



# East Grinstead & Lingfield Catholic Parish



15th September 2024

24th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

PSALTER WEEK 4

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## IF YOU'RE NEW - WELCOME

We are so pleased to meet you. Please say hello to the welcomers and fill in the registration form at the back of the church or online (see above) or wait to introduce yourself to me after Mass.



## INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Please write /speak to me.

## WEEKLY DEVOTIONS

**HOLY OFFICE:** Every day at 09:00 at OLSP before Mass (Mon, Tues, Thurs).

**HOLY HOUR:** Wednesdays at St Bernard's at 7:30pm. Adoration, Rosary, Silence and Music.

**ADORATION:** Every Friday at 11:00am OLSP.

**HOLY ROSARY:** Every Friday at 12:10 after Adoration at OLSP.

## SACRAMENTS

**BAPTISM OF CHILDREN:** Collect a form from me after Mass.

**HOLY COMMUNION VISITS:** Holy Communion is taken to the housebound of the parish regularly; please contact the Parish Office.

**CONFESSIONS:** This is an essential part of our spiritual lives. As always, I am available after Mass on weekdays. Also, on Saturday morning from 10:30 to 11:00 and evening from 5:30 to 6:00. You may also phone me for an individual appointment if you wish.

**MARRIAGE:** Email the Parish Office a minimum of six months in advance.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Contact the Parish Office if you, or someone for whom you are responsible, requires the Anointing of the Sick.

## Vision Prayer

Father, pour out your Spirit upon your people and grant us a new vision of your Glory,  
 A new experience of your Power,  
 A new faithfulness to your Word,  
 And a new consecration to your Service,  
 That your love may grow among us, that your Kingdom may come.  
 Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Bishop Cormac Murphy O'Connor † 2017

Please pray for those in the Parish who are unwell: Catherine Jones, Rita Snow, Eve Hamerton, Sue Scott, Alice Underwood, Lucy Barrow, Agnes Payne, David Bye, Gill O'Driscoll, Marie Jones, Maggie Gordon-Clark and Sian Oram. Please pray for Pauline Lacey and Amy Bisset recently deceased.

Requests to be included in the Bidding Prayers: contact Sue Faulkner 07462394964 suzy.faulkner@icloud.com at OLSP or Nicky Daines 01342 870358 raymondaines@btinternet.com for St Bernard's. If you are requesting prayers for a loved one, please ensure that they have given their permission for their name to be included.

**REQUEST PRIVATE PRAYER** - If you would like to request prayer for your intention, whatever it might be, by members of the parish prayer network, please contact Sue Faulkner, 07462394964 [suzy.faulkner@icloud.com](mailto:suzy.faulkner@icloud.com). Members will pray for your intention privately in their homes. Your name will not be mentioned in church, and you can be anonymous if you prefer.

**LIVESTREAMING** - we are pleased to offer live broadcast at the 09:00 mass at St B's and 10:30 mass at OLSP on Sunday, alongside rosary at OLSP on Friday's. Other services and events can be livestreamed too - contact Jonathan Jenkins at [jamjenkins64@outlook.com](mailto:jamjenkins64@outlook.com).

## MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday 14th September  
6.15pm OLSP (Vigil)  
Salmon family intentions

Sunday 15th September  
24th Sunday Ordinary time  
9:00am St Bernard's (LS)  
Catherine May Conley RIP  
10:30am OLSP (LS)  
Slawek (special intention)

Monday 16th September  
St Cornelius & St Cyprian  
9.30am OLSP

Shirley Oliver RIP  
Tuesday 17th September  
St Hildegard of Bingen  
St Robert Bellarmine  
9.30am OLSP

Gaspar and Simeon Badelic  
RIP  
Wednesday 18th September  
9.30am St Bernard's  
12.45pm OLSP Requiem  
Mass  
Pauline Lacey

Thursday 19th September  
St Theodore of Canterbury  
9.30am OLSP  
Peter Neave RIP

Friday 20th September  
No Public Mass

Saturday 21st September  
St Matthew Apostle  
6.15pm OLSP Vigil

Sunday 22nd September  
25th Sunday Ordinary  
Time  
9am St Bernard's (LS)  
Maja Jacznikowski  
10.30am OLSP (LS)  
Jim Hughes RIP  
(LS = Livestreamed)

**THE POSTPONED ST PETER'S SUMMER FAIR:** will take place on **Sunday 22nd September** from 12pm to 3pm. Please join us for a BBQ, circus games and to support our local traders.

**OLSP CHILDRENS LITURGY:** Children's Liturgy for OLSP will be restarting after the summer break. From now on we will meet on the 1st Sunday of the month. We look forward to seeing you on the **6th October**.

**PARISH LUNCHCLUB:** This **Tuesday 17th September**. We are looking forward to welcoming everyone back at OLSP Church hall at **12.30pm**.

### FIRST RECONCILIATION AND HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2024-2025:

Do you have a child in Year 4 or above and interested in receiving the sacraments of First Reconciliation and Holy Communion? We are excited to announce that our programme will be starting in November 2024. The electronic application forms are now available on the Parish website on the homepage, please complete by Monday 14th October. If your child is enrolling for this year, we will be holding a meeting for parents/carers on **Wednesday, October 16th at 7:30pm** in Our Lady and St Peter's church hall. At this meeting, you will learn more about the programme and important dates.

**THANK YOU:** for your generosity to the special collection on 7/8 September in support of Education Sunday when £432 was raised. The next special collection will be over the weekend of **21/22 September** in support of Mission Sunday for England and Wales. This is a collection for the Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF), one of the Pontifical Missionary Aid Societies, better known now as Missio. Please do NOT use your Diocesan Gift Aid envelopes on this occasion.

**CONSOLATION CAFÉ:** The monthly Consolation Cafe resumes this month (following our summer break) on **Saturday 21st September - 10:30-11:30** - in the Parish Centre at Our Lady & St Peter. We are here to support not only those who are grieving the loss of a loved one but also those who are lonely, sad or just in need of some friendly company. We offer a warm, non-judgemental welcome and hope that those who attend find comfort and support.

**ST BERNARD'S SATURDAY FREE SOUP KITCHEN:** SVP Lingfield is commencing their soup kitchen held on the last Saturday of each month. Everyone welcome for some warming soup and good company on **Saturday 28th Sept.**

**SVP LINGFIELD IS HOLDING A CAKE SALE:** St Bernard's, after 9am Mass, **Sunday 29 September**.

Proceeds will go to the programme for feeding orphaned babies in Sudan, where there is desperate need. Please lend your support and at the same time enjoy some delicious home-made cakes! Please also see the online version of the Newsletter for details of the recognition certificate we have been given for this work.



**ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:** If your child was born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021, you are now in the process of making a big decision about their primary school. The school shall be hosting information meetings for parents to learn about the school and tour the site. The Headteacher, Mrs Claffey, will lead a presentation, followed by a tour and finally an opportunity to ask any questions that individual parents may have during some light refreshments. **Please see our online newsletter for dates of meetings and to book a place.**

**ILLUMINATE YOUR LIFE IN CHRIST WITH "LIGHTHOUSE" 12TH OCTOBER:** The theme is "These are the signs that will be associated with believers" (Mk 16:17). During the afternoon we will explore faith and signs with talks from excellent speakers. Lighthouse is an afternoon of renewal for the A&B Diocese brought to you from the Charismatic Diocesan Service of Communion (CDSC) team. During the afternoon there will be worship, opportunity for the sacrament of reconciliation and inspiration from excellent teaching. Come and be immersed in the Holy Spirit and receive prayer ministry from our experienced and gifted prayer ministry teams. The event is on the 12th October 2024 at 2pm in the wonderful St Joseph's Catholic Church in Epsom. Doors will open at 1:30pm and the afternoon will culminate in the St Joseph's parish Mass at 5:30pm. Please read online newsletter for more details. A group will be leaving St Bernard's car park at 1pm. If anyone would like a lift, please contact Nicky Daines on 01342 870358

**CONTRIBUTING FINANCIALLY TO THE PARISH:** If making a payment by cheque, the payee is Our Lady & St Peter's Catholic Church. If remitting online, the parish account title is: **RCDArundel and Brighton Our Lady & St Peter, sort code 40-05-20, account number 71076841**. You can also donate to the parish via our website, via the collection at Mass, or by scanning our QR code

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