



OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE AND BLESSÉD MARGARET POLE CHURCH SOUTHBOURNE-ON-SEA



Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth, Charity No. 1199568

NEWSLETTER Twenty-Sixth Sunday Ordinary Time Year A(ii) 2026

		Mass intentions	
	9:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish Maria Romero de Leiro & Maria Martinez Peria RIP	256th Sunday in Ordinary time Year A (ii) Psalter week 2
Monday 28 th	10:00 am	Sister Ann-Marie	St Wenceslaus
Tuesday 29 th	10:00 am	Victor Swannell RIP	The Holy Archangels Michael, Gabriel & Raphael
Wednesday 30 th	10:00 am Followed by	Trevor Morgan RIP Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 11am	St Jerome
Thursday 1 st October	10:00 am	Smith & Newman Families (55 years)	St Teresa of the Child Jesus
Friday 2 nd	10:00 am	CWL <i>Family Fast Day</i>	The Holy Guardian Angels
Saturday 3 rd	10:00 am	Florence Marian Derby	Feria
Sunday 27th October	9:30 am 11:00 am	People of the Parish J. Happé (ill)	27th Sunday in Ordinary time Year A (ii) Psalter week 2

REFRESHMENTS AFTER SUNDAY MASS - All welcome.

A Welcome from Fr Inna

As you will have seen in our parish newsletter, we have regular opportunities for **Holy Mass, Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation** throughout the week. Everyone is most welcome to join us. Every Wednesday, we have **Holy Mass followed by Adoration**, and you are most welcome to join us for this time of prayer and quiet reflection before the Blessed Sacrament.

Our usual opportunity for Confession is on Saturday after Mass. However, if you would like to receive the **Sacrament of Reconciliation** at another time, I am always very happy to make time to hear your confession after any weekday Mass. Please feel free to speak to me or contact the parish office if you would like to arrange a suitable time.

With many thanks
Fr Inna

PASTORAL LETTER FROM THE BISHOP

To be read in all churches and chapels of the Diocese of Portsmouth this weekend, 27 September 2026, the Twenty-Sixth Sunday.

The Bishop invites us to complete a short, anonymous questionnaire about our Holy Habits and the diocesan mission plan. There is a poster in the porch. The QR code that links directly to the questionnaire.



PARISH MEETINGS

Finance Committee
Parish Meeting

Wednesday 30th September– 7:30 pm
Wednesday 28th October– 7pm

Priest's House
Hall

100 CLUB Subscriptions (£15) are due from 1st October. This club funds some of the extraordinary costs of the parish, such as purchasing the new Lectionary volumes for the Altar last year. Places are available and we need more members. Please contact David Henman or the Parish office.

CAN YOU HELP WITH THE ORGANISING OF A CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH and with the serving of the lunch etc on the 25th Dec. For those adults who are on their own. Please call/text Allan at 07782968593 or leave a message.

PRISONERS' SUNDAY falls on October 11th. Poster in the Porch

HARVEST FESTIVAL Can I ask that you make a special mention regarding Harvest Festival that will be celebrated at OLQP on 4th October, advising that we hope for a great turn up of parishioners and families with children on the day, as they will be part of the procession to the altar, with the food donations that they will bring with them.

FAMILY FAST DAY Friday 2nd October Please donate to our parish collection. Put your faith into action and share the Lord's love by supporting our global neighbours experiencing shortages of food and safe water. Your gift can support children like Tayla in Zimbabwe to stay in school by helping communities and schools provide nourishing meals, improve access to water and grow food in school gardens.

Use the CAFOD envelope in church, donate online at cafod.org.uk/envelope or call 0303 303 3030. Please bring your envelopes back by October 15th



READERS Formation Day for Readers: 17th October 2026

It is not too late to sign up for the Formation Day for Readers being organised by the Diocesan Liturgy Team on 17th October 2026 at the Pastoral Centre in Winchester. All the details can be found on the attached PDF. Anyone wishing to attend is kindly asked to email liturgy@portsmouthdiocese.org

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION On Sunday 18 October, following the 09:30 Mass, there will be an information session for the First Holy Communion programme in the church hall. Please come along and collect a registration form for your child. Please note the child must be in Year 3 or above to receive this sacrament. Any queries please contact the FHC Team at fhcteam.olqp@gmail.com

CONFESSIONS Saturday after Mass, or by appointment.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT after Mass on Wednesday until 11:00 am.

ROSARY, after Mass on Friday, except when Mother's Prayers take place.

MOTHERS' PRAYERS GROUP meets in the church after the 9:30 Mass on the 2nd & 4th Fridays of the month

FRIDAY FRIENDSHIP CLUB Parish Centre 2:00 pm Fridays. All welcome.

CHOIR PRACTICE. Monday at 06:30 pm (church side door)

MASS READINGS AND DAILY PRAYER <https://universalis.com/index.htm>

READINGS AND MINISTERS FOR MASS			
26th Sunday in Ordinary time Ezekiel 18: 25-28 Ps 25 (24);4-5b. 6-7, 8-9. R:6a Philippians 2: 1-11 Matthew 21: 28-32		27th Sunday in Ordinary time Isaiah 5: 1-7 Ps 80 (79);9,12.13-14.15-16.19-20. R Isaiah 5:7a Philippians 4: 6-9 Matthew 21: 33-43	
Readers See rota See rota	Eucharistic Ministers D Rogers	Readers See rota See rota	Eucharistic Ministers S McCaffrey
See rota See rota	L Hanson	See rota See rota	N Jean-Francoise
September: L Hanson		October: M Williams	
Sunday Mass Responses:			
Entrance Antiphon: (if no hymn) All that you have done for us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.			
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 25 (24);4-5b. 6-7, 8-9. R:6a <i>Remember your compassion, O Lord</i>			
Gospel acclamation: Acts 16:14b Alleluia, alleluia. My Sheep hear my voice, says the Lord, and I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia			

SUPPORT OF THE PARISH			
Contactless payments can be made via the machines in the church, (and will appear as “Stripe” on bank statements). Cheques should be made payable to CDP Bournemouth Our Lady of Peace .			
Standing orders (can be gift aided if you pay tax). Setting up a standing order is easy. Either download the forms from the website or go online to your bank with our bank account details Sort code: 30 93 04 A/c no. 00875180			
Donations can be made online through the Parish website or the <u>Donate button</u> . <i>Your donation really does make a difference</i> <i>Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth.</i>			
LAST SUNDAY’S COLLECTIONS			
Envelopes	£25.00	Cash	£281.35
Standing Orders	£410.00	Contactless	£147.00
Total	£863.35		
With thanks, Father Inna			

Pries-in-Charge: Rev. Fr. Inna Reddy Gade **Deacon:** Rev. Roger Carr-Jones.

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