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*Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the hour of battle,
be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil*

TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

24/25 AUGUST 2024

Mass Times and Intentions for the week:

Saturday	6.00pm	People of the Parish	St Bartholomew, Apostle
Sunday	9.30am	Tim McEwan & Robin RIP	<i>Please join us for coffee after Mass</i>
Monday	9.30am	Nora Montes RIP	
Tuesday	9.30am	Holy Communion Service	St Monica
Wednesday	9.30am	Private Intention	St Augustine, Bishop, Doctor
Thursday	9.30am 10-11am	Michael Remorino RIP Adoration	The Passion of St John the Baptist
Friday	9.30am	Holy Souls	
Saturday	6.00pm	People of the Parish	

Reconciliation: Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm, Wednesday after Mass and on request.

Please pray for parishioners and loved ones who are sick: Tony Holley, Jon Webb, Peter T, Deirdre Hussey, Tim & Claire Key, Geoffrey Clark, Irene McGeown, David Jarman, Edwin Alphonso, Brian Johnstone, Sue Dixon, Susan B, Cathy H, Sarah McDonald, Michael Lambe, Anthony Stone, Antoinette McLaughlin, Robert Gibson, Lucie Elliott, Leslie Sarcoe, Joan Nixon, Pat Fitzpatrick, Seamus Lardner, Peter Goldsworthy, Anne Jewson, Simon Moora, David McDonald, Joan Worthington, Mary Wilson, Janet Stephens, Terry Kilgallon.



For those who have died recently: Michael Remorino, Nora Montes, John McGrath, Gareth E Owen, Peter Bone, Tim McEwan, Craig Gould, Rob Dwight, Fr Laurence Quin-Morris, Jonny Swift, Deacon Bob Mason, **and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Stella Dymow, Ivy Devereux, Noreen Moore, Jack Moore, Dorothy Harmes, Erik Harmes, Gloria Atkinson, Rex Atkinson, Christopher Clark, Margaret Kelly, John Fitzgerald O'Kane, Sylvia Burton, Doris Maisey, Maria Baker, Sid Marshall.

Thank you for your generosity last weekend

LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

Our weekend Masses and the Tuesday Holy Communion Service are being Live Streamed and Recorded. These are available for 7 days on our YouTube channel [St Michael's Catholic Church Worthing](#). Please note that you will appear in the live stream/recording if you are serving on or stand on the sanctuary/altar at any time or sit in the benches behind the reader's lectern. Please ensure you give consent for any children visible in the recording by signing a parental consent form which can be found in the entrance foyer and on our [website](#). Please hand completed forms to Father Chris.

WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

We have a car park at the rear of our church which you are encouraged to use, to keep good traffic access in Hayling Rise for our neighbours, buses, and emergency vehicles. Please keep visibility on our driveway clear by not parking close to the entrance either on the driveway or on Hayling Rise. Thank you.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Our Parish Safeguarding Representative advises that, in accordance with Diocesan guidelines, until we have DBS checked volunteers to run Children's Liturgy, then a **parent/guardian must attend with their child** and ensure they take responsibility for them during that time. Any parishioners who would like to join the liturgy rota, please speak to Fr Chris.

NEW TRANSLATION OF MASS READINGS

From Advent 2024 the Bishops of England & Wales require all parishes to use a new translation of the readings at Mass. The parish will have to purchase a new set of books of the readings known as the Lectionary and a new Book of the Gospels. The new Lectionary will be in 4 Volumes. The cost of each volume is £150. The cost of the Book of the Gospels is £335. If anyone would wish to buy a volume of the Lectionary or the Book of the Gospels, then a dedication can be included in whichever item you give the donation for. Otherwise, any donation you make, however, big or small will be greatly appreciated. Don't forget to gift aid any donation. You can donate online, via the Dona machine by selecting 'New Lectionary' or with a cheque made out to St Michael's. Many thanks in advance for your generosity.

DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE - DIVINE MERCY REFLECTION

Saturday 31 August, 1 pm to 4.30 pm at Arundel Cathedral

The Reflection will include the Holy Rosary, teachings on the Message of Mercy, Stations of the Cross, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. There is no need to book - all are welcome, to find out more please call Millie M: 07957594646. See poster on Noticeboard for more information.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC

We invite all those adults wishing to be baptised, received or confirmed in the Catholic Church to a gathering on **Saturday 14 September** at 11am, in the hall, to find out what is involved in the process leading up to Easter next year. It will also be a chance to meet some of those who were baptised or received in the last couple of years to speak with them about their experience. All welcome. To book and for more information contact Deacon Mark: 07528 438042, mark.woods@abdiocese.org.uk

'WHERE PATHS CONVERGE'

A DAY OF REFLECTION ON OUR CHRISTIAN JOURNEY

Saturday 14th September, 10am–4pm, St Peter's, High Salvington

A day for adults of all ages - busy working people particularly welcome! An opportunity to listen, explore and spend some time reflecting on our personal journey. Refreshments provided but please bring a packed lunch - there is no charge.

With contributors from All Saints Findon Valley with St Peter's High Salvington, Findon Valley Free Church and St Michael's High Salvington. For more information or to book contact Neville Barrie at nb.rust@yahoo.com or via St Michael's Parish Office.

ST MICHAEL'S MEN - BREAKFAST

All men of the parish are warmly invited for a full English breakfast in the Hall on **7th September**, 8.30am for a 9am sit down. If you would like to come along please contact me on 01903 859701 or 07584 733049 or by email richard.mcguire79@yahoo.co.uk.

ENGLISH MARTYRS PRIMARY SCHOOL FUNDRAISING EVENT

'BEAT THE TV QUIZMASTER'

Friday 27th September, 7.30pm, School Hall

Pre-booking essential at www.trybooking.com/uk £5 per person, plus small booking fee. Teams of 2 to 8 or join with others on the night. Bring your own sweet or savoury treats.

For more information contact Andrew Harvey, 07736 930849 aharvey@englishmartyrs.school

DIARY DATE – FEAST OF ST MICHAEL & ARCHANGELS

On the weekend of 28th/29th September we will be bringing the parish community together for just one weekend Mass, at **11am Sunday 29th September**, to celebrate our Parish Feast Day of St Michael, St Gabriel and St Raphael, followed by a shared lunch in the Hall.



SVP - WORTHING FOOD BANK

Our collection this week and continuing until the end of August is for our parishioners in need. Please see the list of food/other items which can be found in the perspex holder on our display. Once again thank you for your generous support. Donations are to be placed in the collection box which can be found at the base of our display in the foyer.

RETREAT DAY - Wednesday 2 October

Sussex Heritage and Retreat Centre, Arundel, BN18 9QY

'Day by Day, a day looking at a variety of ways we might use the Ignatian 'Examen' to deepen our daily walk with God'. Led by Roger Hagon, an experienced spiritual director and retreat leader. From 10am to 4pm, please bring a packed lunch. Cost £15. To book please phone Maria on 07413 267267 or email info@sussexheritage.co.uk

ANIMAL BLESSING SERVICE

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. No need to book. Tea will be available at the Cathedral Centre after the service.

CATHOLIC SINGLES – GAMES NIGHT WITH A DIFFERENCE!

Saturday 5 October 7.30 to 11pm in Crawley

The Diocese is hosting a singles event for young adults (20-40 somethings) where you can meet like-minded people, chat and mingle over food, and play some giant games to break the ice! Booking required E: lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk for more details. See poster on noticeboard for more information.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP YOUNG PEOPLE BE MORE ENGAGED?

Saturday 12 October 11am to 3pm in Crawley

The Diocesan Youth Adviser is hosting a taster session to help you explore what might be possible in your community. We will explore some practical steps that any Parish can take to help enable more young people to grow in faith. E: lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk for more information. See poster on noticeboard.

ALTAR SERVERS' MASS

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; E: aaron.spinelli@abdiocese.org.uk See poster on noticeboard for more information.

BUILDING RESTORATION WORK

The first phase of restoration work is completed. For an update on what's been happening and what has yet to be done please see our [website](#) for a note from Fr Chris and the Parish Finance Committee. Donations to 'Building Restoration' are very welcome. These can be gift aided by either using the "one off" white envelopes in the porch or registering for gift aid on the Digital Collection Plate (DONA contactless terminal) in the foyer or via our website.

GOLDEN EGG

Our June Golden Egg winner of £50.00 is Simone U. Many thanks for all your continued support. Prize money is £50.00 each month and £100 three times per year. All proceeds help the church funds. Please ring me if you have any questions – Sheila Padwick 01903 600071

RETIRING COLLECTION

No retiring collection this weekend or next weekend.