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Jesus Prince of Peace
Catholic Communities of
**SACRED HEART OF JESUS
& ST. PETER THE APOSTLE****

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www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/parish/sacred-heart-of-jesus-and-st-peter-the-apostle-waterlooville/

Livestreaming at Sacred Heart:

www.youtube.com/@sacredheartcwaterlooville

St. Edmund Website:

www.stedmundhorndean.org.uk

Livestreaming at St Edmund:

www.youtube.com/@stedmundhorndean4491/streams

St. Michael Webpage:

www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/parish/st-michael-and-all-angels-leigh-park/

Livestreaming at St. Michael:

www.youtube.com/@parishofstmichaelsleighpar9903/streams



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 5 JULY 2026

Pope Leo XIV on the importance of Almsgiving, as we continue our reflections on the responsible and God-centred use of money:

Our love and our deepest convictions need to be continually cultivated, and we do so through our concrete actions. Remaining in the realm of ideas and theories, while failing to give them expression through frequent and practical acts of charity, will eventually cause even our most cherished hopes and aspirations to weaken and fade away. For this very reason, we Christians must not abandon almsgiving. It can be done in different ways, and surely more effectively, but it must continue to be done. It is always better at least to do something rather than nothing. Whatever form it may take, almsgiving will touch and soften our hardened hearts. It will not solve the problem of world poverty, yet it must still be carried out, with intelligence, diligence and social responsibility. For our part, we need to give alms as a way of reaching out and touching the suffering flesh of the poor.

Christian love breaks down every barrier, brings close those who were distant, unites strangers, and reconciles enemies. It spans chasms that are humanly impossible to bridge, and it penetrates to the most hidden crevices of society. By its very nature, Christian love is prophetic: it works miracles and knows no limits. It makes what was apparently impossible happen. Love is above all a way of looking at life and a way of living it. A Church that sets no limits to love, that knows no enemies to fight but only men and women to love, is the Church that the world needs today.

From his Apostolic Exhortation *Dilexi Te*

Fr. James writes... Our Parish, Our Responsibility

Dear friends,

"For which of you, desiring to build a tower, does not first sit down and count the cost, whether he has enough to complete it?" Luke 14:28

Last week our parish embarked on the Renewing our parish commitment initiative. Over the coming weeks, we ask all parishioners to take this opportunity to prayerfully reflect on their commitment to our parish. Everyone should consider giving something, mindful of their blessings and circumstances.

This weekend, we shall hear more about Planned Giving and Stewardship; including why our parish needs financial support to cover our costs and secure our future.

Our goal is to receive an informed decision from everyone in the parish. At the end of Mass, you will be given a 'Renewing our parish commitment' information pack. Please read this information carefully. This will enable our parish to plan ahead for the future with confidence.

If you have any questions, there will be volunteers available after Mass today.

Thank you.

LITURGICAL WEEK

DATE	TIME	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	VENUE	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 4 July Our Lady on Saturday Vigil 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11.30am 12noon 5-6pm 6.15pm	Adoration & Confession Mass Holy Hour & Confession Mass	St Michael St Michael Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	For the Parish Amy Collins, RIP
Sunday 5 July FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9am 9.30am 11am 11.15am 4pm 5.30pm	Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass	St Edmund St Michael Sacred Heart St Patrick QA Hospital Chapel Sacred Heart	For John Sleet 80th birthday Philomena McEntee, RIP Dec'd members of Wilson family People of the Parish
Monday 6 July Feria [14 th Week in Ordinary Time]	7am 7.30am 10.15am 12.30pm	Mass Holy Hour Mass Mass	Sacred Heart Sacred Heart St Michael QA Hospital Chapel	Holy Souls Rev. Fr. Kevin Bidgood, RIP
Tuesday 7 July Feria [14 th Week in Ordinary Time]	7.30am 6pm 6.30pm	Holy Hour Adoration Mass	Sacred Heart St Edmund St Edmund	Young & Ryder Family & Friends
Wednesday 8 July Feria [14 th Week in Ordinary Time]	7.30am 10.15am 11.30am 12noon 7.30pm	Holy Hour Mass followed by Adoration Adoration Mass Mass	Sacred Heart St Michael St Michael Sacred Heart Sacred Heart St Patrick	For Vocations David Stretton, RIP
Thursday 9 July Feria [14 th Week in Ordinary Time]	7.30am 9.30am 10am	Holy Hour Adoration Mass	Sacred Heart Adoration St Edmund	Repose of Veronica & Séan McNamara, their daughter Veronica Mulcahy & for Fidelma Sherlock
Friday 10 July Feria [14 th Week in Ordinary Time]	7.30am 12noon	Holy Hour Mass	Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	Holy Souls
Saturday 11 July ST BENEDICT, Founder, Patron of Europe, feast Vigil 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11.30am 12noon 5-6pm 6.15pm	Adoration & Confession Mass Holy Hour & Confession Mass	St Michael St Michael Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	Adrian and Kathy People of the Parish
Sunday 12 July FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9am 9.30am 11am 11.15am 4pm 5.30pm	Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass	St Edmund St Michael Sacred Heart St Patrick QA Hospital Chapel Sacred Heart	Special Intention of T Barnett for Stephanie, RIP Pam Ramsey RIP Muriel Hiney, RIP Damian Whitfield, RIP

Happy 60th Birthday to Sacred Heart parishioner, Andrew Coutanche!!!

WHAT'S GOING ON THIS WEEK...

DATE	EVENT	TIME	VENUE
Saturday 4 July	Pre-Loved Clothes Sale Clothing for everyone: women, men, children & infants. Pay whatever you can afford – This is not a fundraising event, all donations go to our 'Care in the Community' fund.	First Saturday of the month 2-4pm	Sacred Heart Parish Centre
Monday 6 July	Team Clean Remember that Cleanliness is next to Godliness. Why not join the 'Team Clean' to ensure His house is always clean and tidy. Give it a try - the Team are very friendly bunch.	9-10am	Sacred Heart Church
	Rosary Group	10am	St Michael
	Romans A course to open up the story of the meaning of the letters from St Paul to the Romans and how it applies to us in 2026.	6.50pm	Sacred Heart Narthex
Tuesday 7 July	Rosary Group All welcome to join our weekly Rosary Group, just pop along!	6.45pm	Sacred Heart Church
	Bible Timeline Each session will have a video, discussion and question time. Please do come along! Kathy Collins will be hosting kathycollins1@gmail.com	10.15am	St Michael Committee Room
	The Tuesday Club If you have never attended before but fancy turning up for a cuppa and a chat, just come along. Any questions – call Trish on 07947 611699.	First & third Tuesdays of the month @ 2pm	Sacred Heart Parish Centre
Thursday 9 July	Catholic Grandparents Association Have you heard of the Catholic Grandparents Association? Set up by an Irishwoman in 2002, it has spread throughout the world, been endorsed by popes, and is now open to all elderly relatives wishing to pass on our beautiful Catholic faith to grandchildren. Resources, ideas, pilgrimages and more information generally can be found on www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org	Second Thursday of the month @ 11am	St Michael & All Angels
	Lunch Club Thursdays Join us for Monthly Thursday Lunches,. Enjoy a light lunch in a warm atmosphere and meet new friends! All welcome. Contact Sue Woodgate on 07881 756602 for more information.	Second Thursday of every month 12:15-2:15pm	St Edmund
Sunday 12 July	Second Collection (obligatory) for the Apostleship of the Sea (Stella Maris) Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all our lives, but they often work in difficult and dangerous conditions. Conflicts around the world are increasing risks to their safety, especially for crews travelling through regions such as the Strait of Hormuz. Many also face abandonment by employers, long separations from family, stress, and poor mental health. Stella Maris (formerly known as Apostleship of the Sea) is the maritime charity of the Catholic Church. Its chaplains and ship visitors provide practical help and pastoral care to seafarers and fishers in the UK and around the world. Please stand alongside them and support Sea Sunday so they always have someone to turn to in times of need, by praying for seafarers and giving online https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/campaign/sea-sunday-2026 or through the collection at Mass.	All Masses	All churches

NOTICES & FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Hymns at Sacred Heart for this Sunday

For those attending the 11am Sunday Mass at Sacred Heart, if you would like to familiarise yourself with the hymns in advance of the service please follow the links below:

Processional – How great thou art www.youtube.com/watch?v=2UWwJxsYI9A

Offertory – Take our bread www.youtube.com/watch?v=u9rYyDZQ8RQ

Communion – Lord of all hopefulness www.youtube.com/watch?v=DEL3WI3prQU

Communion – Chant: Come be with me www.youtube.com/watch?v=mLyQqzcPXVo

Recessional – Praise my soul the King of heaven www.youtube.com/watch?v=RqbhPGFIlxc

Baptism into the life of Jesus and the Church

We welcome into the family of the Catholic Church, Emelia Rowland & Myla Dewing, who will be baptised this Sunday at Sacred Heart @ 12.30pm. Please pray for Myla and Emelia, their parents, Godparents and families, that God will bless and guide him through the journey of life.

News from our schools

Amy Bonnington, Head of Oaklands Catholic School and Designated Safeguarding Lead, writes...

It has been another busy and exciting few weeks at school as students have been enjoying a wide range of experiences during our annual Challenge Week. Pupils in Years 7–9 have taken part in a variety of activities both in and out of school, with highlights including trips to Marwell Zoo and Southsea, providing opportunities for learning, teamwork and fun. Some of our Year 9 students have been making lasting memories on their annual camp, while forty Year 8 students enjoyed their residential trip to France, developing their language skills, cultural understanding and independence.

We were also delighted to celebrate our Year 11 Prom this week. It was a wonderful evening and a fitting way to mark the end of their time with us. We wish all our Year 11 students every success as they move on to the next stage of their education and training.

As the school year draws to a close, we are grateful for the enthusiasm, resilience and positive attitude shown by our students and look forward to a successful end to the summer term.

Amare Memoriae

We pray for the rest and peace of the soul of Mike Day and Michael & Anne Colley who have died recently. Please remember their family and friends at this difficult time.

Please pray for Jim Hordell

Congratulations to Jim Hordell who received the order of Lector during last Sunday morning's Mass at Sacred Heart. This important role means Jim can proclaim the Gospel and Psalms during Mass and other liturgical celebrations. Please remember Jim in your prayers as he continues his journey to become a Permanent Deacon next Summer.



Calling all Missio Red Box Holders!

The Local Missio Secretary, Melody Chawner, will be in the narthex after the 6.15pm Mass on Saturday 18 July to collect your boxes for counting. At this time, she will be available to answer any questions you may have. If you would like to take a Red Box home and start collecting for Missio, just mention it to Melody.

Sea of Poppies!

Sacred Heart Parishioner, Dorothy Pople writes... Would anyone like to knit or crochet poppies for a display at Southsea Castle to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Portsmouth becoming a city? If so, please contact Dorothy on 07736 397539.

Save the Date: Friday, 17 July from 7pm

Join us at St Michael's for an evening of karaoke and live ukulele entertainment from Ukes of Wallington. Bring your own drinks and nibbles. Everyone Welcome!

Admittance to Hospital?

When a Catholic is admitted to hospital, the family should ensure that the Catholic Chaplaincy is contacted so that appropriate support can be given. It is suggested that the patient have a note to give to hospital staff on admission, notifying staff that they are Catholic and would appreciate the Catholic Chaplaincy service. This could be followed up by a telephone call from the family to the ward to ensure the request is actioned. When a person is due to go into hospital, please also let your parish priest know so that he can administer the Sacrament of the Sick where appropriate.

Our Newsletter

Sue Siou writes... All news items and forthcoming events to office@waterlooville-catholic.org.uk by 2.30pm on Wednesday for inclusion in the next issue. We reserve the right to edit any articles prior to publication due to space. Articles may not be published immediately and may be held in reserve for future use. If you would like to receive a copy via email please contact me.

As part of our efforts to reduce costs, we ask that you only take a hard copy of the newsletter if you do not have access to the internet.

Please note that the 'Contact Us' and 'Jesus Prince of Peace' pages will no longer be included in the printed version. For contact information on different departments, an information sheet is available alongside the newsletters in the church.

Parish Office

Lisa will be on annual leave until Thursday 16 July and Yvonne will be on leave from Thursday 16 – Friday 24 July inclusive.

Payments to Sacred Heart, St Edmund & St Michael

There are several ways to make a donation to Sacred Heart, St Edmund or St Michael:

Sacred Heart:

Cheque made payable to 'CDP Waterlooville Sacred Heart'

'Donate with Dona' button on our Webpage

Online payments in church using the Dona machine [by the Sacristy]

BACS: Lloyds bank account 01861043, sort code 309304, CDP Waterlooville Sacred Heart

St Edmund:

Cheque made payable to 'CDP Horndean St Edmund'

Donate using the Sum Up machine in the narthex

BACS: Lloyds bank account 00880222, sort code 309304, CDP Horndean St Edmund

St Michael:

BACS: Lloyds bank account 00882004, sort code 309304, CDP Leigh Park St Michael

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Thursday 10.30am-2pm

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