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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 NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

19/20 OCTOBER 2024

Mass Times and Intentions for the week:

Saturday	6.00pm	Pat & Miriam Byrne Golden Wedding (AJ)	St Philip Howard, Martyr, Patron of the Diocese
Sunday	9.30am	Anne O'Halloran RIP (DOH)	World Mission Day <i>Please join us for our coffee after Mass</i>
Monday	9.30am	No Mass today	
Tuesday	9.30am	Holy Communion Service	
Wednesday	9.30am	No Mass today	<i>Rosary after 9.30am Mass</i>
Thursday	9.30am 10-11am	No Mass today Adoration	
Friday	9.30am	No Mass today	
Saturday	6.00pm	Jennifer Irene Mary Peskett RIP (R&UP)	

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

Please pray for parishioners and loved ones who are sick: Rose DeMello, Anna Thompson, Mike and Jess Donlevy, C S Reynolds, T L Mallillin, 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: Carol Shaw, John Moore, Catherine Arnold, Joan Cox, Edwin Alphonso, Nora Montes, John McGrath, Gareth E Owen, Tim McEwan, **and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Ernest Wilson, Michael Murphy, Doreen Aveyard, Tony Scordoulis, Leonard Webb, Anne O'Halloran, Pauline Forster, Rose Finlay, Peter Richards, Robert Robb, Lucas & Duarte family, Alex Duncan, Amelia Bambridge, Malcolm Pelling, Alan Jarman, Mary Ryan, Harry Jewson, Jane McCormack, Paul Kavanagh, Joan Dorrian, Marie Leaker.

Thank you for your generosity last weekend

2nd Coll(Prisons Sunday): £161.50 RTU: £55

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.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - Sunday 20 October

Today, parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, we stand united as God's global family, in prayer, solidarity, and action. We are called to 'go and invite everyone to the banquet' for the joy of Christ's Resurrection is a gift meant to be shared with the entire world. Please pray for missionaries and give what you can to this vital collection, bringing God's compassion, peace, and justice to those in need. To donate, use the Missio envelope, call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit missio.org.uk to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit, and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

If your child is in Year 3 or above and would like to make their First Holy Communion next year at the 11am Mass on Sunday 22nd June, please would you email your details to the Parish Office, and we will be in touch when our programme is finalised.

CONFIRMATION 2025

If you are in Year 10 or above and would like to be Confirmed next year in Arundel Cathedral, please would you email your details to the Parish Office and we will be in touch, as we begin to prepare the programme for next year.

FR CHRIS

Just to let you know that I have some day surgery at Worthing Hospital on Monday, (some plumbing!) and to give my apologies for the weekday Masses next week. Fr Dominic is kindly supplying for the weekend of **26th/27th October**. The following weekend **2nd/3rd November** I'm away to Rome for the Jubilarian Celebrations of Priesthood with a group of about 50, and Fr Dominic is again kindly supplying for our weekend Masses.

EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION

Exposition and Benediction next **Sunday 27th October**, 4-5pm.

MASS FOR THE HOLY SOULS AND BLESSING OF GRAVES

Following Mass for the Holy Souls at 10am at St Michael's, High Salvington, Deacon Mark will be blessing graves in Durrington Cemetery from 11am on **Saturday 2nd November**, the Feast of the Holy Souls. If you would like a grave of a loved one blessed please either let Deacon Mark know the person and where it is in the cemetery or join him at Mill Lane entrance nearest to St Michael's. You are also very welcome to join us for Mass to remember and pray for your deceased family and friends.

MAKING SENSE OF THE PASTORAL PLAN

As a deanery family, we are invited, by Bishop Richard, to prepare for a future when we will be one large parish (referred to as a "moderated parish"); a community of communities, if you will. We are all wondering what this might mean. How does the future look, and what implications are there for each existing parish within the current deanery? We will be asking members from our Parish Pastoral Council, as well as our Finance Teams, Parish Prayer and Scripture Groups, and St Vincent De Paul Teams, to open up discussions around how we are feeling, and to raise thoughts, ideas, and questions (and possible solutions!) to a meeting at **St Michael's, High**

Salvington on Thursday 14th November at 7.00pm for the gathering (which will finish at 8.30pm or earlier). Tentatively, and in a spirit of unity, we will explore together how we are hoping to engage with this journey. Please discuss finer details of attendance with your own parish clergy. *Fr Terry Martin, Dean (Worthing Deanery).*

SVP APPEAL

Next weekend we are holding our **Christmas Hamper Appeal**. This will take the form of a second collection.

The SVP offers friendship & practical help to those in need - whoever they are & whatever the need. You may be housebound, simply need someone to chat to or need help with a small task. You may have a crisis where a little help with the cost of something essential could make a big difference. You may need advice. If we can't provide the particular help you are looking for we will try to find someone who can. For SVP help, or if you are thinking of joining us, please talk to one of us after Mass on the Appeal weekend or contact Father Chris or our SVP Conference President Sheila Padwick: Email: PresidentA010406@svp.org.uk Thanks for your continued support.

SVP 'AS NEW' CHILDREN'S BOOK SALE 2/3 NOVEMBER

(Age range: infant – 12 years) Proceeds to Christmas Hampers.

We are holding an AS NEW but used Children's Book Sale in the Parish Hall on **2/3 November**. Ideal to stock up on Christmas presents for stockings etc! There are various titles suitable for the above age group. We would be grateful if anyone has books that are in a very good condition and that their children have outgrown, to place these in the box next to the SVP bookcase by the Day Chapel. Thank you. Christina, SVP

PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Our very popular Christmas Bazaar will be held in the church hall on **Saturday 23rd November**, 11am until 2pm. The Christmas Raffle Tickets will be on sale from this weekend at both Masses. Tickets are £5 for a book of five or £1 per ticket. Donations of bottles for the bottle stall and good items for sale on our 'Good as New' stall (no bric a brac please) would be much appreciated. These may be put in the box provided in the church foyer. Also we need wrapped cakes for our cake stall, on the day. Many thanks for your continuing generosity. All proceeds from the Bazaar go to Church Projects.

KEYHOLDERS

New keys have been issued over the last week to keyholders. Please contact the Parish Office if:

- you are a keyholder and have not been given your new key,
- you, or a family member, are holding any keys for the Parish that have not been issued to you personally,
- you hold keys that are no longer used.

GOLDEN EGG

Our September Golden Egg winner of £50 is Christina S. Many thanks for all for your continued support. Prize money is £50.00 each month and £100 three times per year. All proceeds help the church funds. We are always looking for new members, you can join by £1 per month or yearly, standing orders, cash in envelope marked Golden Egg. Please leave a note in my pigeon hole if you have any questions – Katharine R

RETIRING COLLECTION

This weekend the retiring collection is for Missio. Gift Aid envelopes from the charity are available. Next weekend the SVP will be making their Christmas Hamper Appeal.