

THE MESSENGER

Serving the Parish of Our Lady and The Saints of Guernsey

PUBLICATION OF CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF PORTSMOUTH NO. 1199568 - GUERNSEY REGISTERED CHARITY CH263



Diocese of Portsmouth

Bishop Philip Egan

Eighth Bishop of Portsmouth

Dean and Parish Priest:

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Fr Inna Reddy Gade (Day off Friday)

Alderney

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La Couperderie, St Peter Port

Notre Dame du Rosaire (ND)

Burnt Lane, St Peter Port

Our Lady Star of the Sea, Delancey (OLSS)

Rue des Monts, St Sampson

Le Platon Home (LP)

Clifton, St Peter Port, Guernsey

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CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays

St Joseph Church

10.30am - 11.00am and 5pm - 5.30pm

Or by appointment

PARISH BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS:

Name: CDP Guernsey

Sorting Code: 309304

Account number: 00879070

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY YEAR A Psalter Week 1

2ND JULY 2023

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: I WILL SING FOR EVER OF YOUR LOVE, O LORD.

FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY

St. J 6.00 pm Mass: Pat Devenport RIP (FM)

Delancey Music Group

Sun 2nd July



THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. J 8.00 am Mass: Christopher Baber RIP

St. J 10.30 am Mass: James John Fattorini RIP (FM)

St. J 12 noon **Baptism:** Elijah Louro & Arla O'Neill

St. J 4.30 pm Sung Evening Prayer and Benediction

Mon 3rd

ST THOMAS, Apostle, Feast

No Mass today

Tues 4th

St. J 9.30 am Mass: Maria & Wladyslaw Chwaja & Maria Helena

Goncalves RIP

No Exposition today

Wed 5th

St. J 9.30 pm Mass: Jose M. Ferreira RIP

St. J 7.00 pm *Exposition, Rosary & Benediction for Vocations*

Thur 6th

OLSS 6.00 pm Mass: Decima & Brian White RIP (FM)

Fri 7th

No Morning Mass today

BL 9.30 am Mass: Blanchelande College (Outdoor Mass)

LP 11.00 am Mass: Harry Coutanche RIP (FM)

St. J 1.00 pm **Funeral Service:** James Mahon

Sat 8th July

St. J 10.00 am Mass: Yves Davy, Roger & Beulah West RIP

FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY

St. J 6.00 pm Mass: Patrick Carvill RIP (FM)

Delancey Music Group

Sun 9th July



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Psalter Week 2

St. J 8.00 am Mass: Jean & Tony Bilham RIP (FM)

St. J 10.30 am Mass: Antonio Tersigni Good Health

Baptism during Mass: Noah Eduardo Cisneros

St. J 4.30 pm Sung Evening Prayer and Benediction

FM - FOUNDATION MASS BL - BLANCHELANDE COLLEGE



DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Led by Bishop Philip will take place from the 17th to 21st July

Wheelchair Rollers urgently needed - people who are willing to enable full participation of pilgrims by joining us and pushing wheelchairs, lending a supportive arm and helping the less mobile retrieve their food at mealtimes.

Can you help fellow pilgrims get the most out of their experience?

We don't want to be in the position of turning anyone with mobility issues away from the chance to go to Lourdes.

Please contact on : 07780 221686 or email lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

Youth pilgrim places cost £699, though there is the potential to offset this by 50% and are very willing to help prospective pilgrims with fundraising for their trip.

EMERGENCY SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

10th/11th June to 8th/9th July

With Fr Inna now away visiting his homeland leaving just myself to cover the needs of the Parish with the help of Deacon Mark please do note the Sunday Mass schedules for these next few weekends.

6.00pm. Vigil Mass. St Joseph
8.00am. Sunday Mass. St Joseph
10.30am. Sunday Mass. St Joseph

Refreshments will be available following all three Masses in the Parish Room.

Altar servers, who usually serve at Delancey and Notre Dame, are encouraged to serve at St Joseph's. Please bring along your albs. Extra parking provision has been made available at Vauvert School on both Saturday and Sunday and we are grateful to the Headteacher for facilitating this and the Catenians for looking after.

Remember this is an Emergency Mass time schedule. We as Catholics are bound by Canon Law to attend Mass every Sunday and by helping each other and offering lifts we are still able to fulfil our obligation to attend Mass.

Please be assured of my prayer for you all. May I humbly ask you to pray for me especially for good health during this time.

Canon Chris

WELCOME

A warm welcome to all visitors who join us this week.

Tea & Coffee are available after 6.00pm Saturday evening Mass and the 8.00am and 10.30am Masses in St Joseph's.



On Saturday 8th July after the 6.00pm Mass, do come along for a glass of wine in the gardens at Ampthill House. Weather permitting.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome in baptism at St. Joseph's **Elijah Louro & Arla O'Neill**. Please remember them, their parents and Godparents in your prayers.



THE HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP

The Holy Spirit Prayer Group will be meeting on Monday 3rd July in the parish room at St Joseph's. Tea and coffee is available from 7pm and the prayer group starts at 7.30pm.

Everyone is welcome! For more information please contact Frank on 07781 108394

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Next meeting, a guided visit to Candie Museum will take place on Tuesday 4th July at 7.30 Please note the time and earlier date

BLANCHELANDE COLLEGE END OF TERM MASS

Friday 7th July at 9.30am.

All welcome to join us for our End of Term Mass which will be celebrated in the grounds of the college (weather permitting or in the School Hall).

NOTRE DAME DU ROSAIRE SCHOOL BBQ

The PTFA would like to invite you, your family and friends to their summer BBQ Saturday 8th July 4.00pm - 6.00pm at L'Ancrese Beach below the Kiosk. Bar, BBQ, Colour Run etc.,

ST MARY & ST MICHAEL SCHOOL BBQ

The PTFA would like to invite you and your family to their Summer BBQ Sunday 9th July 12 noon - 4.00pm at St Mary & St Michael School. Bar, BBQ; Meat Draw; Face Painting; Bouncy Castle; Games etc., All welcome.

MISSION UNLEASHED

An event with Cardinal Tagle. The Church has a mission but what is it? And how should we do it? Cardinal Tagle of the Philippines has responsibilities for evangelisation and mission in the Vatican and is an inspirational speaker.

Join CAFOD online for Mission Unleashed: Embracing the Social Dimension of Evangelisation hosted by CAFOD on 14 July 7:00-8:30pm. Please see www.bigmarker.com/cafod/evangelisation to book your place for this webinar and be sent the recording.

PRO-LIFE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

Archbishop Kevin McDonald, Emeritus of Southwark will be leading this year's Pilgrimage to Walsingham in Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life on Saturday 5th August 2023, commencing at the 12 Noon Pilgrim Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation.

For coach details please go to www.prolifepilgrimage.org or call 01858 571242 / 07779 122365.

If you are unable to join the pilgrimage, you can follow online on YouTube or walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/

FRIENDS OF ROMANIA CLOTHING APPEAL

Dear Friends, we have had a request from our Administrators in Romania for Children's clothing. If you have any good quality clothing for children aged 2 - Teenage, which is outgrown or unwanted, please would you contact us? We also need men's toiletries (i.e. shower gels) for Christmas parcels.

If you are able to help please contact Patricia or Wilf Holland on 255129 or email: wilf.holland@cwgsy.net Many thanks

THE ISLAND PRAYER SCHEME

This week asks prayers for Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church, Delancey

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR

: For the success of the Island Games.

: Parishes, Communities & Schools in the Portsmouth Pastoral Area

: Community of Notre Dame du Rosaire, Guernsey (consecrated 4.7.1968)

: Peace in the World

: The sick of the Parish

: Le Platon Home & Residential & Nursing Care

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

James Mahon whose Funeral Service will take place Friday 7th July 1pm in St Joseph's Church. **May he Rest in Peace.+**

ANNIVERSARIES

Fr William Hickey and for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time. **May they Rest in Peace.+**

OFFERTORY

25th June 2023 £3,235 (incl. standing orders, BACS & Donate Button) **Peter's Pence** £601

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



RETIRING COLLECTION

The second collection on Sunday 9th July is for Stella Maris (the Apostleship of the Sea), the Catholic Church's maritime charity.

Seafarers lead hard and dangerous lives. This Sea Sunday your gifts and prayers will help seafarers and fishers get the support they need. Stella Maris chaplains and volunteers are working in ports up and down this country, and across the world: but they cannot do it without your support. Please donate online at <https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/campaign/apostleship-of-the-sea-second-collection-2023>.

The collection will open on 3rd July and close on 18th July 2023.

PARISH FINANCE

Andrew Warren as Chair of Finance will give a brief talk on the state of the Parish Finances at the end of each Mass.