

St Michael and All Angels Catholic Church, Leigh Park

Second Sunday of Lent, 25th February 2024

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Scriptures at Mass

Genesis 22:1-2.9-13.15-18 *This first reading, illustrated below, shows how complete was Abraham's obedience to God.*



Lorenzo Ghiberti, Sacrifice of Isaac, 1401, Florence

Romans 8:31-34 *Since God is on our side, we can face anything.*

Mark 1:12-15 *On Mount Tabor three apostles get a glimpse of Jesus' glory as the Son of God.*

Parish Mass Book page 155 **Psalter** Week 2

Prayer of the Faithful *During Lent our response is: Create a new spirit within us, O Lord.*

Tea and Chat Group meet on Thursday 29th February at 2 pm. All are very welcome.

Please pray for all those who are housebound, infirm or in particular need.

Our Liturgies this week

Reconciliation: in the half hour prior to Mass.

Saturday 24th February

10 am Mass

5 pm Reconciliation

6 pm Vigil Mass for the people of the Parish

25th February

Second Sunday of Lent

10 am Mass Hilary Sendall RIP

Monday 26th February

10 am Requiem Mass Judith Dibley RIP

*The Rosary will be prayed in the Lady Chapel
after Masses in Lent.*

Tuesday 27th February

6 pm Adoration and Reconciliation

7 pm Station Mass at St Michael's
followed by fellowship

Wednesday 28th February

10.30 am Adoration

Thursday 29th February

Friday 1st March St David

10 am Mass Charles, Sarah and Sven (SG)
Ecumenical Stations of the Cross
at St Michael's

Saturday 2nd March

10 am Mass for our Parish
with First Holy Communion class

5 pm Reconciliation

6 pm Mass Maureen O'Brien RIP

3rd March 3rd Sunday of Lent

10 am Mass Anil Cherian RIP

Ten-Year Plan

[Havant-Pastoral-Area-Phase-1-Report-for-
the-Laity-to-view.pdf](https://portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)
(portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

This links to the Pastoral Area report. We meet with the Pastoral Area Council to reflect, ask questions and clarify: 7-9 pm, Monday 26th February, St Joseph, Havant

Canon Gerard edits this Newsletter. He welcomes items for inclusion by the Sunday prior to publication, please. Thank you.

Havant Pastoral Area Lent 2024

The Mass described

10 am on Saturdays 24th February
2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd March

RCIA Meetings at St Michael's

4 pm on Saturdays 24th February
2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd March

Station Masses for Lent 2024

6 pm Adoration & Reconciliation 7 pm Mass
Fellowship and refreshments follow Mass.

27th February St Michael & All Angels

5th March St Patrick's, Hayling Island

12th March St Colman's, Cosham

19th March St Joseph's, Havant

Stations of the Cross 6 pm on Fridays

1st March St Michael's

8th March St Francis

15th March St Michael's

22nd March St Clare's

Themes for prayer and reflection in Lent

How much do I let life be done to me?

How much do I live life to the full?

How much do I make excuses
& blame others?

*How much do I take responsibility
for all that I do?*

How much of each day

do I spend living in the past?

*How much do I strive to learn from the past so
as to live well in the present & the future?*

How often do I find myself
looking for the worst in others?

How much do I seek to find only their best?
How often do I choose what is only selfish?

How often do I choose

what builds up others as well as myself?

How much do I take: how much do I give?

*How much do I take for granted: how much do
I take with gratitude and good grace?*

How much do I waste?

How much do I use wisely and well?

How much do I repent?

How much do I believe the Good News?

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