduce it at weekday masses immediately (as long as there is a Minister of Holy Communion present). To re-introduce it at Sunday Masses we will need to be sure we have enough ministers to have a rota. Some will also need commissioning or recommissioning. Trying to do that over the summer is not really an option, but we hope to start early in the Autumn term.

A reminder that while the chances of passing on infections—especially respiratory infections—through the chalice is very low, nevertheless if you have a cold or other infectious illness please refrain from receiving from the chalice.



**On Monday I am going away for my annual retreat.** I am off to St Beuno's in North Wales once again. I will, of course, keep the parish in my prayers, and ask you to keep me in your prayers. Fr Paull will be looking after the Masses in my absence.

## Please Pray For...

All who are sick in the parish, particularly Tom Hulse, Elizabeth Hopkins, Peter Rolph, Cheryl Evans, Julie Laker and Terry Phipps. Those on our regular prayer list including: Eileen Kipling, Eileen McLoughlin, Joyce Monasingh, Chris and Vince Neal, Maria Parente and Jean Ryan.

Please also pray for those who have died recently especially, Michael Wilkinson.

A full list of sick parishioners can be found on the parish website, as well as those whose anniversaries occur this month.



This week we are most in need of:

- Jars of curry sauce**
- Noodles**
- Rice pudding**
- Savoury snacks e.g. crisps**
- Squash**
- Tinned vegetarian meals**

Donations may be brought to the hall on Wednesdays 10:30—11:45am, or dropped into the boxes at the back of either church. Thank you for your continued support.

## St Vincent de Paul Society

The next SVP meeting for existing members, will be on Monday 26th June, 6:30pm at St Theresa's.



## Morning & Evening Prayer

**Starting Saturday 2nd September 2023**

Saturdays at St Theresa's, Evening Prayer at 5pm (said).

Sundays at St Theresa's, Morning Prayer at 08:30am (sung).

There are a limited number of books available for use, but should you have a smart phone or iPad then I recommend the App: <https://universalis.com/>

## Weekly Timetable

<b>Saturday 17th June</b> <i>Immaculate Heart of Mary</i>	4:45— 5:15pm Confessions 5:30pm Mass, St Theresa's 6:30pm Altar Servers Introduction, St Theresa's	<i>All Parishioners</i>
<b>Sunday 18th June</b> <i>11th Sunday in ordinary time</i>	9am Mass, St Theresa's with Children's liturgy 11am Mass, St George's	<i>Tony Rodrigues RIP</i>  <i>All Fathers</i>
<b>Tuesday 20th June</b>	10am Mass, St George's	<i>Giuseppi Terassi RIP</i>
<b>Wed 21st June</b> <i>St Aloysius Gonzaga</i>	6:30pm, Music Practice, St George's 7:30pm Mass, St Theresa's Adoration to 8:30pm	
<b>Thursday 22nd June</b> <i>Sts John Fisher &amp; Thomas More</i>	10am Mass, St George's 7:30pm Choir Practice, St Theresa's	
<b>Friday 23rd June</b>	10am Mass, St Theresa's	
<b>Saturday 24th June</b> <i>Birth of St John the Baptist</i>	4:45— 5:15pm Confessions 5:30pm Mass, St Theresa's	
<b>Sunday 25th June</b> <i>12th Sunday in ordinary time</i>	9am Mass, St Theresa's with Children's liturgy 11am Mass, St George's	

## Altar Servers

We would like to re-introduce altar servers at our Masses, particularly at the weekend.

To that end there will be an **Information and Sign-up Session at 6:30pm this Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> June at St Theresa's**. Any child who has made their First Holy

Communion is eligible to be an altar server.

NB. For this meeting the children need to come with a parent or guardian. If there are any former altar servers out there, of any age, who would like to lend a hand, do come along also!

**There will be refreshments! (Of course!!)**



## Fr Tony's 30th Anniversary

As you know, Fr Tony's 30th Anniversary of Ordination is coming up and we will be marking the occasion as a parish on **Sunday 16th July**. We will also be celebrating the Year 6 School Leavers from St Mary's at that Mass. Please note that there will only be **ONE MASS** that Sunday, which will be at **St George's at 11:30am**, followed by a parish lunch and celebration in the parish hall. All are welcome, more details to follow in the coming weeks.

**Special Collections:** This weekend's second collection is for: **Day for Life**.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY**