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Livestreaming at St Edmund:

www.youtube.com/@stedmundhorndean4491/streams

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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

This newsletter covers 23 August–7 September 2025

Fr. Tom Hiney writes...

Fr. Tom isn't with us yet, but he has very kindly agreed to submit a 'Fr. Tom writes...' for the newsletter:

WHAT IS PRAYER?

I have been asked to address this theme by a small group that has recently started at the Cathedral, calling themselves 'Finding Faith'. They are a combination of baptised Catholics who are rediscovering the faith, often for the first time since childhood, and those discovering the Church for the first time.

Foremost among those treasures is the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (1992), the final chapter of which answers this very question beautifully, opening with a timeless definition from St Therese of Lisieux: "For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy".

Prayer, we are told, is not something we get good at like gardening, and it is not to do with feelings. Even saints were not in ecstasy all the time. It is more like a friendship, which deepens with trust and over time. We must not always be on 'Send', but also on 'Receive', listening. It is brutal at times, because we cannot quieten our conscience in prayer.

To pray is to embark on a lifetime of sanctification, of yearning to be holier, so that one can know this loving God more closely, be united to Him more inseparably. We are, as Jesus says, speaking with a Father, be it in petition, praise, contrition or pure adoration. Overcoming distraction is not a technique, but an act of love.

I am very looking forward to joining you all from September 8th –
See you soon!



THE LITURGICAL FORTNIGHT...

DATE	TIME	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	VENUE	SACRED HEART MASS INTENTION
Saturday 23 August Our Lady on Saturday	9.30am 10am 5.30pm 5.30pm 6pm 6.15pm	Confession Mass Confession Confession Mass Mass	St Edmund St Edmund Sacred Heart St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart	Maria Aldred, RIP Patsy Ward, RIP
Vigil TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN OT				
Sunday 24 August TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.30am 10am 10.30am 4pm 6.30pm	Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass	St Edmund St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart QA Hospital Chapel Sacred Heart	In thanksgiving for Fr. Jeremy Jeanette Carolan, RIP John Debattista, RIP (FM)
Monday 25 August Feria [21st Week in OT]	11.30am 12noon 12.30pm	Adoration Mass Mass	Sacred Heart Sacred Heart QA Hospital Chapel	Mary Elizabeth Stone, RIP (FM)
Tuesday 26 August Feria [21st Week in OT]	6pm 6.30pm	Adoration Mass	St Edmund St Edmund	Arlene Lodrick & Emmy Willis, RIP, Dec'd members of Lodrick, d'Esperance & Adams families
Wednesday 27 August St Monica, memorial	10am 10.30-11.30am 11.30am 12noon 6pm	Mass Adoration Adoration Mass Reception of Body	St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	Buckfast Group, Intention
Thursday 28 August St Augustine of Hippo, Bishop, Doctor of the Church, memorial	11am	Funeral Mass	Sacred Heart	John Payne, RIP
Friday 29 August The Passion of St John the Baptist, memorial	10am 6.30pm	Mass Mass	St Joseph St Colman	
Saturday 30 August Our Lady on Saturday	9.30am 10am 5.30pm 5.30pm 6pm 6.15pm	Confession Mass Confession Confession Mass Mass	St Edmund St Edmund Sacred Heart St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart	Holy Souls Gunta & Agris, Intention
Vigil TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN OT				
Sunday 31 August TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.30am 10am 10.30am 4pm 6.30pm	Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass	St Edmund St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart QA Hospital Chapel Sacred Heart	Debra Ugoboman, RIP People of the Parish Amy Collins, RIP (Anniversary)
Monday 1 September Feria [22nd Week in OT]	12noon 12.30pm	Mass Mass	St Joseph QA Hospital Chapel	
Tuesday 2 September Feria [22nd Week in OT]	9am	Mass	St Colman	
Weds 3 September ST GREGORY THE GREAT, Pope, Doctor of the Church, feast	9.30-10am 10am 10.30-11.30am 12noon	Confession Mass Adoration Mass	St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart	Katherine Ryan
Thursday 4 September Feria [22nd Week in OT]	9.30am 10am	Adoration Mass	St Edmund St Edmund	Arlene Lodrick & Emmy Willis, RIP, Dec'd members of Lodrick, d'Esperance & Adams families
Friday 5 September Feria [22nd Week in OT]	10am 6.30pm	Mass Mass	St Joseph St Colman	
START OF NEW MASS TIMES...				
Saturday 6 September Our Lady on Saturday	11.30am 12noon 5-6pm	Adoration & Confession Mass Guided Adoration, Praise & Worship and Confession	St Michael & All Angels St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart	
Vigil TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN OT	6.15pm	Mass	Sacred Heart	John Beauvoisin, RIP (FM)
Sunday 7 September TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9am 9.30am 11am 4pm 5.30pm	Mass Mass Mass Mass Mass	St Edmund St Michael & All Angels Sacred Heart QA Hospital Chapel Sacred Heart	Kay Webb, RIP Maggie Bray, RIP In Thanksgiving for Fr. Jeremy

Please note: New Mass times highlighted in yellow

WHAT'S ON FOR THE NEXT FORTNIGHT...

DATE	EVENT	TIME	VENUE
SATURDAY 23 August	Choir Practice: We are always pleased to welcome new members to our choir. If you are interested in joining us and able to commit to a weekly practice (usually Saturdays), please do come and have a chat to me after Mass. If you have any favourite hymns that you would like us to include at some point during the 10.30am Sunday Mass, please do let me know by emailing the office office@waterlooville-catholic.org.uk	11am-12noon	Sacred Heart Church
MONDAY 25 August Bank Holiday Monday	Team Clean: No Cleaning this Monday - bank holiday. Remember that Cleanliness is next to Godliness. Why not join the 'Team Clean' to ensure His house is always clean and tidy. Give it a try - the Team are very friendly bunch. Mondays, 9-10am in church.		
TUESDAY 26 August	Rosary Group: All welcome, just pop along!	6.45pm	Sacred Heart Church
SATURDAY 30 August	Choir Practice	11am-12noon	Sacred Heart Church
SUNDAY 31 August	Nigerian Community Chaplaincy Mass & Picnic	1-5pm	Sacred Heart Church & Parish Centre
MONDAY 1 September	Team Clean	9-10am	Sacred Heart Church
TUESDAY 2 September	The Tuesday Club: Pop along for a cuppa and a chat, board games available.	2-4pm	Sacred Heart Parish Centre Room 3
	Rosary Group: All welcome, just pop along!	6.45pm	Sacred Heart Church
WEDNESDAY 3 September	Union of Catholic Mothers: Back after the Summer break! Everyone welcome – just pop in. Refreshments available.	1.30pm	Sacred Heart Parish Centre Room 3
SATURDAY 6 September	Choir Practice	11am-12noon	Sacred Heart Church
	Pre-loved Clothes Sale: Clothing for men, women, children and babies. Pay whatever you can afford – this is not a fundraising event, all donations received go into our Care in the Community fund to support those in need. For more information please contact Nina: careinthecommunity@waterlooville-catholic.org.uk	2-4pm	Sacred Heart Parish Centre
	Knit & Natter: Everyone welcome! Just bring along your wool and knitting needles. Refreshments will be provided. Why not stay for Guided Adoration and Praise & Worship which begins in the church @ 5pm.	4-5pm	Sacred Heart Narthex

NOTICES & FUTURE EVENTS ...

Important Information about Parish Office, Parish Centre & St Edmund

- You can now find Sue and Lisa in the Office up in the parish centre. We are still having issues with the installation of our new phone system, if you need to contact Fr. James in an emergency, please email him at jlewis@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk
- Sue in the new parish office will be on annual leave until Monday 1 September – we sincerely hope the telephones will be up and running by then!! This is why you have a 2-week newsletter.
- Angela, our parish centre coordinator is still on annual leave and will be back on Monday 1 September. Her email account will not be monitored during this time. Any questions regarding bookings, please keep until Angela's return.
- With Angela on annual leave during August [at St. Edmund], please can we all pull together and make sure bins are empty, the kitchen is kept clean of any snippets of food [let's keep the ants at bay] and check the toilets and narthex are clean and tidy. Thank you so much. Also, when you come into church for Mass during the week and at weekends, please check the fresh flower arrangements and water them if they need a drink. Thank you.

During August...

We welcome Fr. Joseph Balaswamy, Fr. David Conroy and Fr. John Adikwu to Sacred Heart and St Edmund during August, to assist Fr. James before Fr. Tom Hiney arrives for the weekend of 14/15 September.

Please pray for those who need our prayers...

We pray for those who are ill in mind and body. May they find comfort and hope in the tender love of Jesus. We also pray for those who care for them, that they may be blessed with the gifts of gentleness and patience.

Sacrament of Confirmation for Young People 2026

'At the heart of our faith is one truth: God loves you' (Pope Francis)

In the Autumn Term, we are beginning the journey for those that would like to consider receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation, next Summer. This is open to all young people that are in year 8 and above from September 2025.

We are beginning with the exciting, new youth alpha series. Following this, there will be an opportunity to enrol in early January for further faith-based interactive sessions to prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

We are delighted that Bishop Philip will be Confirming our young people with the Holy Spirit at the Sacred Heart Church, Waterlooville, on Tuesday 2nd June at 7pm.

If you would like to receive more information about this opportunity, please e mail:

confirmation@jesusprinceofpeace.org.uk and provide your name, age, and a parent's e mail address and mobile.

I hope you have a great Summer! Fr James Lewis jlewis@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

Amare Memoriae

We pray for the rest and peace of the soul of John Payne & Flora James who have died recently. Please remember in your prayers their families and friends at this very difficult time. John's funeral will be at Sacred Heart on Thursday 28 August @ 11am. Flora will have a private cremation and her ashes taken abroad. Her family will be arranging a memorial service to be held at Sacred Heart at the end of October, details of which will be published when confirmed.

Preparation for 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

- First Reading – Isaiah 66:18-21
- Responsorial Psalm Response – **Go into all the world and proclaim the good news.**
- Second Reading – Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

Hymns at Sacred Heart:

For those attending the 10.30am Sunday Mass at Sacred Heart, if you would like to familiarise yourself with the hymns in advance of the service please follow the links below:

- Processional – Gather us in www.youtube.com/watch?v=lbNXqjwh8is
- Offertory – What a faithful God www.youtube.com/watch?v=cVR6YB0InDk
- Communion – With all I am www.youtube.com/watch?v=EbaWskmP9rQ
- Communion – All that I am www.youtube.com/watch?v=xh5l5lVzSeM
- Recessional – My Jesus, my Saviour www.youtube.com/watch?v=c3JtVjIYWgk

Schutte Mass Setting:

- Gloria - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oeKKr2xIFMg>

Preparation for 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- First Reading – Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 [Vulgate Sirach 3:19-21, 30-31]
- Responsorial Psalm Response – **In your goodness, O God, you provided a home for the poor.**
- Second Reading – Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a

Hymns at Sacred Heart:

For those attending the 10.30am Sunday Mass at Sacred Heart, if you would like to familiarise yourself with the hymns in advance of the service please follow the links below:

- Processional – Lord I lift your name on high www.youtube.com/watch?v=zVqWEtftpTgo
- Offertory – Lord I come to you (The power of your love) www.youtube.com/watch?v=H9_0jiO5ZRM
- Communion – This is my body broken for you www.youtube.com/watch?v=47NICDheHTU
- Communion – Blest are the pure in heart www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z8h3fvk9wGY
- Recessional – Give thanks www.youtube.com/watch?v=5waffTnMH6g

Schutte Mass Setting:

- Gloria - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oeKKr2xIFMg>

CAFOD Drop the Debt!

Thank you to everyone who has already signed the Global Church Petition Appeal by CAFOD – Last chance this weekend for anyone who would like to help stop the debt crisis now!

Jesus Prince of Peace Parish Music Ministry Team

Marijke Miles writes... We are delighted to share with you that we have a new, central contact for our new Parish music network. From now on, all communications will come from this address and this is a new opportunity for *anyone* (not just leaders and co-ordinators) who is interested in being involved in future events, rehearsals planning meetings, sharing of knowledge and resources and so on to register their interest and be added to distribution lists and our database of musical activity across the Parish. Please send an email with the subject line *Expression of Interest* to music@jesusprinceofpeace.org.uk and you will receive a link to a simple Microsoft Form which, once completed, will ensure that you are included in future information sharing. This is not a one-off opportunity. You can always invite and encourage new arrivals and newly interested Parishioners to use this email address to get involved. We look forward to hearing from you!

Local Foodbanks

During the summer school holiday more families tend to use the foodbank as their children are not in school to receive a free school meal. Unfortunately, Foodbanks often run out during this long holiday. If you are able, please think about donating items of food – we have drop off points at Sacred Heart and St. Edmund's. Your generosity is always greatly appreciated. *Maureen Graham*

First Holy Communion Programme 2026

Do you have a baptised child in Year 3 or above who could make their First Holy Communion in 2026? Please email Sue in the parish office office@waterlooville-catholic.org.uk with the following information: Child's full name, date of birth, home address, parent's mobile, date & place of baptism. Full details of the programme will be emailed out to parents in the autumn. There will be a Registration session on Sunday 18 January after the morning Mass and sessions will continue on after this date. Closing date for names: Friday 31 November 2025.

Our Newsletter

All news items and forthcoming events to office@waterlooville-catholic.org.uk by 2.30pm on Wednesday for inclusion in the next issue. We reserve the right to edit any articles prior to publication due to space. Articles may not be published immediately and may be held in reserve for future use. If you would like to receive a copy via email please contact Sue.

Payments to Sacred Heart & St Edmund

Gentle Reminder:

Until the banks deem foreign coins, buttons and trolley coins as legal tender, we are unable to accept this form of payment. Please check that handful of change you delve into your pockets and purses before donating for candles and paying for shop items, as soon as Lloyds decide to accept this form of currency, we'll let you know!

If you would like to make a donation to Sacred Heart or St Edmund, there are several ways to do this:

Sacred Heart:

Cheque made payable to 'CDP Waterlooville Sacred Heart'

'Donate with Dona' button on our Webpage

Online payments in church using the Dona machine [by the Sacristy]

BACS: Lloyds bank account 01861043, sort code 309304, CDP Waterlooville Sacred Heart

St Edmund:

Cheque made payable to 'CDP Horndean St Edmund'

Donate using the Sum Up machine in the narthex

BACS: Lloyds bank account 00880222, sort code 309304, CDP Horndean St Edmund

Please consider - Gift Aiding your donation

As a charity we can get tax relief which allows us to reclaim an extra 25% in tax on every eligible donation made by a UK taxpayer. Claiming Gift Aid on donations made by parishioners means we can claim from the government 25p for every £1 you give, at no extra cost to you! Please consider completing a Gift Aid Declaration form today. Forms are available on request by emailing Yvonne for Sacred Heart or Niall for St. Edmund – Contact details in the 'Contact us' part of this newsletter.

Job Vacancies and Volunteering Opportunities

CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF PORTSMOUTH

Looking for a new opportunity?

Please visit www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/about/careers/

Could You Serve the Church as a Trustee on the Diocesan Finance Council?

Bishop Philip is seeking new Trustees to support the delivery of our 10-year Mission Plan, You Will be my Witnesses.

We're looking for people who are passionate about the Catholic church and have significant professional experience in any of the following areas: finance, especially investment management, safeguarding or social work, or strategic planning and who feel called to offer their time and skills in service of the Church.

This is a meaningful opportunity to help guide the Diocese's work across our parishes, schools, and communities, using the gifts God has given you for the good of His Church.

Closing date: Monday 1 September 2025

To find out more or request an information pack, please contact: Deacon Tony Darlison, Secretary to Trustees: tdarlison@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

For a more detailed advert, please goto www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/could-you-serve-the-church-as-a-trustee-of-the-catholic-diocese-of-portsmouth/

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