



Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea

*Serving Southwick, Portslade,
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Missio Red Boxes

If you have a red box that has not been emptied recently or you would like it emptied, please could you bring it to Moira at St Theresa's or Patricia at St George's. Please remember to make sure your name is on it and a contact number. If you need your red box to be collected from you, please contact the Parish Office to leave your details. Thank you. Visit missio.org.uk

November

This is the month in which we pray for the dead in a particular way. The envelopes for putting the names of those you would like to be prayed for are available in the churches, and will be placed in a basket in front of the altar at every Mass. Any Mass this month without a particular intention will be offered for the Holy Souls.

In addition we will have a special parish Mass for the Holy Souls at the 7pm Mass on Wednesday 27th November at St Theresa's. We will remember in particular those who have died in the past year. If there is anyone who has died since last November, either a parishioner or a relative, that you would like to be remembered, do contact the parish office, E: westhove@abdiocese.org.uk.

24th November 2024: Christ The King, Yr B

Weekdays: Week 34 Year II

Youth Sunday

Fr Tony writes

Next Sunday is 'all change'! With Advent begins a new liturgical year. And with that comes our new lectionary, and also a new newsletter. We are combining newsletters with St Peter's and Sacred Heart. Change is always a bit challenging, but it can also help us see things in new ways. I hope and pray that it will widen our vision and deepen our understanding of our mission as the Church here where we live and worship.

Bishop Richard writes

With the publication of the "Assisted Dying Bill" to be debated on the 29th of November, I ask each and every one of you to pray earnestly that the dignity of human life is respected from the moment of conception to natural death - and to write to your MPs, asking that they vote against the Bill.

To see the full text go to www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/bishop. For more information see www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide. Also of interest: notdeadyetuk.co.uk and righttolife.org.uk. The time of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament after Mass this Friday 29th November will be extended, so we may pray as the Bill is debated in parliament.

Benedictine Introductions to Advent

Worth Abbey 7th December

We hope you can join us for this enriching opportunity to engage with the insights of our monastic community.

On Saturday, 7th December, Fr David Jarmy will present "Longing for God," focusing on deepening our awareness of our unity with God in Christ through Scripture and the writings of Christian mystics.

We begin with registration and refreshments at 10:30am in the Abbey Church.

After the talk, you are warmly invited to stay and attend Midday Prayer at 1pm, with the Monastic Community, followed by a light lunch.

Please RSVP if you would like to join us, indicating whether you would like to stay for lunch, which will incur a small charge of £5.

Hands on with the New Lectionary

A session for readers, sacristans, and anyone interested

Saturday 30th November, 10am -12:15pm, St Theresa's

- 10:00 **Finding our way around:**
The arrangement of the lectionary in relationship to the liturgical year
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:15 **Proclaiming the New Translation:**
practice at reading the new texts
- 12:15 Final prayer and close

FIRST READING

The Lord gathers a

A reading from

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Special Collections 2024

Sunday 24th November — Arundel Cathedral Maintenance
During the Christmas Season — Catholic Children's Society

Please Pray For...

All who are sick in the parish, particularly:

Margaret Guy, Michael Dixon, Sally Harvey, and Lucy.

Those on our regular prayer list including:

**Florence Davis, Kathleen Davis, Paddy Dixon,
Cheryl Evans, and Margaret Gilligan.**

Those who have died recently especially:

David Booker and Mahen Fernando.

As well as those whose anniversaries occur this month.

A full list of sick parishioners, and anniversaries can be found on the parish website.

Michael Dixon is very unwell and is now in Romans care home, Southwick, should anyone want to visit him.

Margaret Guy (who used to attend our Saturday evening Mass) is in the Princess Royal Hospital in Haywards Heath. She will probably be in there for the next five weeks to recover from hip replacement surgery. If anyone would like to visit her, please call Twineham Ward on 01444 448735 beforehand, to check she is well enough for visitors, we are sure she would appreciate anyone who would like to visit.

Vespers for the Solemnity of Christ the King

Sunday 24th November, 5pm, in St John the Baptist's Church, Kemptown, BN2 1AP. You are invited to join the *Monks in the City* and the Abbot of Worth in a celebration of Vespers, followed by light refreshments.

St Mary's Christmas Fair

Thursday 5th December, 3:10pm – 5pm

The school would like the parish to run a mince pie and cake stall. We need cakes and mince pie donations please, there will be donation boxes at both churches. We also need at least four volunteers to run the stall please.

Contact Charlotte if you would like to volunteer.

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Weekly Timetable

Sat 23rd Nov	6pm Mass, St Peter's	
Sunday 24th Nov <i>Christ the King</i> Youth Sunday	9am Mass, St Theresa's with Children's Liturgy 11am Mass, St George's	<i>Winifred Wilde ints</i> <i>Deceased Family of</i> <i>Cora & Brian Owen</i>
Tues 26th Nov	10am Mass, St George's followed by Tea & Chat	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Wed 27th Nov	7pm Mass, St Theresa's	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Thurs 28th Nov	10am Mass, St George's followed by Adoration	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Fri 29th Nov	10am Mass, St Theresa's followed by Adoration to 11:15am. Pray for our MPs debating assisted suicide.	<i>In thanksgiving for</i> <i>50 years</i>
Sat 30th Nov	6pm Mass, St Peter's	
Sunday 1st Dec <i>1st Sunday of</i> <i>Advent, Yr. C</i>	9am Mass, St Theresa's with Children's Liturgy 11am Mass, St George's	<i>Mary Sumner RIP</i> <i>Kathleen 'Kitty'</i> <i>McKenzie RIP</i>

We continue to pray for the people of Ukraine. More info:
cbcew.org.uk/category/cbcew/international/countries/ukraine/

This week the foodbank needs:

**6 packs of Crisps or other Savoury Snacks;
Chocolate Cereal; Chocolate Spread; Disposable Razors;
Orange Squash; Sweet Snacks**

We currently have plenty of pasta, baked beans and tea, so please do not buy us these.

Donations may be dropped into the boxes at the back of either of our churches, these are delivered to the food bank weekly.

Thank you.



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fliers in church);

from Fr Paul;
or on the door