

ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PENTECOST SUNDAY

8th June 2025 AD Year C (Psalter Week 2)

Welcome to St Patrick's Church. Today, we mark the 'Birthday' of the Church when, just as Jesus promised, the Holy Spirit came upon the Apostles and the work of the Church begun. Through the fulfilment of Jesus' promise the Holy Spirit lives within each one of us and we are truly 'sons' of God our Father. We pray that we may be open to the power of the Holy Spirit living in us and that the Spirit will come upon us anew and fill the hearts of the faithful, kindling in us all the firs of God's love.

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11 — They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak

Responsorial Psalm: Send for Your Spirit, O LORD, and renew the face of the earth. (Psalm 104)

Second Reading: Romans 8:8-17 — For all who are led by the Holy Spirit are sons of God

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful

and kindle in them the fire of Your love.

Alleluia! ()

John 14:15-16,23b-26 — The Holy Spirit will teach you all things **Gospel Reading:**

Communion Antiphon: They were all filled with the Holy Spirit

and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia. (Acts 2:4,11)

Day		Time	Service	Intention
PENTECOST SUNDAY	8th June	9:30am 1:00pm 3:00pm		People of the Parish
Tuesday Feria	10th June	10:00am	Rosary	
Wednesday St Barnabas, apostle	11th June	9:00am 10:00am		
Thursday OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETER	12th June RNAL HIGH PRIEST	10:00am	Mass	Rita Mead
Friday St Anthony of Padua, religio	13th June ous, doctor	10:00am	Mass at St Joseph's, Havant (followed by Adoration until 12:00noon)	
Saturday Feria	14th June	12:00pm 5:00pm	.' '	
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	15th June	10:00am 10:30am	Reconciliation (Confession) SUNG MASS	People of the Parish

Prayers For The Sick: Wendy Field, Mary Webb, Joan Ramsbottom, Patricia Church, John Nowaczewski, Peter van der Merwe, Rita Mead, Dominic Cosgrave, David Reilly, Maureen Cronin, Gerard Cronin, Mike Peacock, Helen Whiting.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those recently departed: Lilly Jones

And those whose Anniversaries occur at this time: Wallace Matley (Sun) Ciara Jamison (Thu) Michael Green (Fri) May Thorne (Sat)

Queen Alexandra Hospital Chaplaincy Number: 023 9228 6000 Parish 24 Hour Emergency Number: 07584 661316 (Fr Mark)

PLEASE JOIN US IN THE PARISH HALL FOR TEA AND COFFEE AFTER MASS. This is a time to gather and share fellowship with the family of God.

NOTICES:



The late Holy Father in 'Laudato Si' emphasized that biodiversity is essential for planetary health and the survival of all organisms, including humans. We need to learn how to show a greater respect for God's creation.

So with that in mind you are invited to attend a free Biodiversity Workshop run by the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust at 6:30pm on Tuesday 10th June in the Hayling Island Community Centre. It's free and open to all. It will explore the ways in which we can improve the biodiversity of our gardens and public spaces. The evening includes a visit to the neighbouring park and Liese and Gerry's interesting garden next to the park.



RED BOX 2024: THANK YOU! In 2024 St Patrick's Congregation raised £195 through our red boxes and donations to Missio and the Mill hill Missionaries. Thank you! Our donations are part of a worldwide network of people supporting missionaries overseas through prayer and financial assistance. To see what your support does visit missio.org.uk and find out more.



The Catholic Women's League has its next session of fundraising Bingo on Wednesday 11th June in the Hall at 2:00pm. Everybody welcome. Come with friends or come alone, you won't be alone for long. And we quite understand Bingo isn't for everyone, but your neighbour may love it, so please give it a mention. Home-made cake with tea/coffee in the interval and a Raffle.



Learning Support Assistants (4 vacancies) Temporary, Part time, variable hours and days per week, (Term-time only) The Governors are seeking to appoint Learning Support Assistants to join our hardworking, committed and enthusiastic team. There are four vacancies available from general in-class support for students with additional needs to more specialist support for students with specific difficulties or within a set area of the curriculum such as maths and science. Previous experience is not necessary if you are willing to work as part of a team. Skills and full training can be provided for the right candidate. https://www.oaklandscatholicschool.org/staff/vacancies/

Closing date: Friday 20th June, 12:00pm Interviews: During week commencing 23rd June 2025

Clerk to Academy Trust Board of Directors and Executive Administrator Edith Stein Catholic Academy Trust (ESCAT) is looking to appoint a governance professional and administrator to provide a range of high-quality clerical, secretarial and administrative support to the Board of Directors and its committees and Executive Officers. https://www.oaklandscatholicschool.org/staff/vacancies/

Closing date: Monday 23rd June 12:00pm

Interviews: During week commencing 30th June 2025

Attendance and Alternative Provision Officer Part time, 25 hours per week, Term-time only. The Governors are seeking to appoint an Attendance and Alternative Provision Officer to join our team. We are looking for a person to work in a team providing a wide range of support and administrative tasks in school. https://www.oaklandscatholicschool.org/staff/vacancies/

Closing date: Wednesday 18th June, 12:00pm

Interviews: During week commencing 23rd June 2025



The next Hayling Holiday Lunch collection will be on Sunday 15th June.



We now have a new Pastoral Area website on which news from all our parishes can be found. Please use the link: https://portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/parish/havant-pastoral-area/ to access the site.



Fr Joe would like to invite you to his 40th Anniversary Celebration of Priesthood on the 14th June 2025 at 12:00pm. Mass and celebration with past and present parishioners and fellow priests. Please bring your own chairs for the party. Folding picnic chairs are ideal, as large numbers are expected and we may not have enough seats for all. There will also be limited parking on the day, so if you can share cars/use public transport/park in public car parks, it would be helpful.



St Patrick's Church celebrates 100 years this year, having been on Manor Road inviting worshippers to meet Jesus since 1925. Our main celebrations will include two dates for your diary:

Saturday 12th July

- —Centenary Celebration Party: including Fayre Activities, Barbeque, Refreshments, Music
- Sunday 21st September —Solemn Pontifical Mass celebrated by The Rt Rev Philip Egan Bishop of Portsmouth.



BOTTLES, BOTTLES!

Please bring any of your surplus bottles of wine, spirits, beer, sherry, fizz, aperitifs, etc into the church or leave in the Presbytery porch for the Bottle Stall on 12th July.