



OUR LADY OF ENGLAND

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Solemnity: the Epiphany of the Lord -Year C, 6th January, 2019

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

6pm Sat Richard Radford RIP

8.00am People of the Parish

10.00am Judy Thornhill RIP

All are welcome to **COFFEE IN THE HALL** after 10am Mass every Sunday.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday after the 9.00am Mass

THANK YOU FOR YOUR OFFERINGS

1st Collection

23rd December: £618:20

30th December: £485:00

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Psalter Week:

TODAY Solemnity: The Epiphany of the Lord, Year C

No 2nd Collection

NEXT WEEK: Solemnity: The Baptism of the Lord, Year C

No 2nd Collection

6pm Sat Patrick Metters RIP

8.00am People of the Parish

10.00am Imelda Davy RIP

MONDAY 7 Monday after Epiphany

No Mass

(1 John 3:22-4:6; Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25)

TUESDAY 8, Tuesday after Epiphany

No Mass

(1 John 4:7-10; Mark 6:34-44)

10.00am Inter Church Prayers in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

WEDNESDAY 9 Wednesday after Epiphany

No Mass

(1 John 4:11-18; Mark 6:45-52)

8.00pm MUSIC PRACTICE at The Old Sanctuary, Fern Road

THURSDAY 10 Thursday after Epiphany

No Mass

(1 John 4:19-5:4; Luke 4:14-22)

7.30pm Rosary Group in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel – all welcome

FRIDAY 11 Friday after Epiphany

No Mass

(1 John 5:5-13; Luke 5:12-16)

SATURDAY 12 Saturday after Epiphany

9.00am Mass, Andrew Amarasinghe RIP

followed by Exposition until 10.15, with Confessions available

(1 John 5:14-21; John 3:22-30)

6.00pm Vigil Mass

NEXT SUNDAY 13, Solemnity: The Baptism of the Lord, Year C

(Isaiah 40: 1-5, 9-11, Titus 2: 11-14; 3: 4-7, Luke 3: 15-16, 21-22)

OUR LOCAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ARE:

St Philip's Catholic Primary School

London Road, Arundel

Tel: 01903 882115 www.stphilipsarundel.org.uk

St Philip Howard Catholic School

Elm Grove South, Barnham

Tel: 01243 552055 www.sphcs.co.uk

CHRISTMAS THANK YOU: to those who worked so hard in so many ways in preparing our celebrations, for your kind gifts, prayers and support, and for your generous Christmas offering.

CHRISTMAS CRIB: will remain until the Feast of Candlemas (2nd Feb). Crib offerings to the Catholic Children's Society Arundel & Brighton Crisis Fund can still be made in the labelled wallbox. This is a fund available to parishes and schools to assist children and families in crisis.

CHRISTMAS FRIPPERIES DECEMBER 18TH Many thanks to everyone who supported our Christmas social so generously, to those who gave their time to arrange and present it, especially our lovely entertainers Michael and Stephanie Pioli, for the gifts of donations and raffle prizes, of soft drinks and cakes (Waitrose) of wine (IWSC) flowers and mince pies and particularly to those parishioners who joined us for such an enjoyable evening of festive songs and entertainment. Together we raised £486 for CAFOD Connect2 Colombia. On their behalf, thank you. Trevor Stauss CAFOD Support Group Chairman.

COFFEE ROTA 2019 February to December. This year's rota has been circulated by email. Paper copies are available in the church porch

JUSTICE & PEACE ASSEMBLY 2019: *'Slavery On Our Doorstep'*, Saturday 26th January, from 10am (coffee from 9.30). Learn about the slave trade hidden under your nose and how you can help those affected. Speakers from the Santa Marta Group and Sussex Police. To book contact Rosie Read, Formation Secretary at rosie.read@dabnet.org or tel: 01293 651161.

BISHOP RICHARD'S PASTORAL PLAN "The Word who is Life". Video and text available on the diocesan website.

ST PHILIP HOWARD SCHOOL Are you passionate about developing the Catholic faith amongst young people? Do you have the ability to inspire young people and develop their faith? If so, read on as this is the opportunity you've been waiting for! The school is currently looking to appoint a Chaplain (or member of a Chaplaincy team) to support the liturgical and wider Catholic life of the school. Full details of the vacancy can be found on the SPH website: www.sphcs.co.uk. Visits from prospective applicants are always very welcome. Closing date for applications is 9am on Friday 11 January 2019.

**WEEK OF PRAYER for CHRISTIAN UNITY
18th ~ 25th January 2018**

This year the main service will be on
Sunday, 20 January.

On certain other days there will be a short service or event hosted by one of the churches followed by refreshments.

Friday, 18 January at 9.00am

Unity Week Morning Prayer
at Our Lady of England RC Church, Monastery Lane

Saturday, 19 January at 1.00pm

Unity Week Prayer Stations
at St Mary's Church, Thakeham

Sunday, 20 January at 6.00pm

The main inter-Church Unity Week Service at
at Steyning Grammar School, Rock Road,
Storrington

arranged by Storrington Community Church

Monday, 21 January at 9.00am

Unity Week Morning Prayer
at Our Lady of England RC Church, Monastery Lane

Tuesday, 22 January at 8.00pm

Chemin Neuf Community Prayer Group
at Storrington Priory, School Lane

Wednesday, 23 January at 8.30am

Unity Week Morning Worship
at St Mary's Church, West Chiltington

Thursday 24 January at 11.30am

Unity Week Prayers and Reflection
at St Mary's Church, Church Street, Storrington

Friday 25 January at 2.30pm

Unity Week Prayers at Trinity Methodist Church,
off Thakeham Road, Storrington

MONTHLY ECUMENICAL PRAYERS: This month will be **Tue 8th Jan** (note different date) 10 - 10.30am in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

NATIONAL BOARD OF CATHOLIC WOMEN: DAY WITH BISHOP RICHARD on Saturday 23rd February, from 10am to 1pm, at the St Philip Howard Centre (formerly DABCEC). Explore ways to engage with 'The Word who is Life'. Book at nbcw@rcdab.onmicrosoft.com

RETREAT FOR DOCTORS: At Worth Abbey from Friday 1st March to Sunday 3rd March. The Spiritual Director is Fr Stephen Ortiger. Theme "Love Thy Neighbour as Yourself". £150 full board. For details and bookings please email the organiser, Dr Joe O'Dwyer, (*adding Doctors' Retreat in subject*) jodwyer@doctors.org.uk