



**St Francis de Sales
Catholic Parish**
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Sat 06 July	10 am	Confession	
	6 pm Vigil Mass	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	Ordination of Jim Kay
Sun 07 July	10 am Mass		For the Parish
Tues 09 July	12 noon Mass	NO MASS	
Wed 10 July	9 am Mass	NO MASS	
Thurs 11 July	9 am Mass	NO MASS	
	9.30 am - 10.30 am	Adoration	
Sat 13 July	10 am	Confession	
	6 pm Vigil Mass	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	For the Parish
Sun 14 July	10 am Mass		For all priests who are moving

The flowers this week are sponsored by Fr Bruce in memory of Pauline Barnes.

Mass times in July Fr Bruce is not available from Tuesday 9th July to Thursday 25th July so there will be no weekday Masses during this time. Masses for the weekend of 13/14 July and 20/21 July will be celebrated by Fr Kevin Fox S.J.



From the Parish Priest

By now, the news of my appointment as Dean of Guernsey is well known. It comes with many mixed emotions, both for Parishioners and for myself. Yes, priests do have feelings too. Our lives are one continuous following of what the Lord wants for us from the start of our vocation to the present moment. This is a cause of joy, not sorrow, even though it may be sad for some. The sadness, I believe is one which is built upon nostalgia for the things which have been and which might have been. It should never be a sorrow which turns to anger. I have been privileged to walk with many people in the parishes that I have served and I am so thankful to have walked with the people of Wash Common. Now I am called to walk with the people of Guernsey. Please pray for me. *Fr Bruce*

If you would like to be included in the Parish Sick List, please contact the Parish Office. Please pray for **Courtney Andrews, John Gibbons, Maria Hall, Bernard & Victoria Kilkenny, Marie O'Sullivan, Pauline Smith, Elizabeth Sage & Linda Verner** who ask for our prayers.

DIARY

- 7 July – Musical Mezze** after 10am Mass
- 11 July – 9.30am-10.30am - Adoration**
- 13/14 July – SECOND COLLECTION** for the Apostleship of the Sea
- 19 July – 6-8pm - Youth Group**
- 23 July – 4.30pm – Finance Committee Meeting**
- 1 August – Deadline to enrol on First Holy Communion programme**
- 4 August – Catenian Mass and Barbecue**

Hymns for Sunday

Ent: 569 Gospel Acc: 38 Off: 387
Holy, Holy: 556 (L) Lamb of God: 591 (L)
Comm: 525 Rec: 286

NEWS AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Join us for a 'Musical Mezze' on Sunday 7th July! All proceeds to our parish charities. Games and stalls from 11am, with live music from midday and a delicious BBQ meal. Bar and raffle. Classical, folk and world music until about 3pm. A delightful afternoon for all! Tickets £5 for the meal, available after Mass or call Lucy on 01635 35462. Free tickets for the under-10s. **Donations welcome!** We need bottles for the bottle tombola, sweets and small toys for the children's tombola and cakes for the cake stall. If you can help please leave in the box in the church porch (cakes on the day, please). Thank you!

Pope's intention for July

That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

Vocations 'The harvest is abundant, the labourers are few.' Are you called to be a labourer for Christ as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? To explore further, contact Fr John Cooke on vocations@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk or call 01329 318 869.

The Youth Group meets on Fri 19th July from 6-8pm for Pizza. All those who have just made their First Holy Communion are warmly invited. Please sign up in the hall.



The Foodbank are looking for everything except beans, soup and pasta due to unprecedented demand. Please be as generous as you can.

Alton Day of Renewal – 27th July – Alistair Emblem will speak on The Power of Praise and Thanksgiving. More details, see noticeboard or www.altonrenewal.com

Catenians Mass and Barbecue – 4th August – The Catenians are holding a barbecue to which all parishioners are welcome from 12.30pm onwards. More details about tickets available next week.

The Good Counsel Network asks for prayers to end the pro-abortion buffer zone at Ealing Clinic with an extra National Day of Prayer and Fasting on 15th July, Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Please support them if you can.

First Communion Programme 2019/2020

Name of Candidate:

Date of Birth:

Full Address:

Postcode:

Phone Number(s):

Names of Parents:

Email Address(es):

School they are attending:

Application closure date for this programme is Sunday 1st August 2019. After this date it will be too late to join the First Communion preparation programme for 2019/2020.

CAFOD Golf Day at Weybrooke Golf Club, Basingstoke on 12th July. For more information, contact Pat Murphy on pfm190654@outlook.com

CTNA JULY SATURDAY PRAYER BREAKFAST on Saturday 13th July at Newbury Baptist Church, Cheap Street RG14 5DD from 8am to 9.30am.

Bookings for Hall and Parish Rooms Please book the hall with Maureen for all events on 01635 30108 or email Maureen.hudd@btinternet.com

Contribute to our Website You can now request access to add content to our website. If interested, please fill in the simple form on the website to request access.

<http://www.stfrancisdesales.org.uk/user/register>
Any queries, feel free to contact Andrew at andrewpolland@gmail.com

CLEANERS: Please collect your rotas from the porch.

WELCOMING:

Sat 13 July: Louise Collins

Sun 14 July: Lamb & Dyke families

CLEANERS:

Fri 12 July: Clare Huckle & Paul Cobb

COUNTER:

Sun 07 July: Paul Cobb & Ivy Goree