

The Catholic Parish of the Annunciation and St. Edmund Campion

**28TH JULY - 3RD AUGUST
2019
17TH WEEK IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**AN- ANNUNCIATION
EC- ST. EDMUND CAMPION
SW- ST. WALBURGA'S**

We are part of the Bournemouth Pastoral Area with the following parishes:

Corpus Christi, (757 Christchurch Rd., Boscombe) Fr. Adrian Howell SJ
 Masses: 6pm (Vigil), 9.30am, 11am, 5pm, Tel: 425826
Our Lady Immaculate (Seamoor Rd, Westbourne) Fr. Andrew Moore
 Masses: 9am, 11am Tel: 01202 760640
Sacred Heart (Richmond Hill, Town Centre) Fr. Peter Edwards & Fr. Dominic Jacob
 Masses: Saturday 5pm (Vigil - in Portuguese but some English)
 Sunday 8am, 10.30am, 4pm, Polish Mass - 12 noon Tel: 01202 551013

Sunday 28th July 17th Week in Ordinary Time

AN 9.00am Polish Mass
 EC 9.00am Mass: Mathew Antony & family
 AN 11.00am Mass: for the people of the parish
 AN 6.30pm Mass: in thanksgiving for Sebastian, Adam & Helena

Monday 29th July

EC 9.30am Mass:

Tuesday 30th July

AN 7.00pm Mass: in thanksgiving for Anna Chaeleo & family

Wednesday 31st July

EC 8am - 11am Adoration
 6pm - 9pm
 EC 9.30am Mass: deceased family & friends of Margaret Powell

Thursday 1st August

AN 8am - 11am Adoration
 AN 9.30am Mass: Anna Colletti RIP
 EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Friday 2nd August

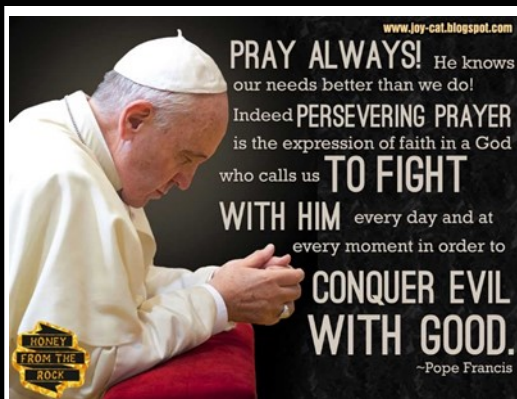
EC 9.30am Mass: in remembrance of Dominic Joshi RIP
 EC 7.00pm Polish Mass

Saturday 3rd August

AN 10.00am Mass: in thanksgiving for her sons wedding

Parish Priest: Fr. Bernardine Nsom
 (Co-ordinating Pastor)
Assistant Priest: Fr. Andrzej Zuziak SChr
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Deacon: Rev. Barry Jennings
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Parish Website: www.annunciation-
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St. Walburga's Primary School:
 Headteacher : Mrs Veronica Woodward
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One of the most difficult aspects of prayer is persevering when it seems that God is not answering. To pray always and not lose heart, we must properly understand both God and ourselves. God does not work depending on human time. With him, a thousand years is like a day and vice versa (Psalm 90:4; 2 Peter 3:8). Thus, though we pray for God's will to be done, we cannot really determine when this will happen. It is a mystery that gradually unfolds itself. Secondly, God does not just give us because we ask of him. He prefers to give what will be useful and fruitful in our lives as our earthly father's (Mt 7:10ff; Lk 11:11ff). in relation to the human being, our nature is totally dependent on God and Jesus modelled for us the kind of life that we are to live in dependence on the Father. He prayed as the Holy Spirit descended on Him at His baptism (Lk 3:21)). He often would slip away from the crowds into the wilderness where He would pray (Lk 5:16). He spent the whole night in prayer before He called the twelve (Lk 6:12). It was while He was praying that Peter gave his well-known confession that Jesus is the Christ (Lk 9:18). It was while He was on the mountain praying that He was transfigured before Peter, James, and John (Lk 9:28, 29). And, on the night before the cross, Jesus not only prayed for Peter, that his faith would not fail, but He also agonized fervently in prayer, sweating great drops of blood, as He wrestled with becoming our sin-bearer (Lk 22:32, 40-46). Because of the above reasons, we need to pray at all times or 'without ceasing' (1 Thess. 5:17). This should not, however, excuse us from setting aside special times each day to devote ourselves to prayer. Our greatest challenge to this invitation is to learn to persevere in the world in which we expect instant results when we face difficulties or demand something.

FIRE WARDEN TRAINING - Thank you to everyone who attended on Wednesday afternoon and evening, the highlight was definitely using the fire extinguishers! I will send the relevant paperwork to you all in the next couple of weeks.



Jack Ryan from St Margaret Mary Parish, Park Gate. Please pray for all these men, and our other seminarians too.

Pray for our New Seminarians: We are delighted to have four students beginning this autumn their discernment and formation for the sacred priesthood. Ryan Browne, from Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, Southbourne, commences his studies at the Venerable English College, Rome. The three other men begin a year of discernment and propaedeutic formation at Mater Sacerdotum House, Shrewsbury Cathedral: Farvin Gonsalves, from Christ the King Parish, Reading, Ryan Hawkes from Holy Ghost Parish, Basingstoke (the Music Director of Holy Family Parish, Millbrook), and

October is the Extraordinary Mission Month: Please remember in your prayers and in your parish and school pastoral planning the Extraordinary Month of Mission (EMM) that Pope Francis has called in October 2019. To celebrate the 100th anniversary of Pope Benedict XV's Apostolic Letter *Maximum Illud*, Pope Francis announced the Extraordinary Missionary Month and chose as its theme: 'Baptized and Sent: The Church of Christ on a Mission in the World'. This EMM will be a very special time for us in the Diocese of Portsmouth as well as an opportunity to pray for the mission of the Church around the world. Later in September, Bp Philip hopes to send you a Pastoral Letter on this theme. There will be a special World Mission Sunday Mass on Sunday 20th October 2019 at 2 pm in the Cathedral.

Have you ever considered a vocation as a deacon? Oscott Seminary have introduced a preparatory year for men discerning a call to the Permanent Diaconate. This consists of three sessions (Friday-Saturday) and commences on 8th/9th November. The other dates for this academic year are 24th/25th January and 27th/28th March 2020. Its aim is to help candidates better understand the reality of a vocation to Holy Orders and to discern whether this is what God is calling them to. There will be Parish based pastoral elements, spiritual formation and intellectual input given through teaching, seminars and discussions. Wives of prospective candidates will also be supported during these days and are encouraged to attend. Attendance at these days does not commit an individual to beginning the formation program, but is part of the overall selection process. For further information, please **e-mail** Fr Peter Hart.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION 2020 - Please talk to your child over the summer holidays and decide if the commitment required for both courses is right for your child and for your family. Details of both courses will be visible in the newsletter the first weekend in September and not before. **First Holy Communion will run on a Wednesday evening and Confirmation will run on a Thursday evening. Both courses will require a booklet to be signed every week after Mass.**

SCHOOL FORMS (SIF)... Father Ben & Deacon Barry will not sign any SIF form unless it has an accompanying letter and if possible a photograph of your family attached. You do not need to supply a copy of a Baptism Certificate as school will take a copy of the original at your first visit.

Diocesan Day for Catechists and Children's Liturgy Leaders and Helpers The Diocesan Formation & Mission Team are holding a special day on Saturday 19th October 2019 in St John's Cathedral, Portsmouth. It is a day to listen and to share and to be strengthened and formed in faith to renew your commitment to Jesus Christ and his Church. You will need to book your place via the Diocesan Website if you wish to attend. A Certificate in Parish mission and Ministry Course is also being offered to all Catechists and helpers which takes place at St Dominic's Priory in Sway starting in November, further details via the Diocesan website or speak with Deacon Barry.

ALL ENQUIRIES FOR THE FOLLOWING (EXCEPT WHERE STATED) CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TEL: 01202 513369

PARISH OFFICE	Open 9.30am - 12.30pm, Mon, Wed, Thur & Fri. Phone: Karen on 01202 513369.
CHURCH HALLS bookings & info.	Phone 01202 513369.
HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS	(B'mouth & C'church) Fr. Darryl Jordan 01202 704221 (Chaplaincy Office) (Poole) Deacon McConville - tel.442167 (leave message) or 665511 (Page R C Chaplain)
Reconciliation (CONFESSIONS)	Saturday at 10.30am (AN) or after any weekday Mass
Parish Safeguarding Representative	Mrs Emma Henwood: Please contact the parish office.