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Pastoral Area Liturgy Calendar Check this website for local Mass and Liturgy times:

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The Good Shepherd

The Scriptures for the Fourth Sunday of Easter, 11th May 2025

Acts 13:14.43-52 Paul and Barnabas preach the Gospel firstly to the Jews but they reject it; then they preach it to the Gentiles who receive it with joy.

Revelation 7:9.14-17 This contains a vision of those who will come through times of persecution to share in Christ's glory in heaven.



Christ the Good Shepherd, 3rd century. The Good Shepherd is the most common symbolic representation of Christ found in the Catacombs of Rome, before Christian imagery could be made explicit. The image shows a young man carrying a lamb around his neck.

John 27:10-30 Jesus, the Good Shepherd, will not allow anyone to snatch from his care the sheep that the Father has given him.

Fourth Sunday of Easter: Parish Mass Book page 262 Prayer of the Church: Week 4

Our Liturgies

Reconciliation: in the half hour prior to Mass.

10th May Saturday of the Third Week of Easter

5 pm Reconciliation 6 pm Vigil Mass for the people of the Parish

11th May Fourth Sunday of Easter

10 am Mass Canon Oliver Heaney RIP

12th May Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter

13th May Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

Wednesday 14th May, St Matthias

10 am Mass John Griffiths RIP and with prayers for Charlotte Sadler on her birthday 10.30 am Adoration

15th May Thursday of the Fourth Week of Easter

16th May Friday of the Fourth Week of Easter

Saturday 17th May St Dunstan

6 pm Mass for the people of the Parish Father John Adikwu celebrates our Masses as Canon Gerard has a few days away.

18th May Fifth Sunday of Easter

10 am Mass Thanksgiving Mr & Mrs Chibueze and Ifunanya Obiyor

World Youth Day Bishop Philip invites you to the Rome Youth Jubilee pilgrimage, from 28th July to 4th August. Thousands of young people will be in Rome at the invitation of the late Holy Father, Pope Francis. The cost includes flights, hotel accommodation, half board, travel in Rome, entrance and participation fees and more. For booking: youth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

<u>Welcome</u> Odin and Roman Wells, baptised last weekend.

Flores de Mayo 10 am Mass on Sunday 25th May will be our traditional celebration of Mary and you are invited by our Filipino community to stay on for lunch.

Saint Matthias, whose feast day is on Wednesday, was chosen from among Jesus' disciples to replace Judas as the twelfth apostle. After receiving the Holy Spirit with the other apostles on the day of Pentecost, he left to preach the gospel in Judea and Colchis, where he was crucified.

Wedding anniversaries Celebrating a 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th 60th or anniversary over 60 years? If so, Bishop Philip invites you to a Celebration Mass at 11 am on Saturday 21st June at St Bede's church, Basingstoke. This will be followed by a buffet lunch. It is a wonderful occasion to celebrate and witness to Marriage. Please contact our Parish Secretary or email anniversaries@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk to request a form. Please note the address is not monitored daily: you may have to wait for a reply, so please be patient. To help celebrate the occasion please could you provide a copy of your Wedding photograph, which you can upload when you return the form. If you have no internet access you can post a copy with the completed form to the following address: St Bede's Parish Office, Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX. Please mark envelope **Significant Wedding Mass**

Naming our New Parish Please indicate, via the QR Code, the name you prefer, or place a TICK below and return the slip to the Parish Office. One person, one vote, please. Voting closes this week.

The Holy Name of Jesus	
Jesus, The Good Shepherd	
Jesus, Prince of Peace	

