St Michael's Parish

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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 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7/8 SEPTEMBER 2024

Mass Times and Intentions for the week:

Saturday	6.00pm	Katie Leahy RIP	
Sunday	9.30am	Private Intention for Healing	Education Sunday
			Please join us for coffee after Mass
Monday	9.30am	John Woods RIP (MW)	
Tuesday	9.30am	Holy Communion Service	
Wednesday	9.30am	Private Intention	
Thursday	9.30am	Shirley Olivier	
	10-11am	Adoration	
Friday	9.30am	John McGrath RIP	St John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor
Saturday	6.00pm	Richard Peskett RIP (R&U P)	Exaltation of the Holy Cross

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

Please pray for parishioners and loved ones who are sick: T L Mallillin, John Moore, Catherine Arnold, Tony Holley, Jon Webb, Peter T, Deirdre Hussey, Tim & Claire Key, Geoffrey Clark, Irene McGeown, David Jarman, 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: Edwin Alphonso, Michael Remorino, Nora Montes, John McGrath, Gareth E Owen, Peter Bone, Tim McEwan, Craig Gould, Rob Dwight, Fr Laurence Quin-Morris, Jonny Swift, and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Richard Peskett, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, Kevin Robinson, John Woods, Bryan Bathelor, Ken Scurry, Jesus Latoy, Merlita Latoy, Desmond Gaffney, Michael Woods, Ann Keene, Elliot Moyse, Madeleine McGrath.

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.

JUBILEE YEAR 2025

The beginning of the Holy Year, the Jubilee Year 2025, the theme "Pilgrims of Hope", is being marked by the celebration of Mass in every Cathedral Church in the world on December 29th. Bishop Richard will be celebrating this Holy Year Mass at the Cathedral at 10.45am on the 29th December.

DIARY DATE - FEAST OF ST MICHAEL & ARCHANGELS

On the weekend of 28th/29th September we are planning for the celebration of our Parish Feast Day of St Michael, St Gabriel and St Raphael, to bring together our parish community for the one weekend Mass, **at 11am on Sunday 29th September**, followed by a shared Celebratory Lunch in the Hall. Please sign up on the list for the shared lunch and on the list for some help to prepare the Hall.

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.

SEASON OF CREATION

The Catholic Church celebrates from 1st September (World day of prayer for the Care of Creation) to the 4^{th of} October(Feast of St Francis of Assisi) with Christians around the world the Season Of Creation. This year's theme is, "To hope and act with Creation" (https://columbans.co.uk/filter/season-of-creation/).

As part of this Season on **Tuesday 17th September** there will be a Laudato Si (Pope's Letter on Creation) evening as part of the Season of Care of Creation 19:30hrs at St Peters Church Hall, Shoreham. All are welcome.

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

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.

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.

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES MASS Saturday 12 October 11.30am, Arundel Cathedral

Bishop Richard will celebrate Mass followed by a drinks reception. Please join us for a wonderful opportunity to renew your wedding. To book your place please use the attached link Marriage Anniversaries Mass (12-Oct-2024) · ChurchSuite Events or book through the Diocesan website.

GRANDPARENTS' FORMATION DAY – WEDNESDAY 6 NOVEMBER 11AM AT THE ST PHILIP HOWARD CENTRE, CRAWLEY

Come along for a day with Becky Sedgewick, author of the inspiring 'Grandparenting for Faith' book. Refreshments from 10.15am. Please bring a packed lunch. To book your place please use the attached link <u>Grandparents' Formation Day (06-Nov-2024)</u> · ChurchSuite Events

EDWIN ALPHONSO REST IN PEACE

We continue to remember and to pray so specially for Edwin and also so specially for Edwin's family. Edwin's funeral Mass has been planned for Tuesday 17th of September at 10.15am. Eternal rest grant to Edwin and let perpetual light shine upon him and may his dear soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of the Lord.

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. 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.

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.

RETIRING COLLECTION

No retiring collection this weekend. Next weekend the collection is for Home Missions.