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Parish of Jesus Prince of Peace
St Michael and All Angels Catholic Church, Leigh Park

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New Weekend and Weekday Mass Schedule from Saturday 6th September 2025

(To be reviewed January 2026)

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Church</u>
<u>Saturday</u>	12:00pm	St Michael's
<u>Saturday Vigil</u>	5:00pm	St Thomas'
	6:00pm	St Colman's
	6:15pm	Sacred Heart
<u>Sunday</u>	9:00am	St Thomas'
	9:00am	St Edmund's
	9:30am	St Colman's
	9:30am	St Michael's
	11:00am	Sacred Heart
	11:00am	*St Patrick's (From 5 th October)
	11:00am	St Joseph's
	11:30am	St Paul's
	1:00pm	St Joseph's (Polish)
	4:00pm	Queen Alexandra Hospital
	5:30pm	Sacred Heart
<u>Monday</u>	7:00am	Sacred Heart
	1230pm	Queen Alexandra Hospital
<u>Tuesday</u>	9:00am	St Colman's
	6:30pm	St Edmund's
<u>Wednesday</u>	9:30am	St Joseph's
	10:15am	St Michael's
	10:30am	St Patrick's
	12:00pm	Sacred Heart
<u>Thursday</u>	10:00am	St Thomas'
	10:00am	St Edmund's
	10:30am	St Patrick's
<u>Friday</u>	9:30am	St Joseph's
	10:30am	St Patrick's
	12:00pm	Sacred Heart
	6:30pm	St Colman's
	7:00pm	St Joseph's (Polish)

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, 31st August 2025

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Scripture Readings at Mass

Ecclesiasticus 3:17-20. 28-29 *Behave humbly, and then you will find favour with the Lord.*

Hebrew 12: 18-19, 22-24 *You have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God.*

Luke 14: 1,7-14 *Everyone who exalts himself will be humble, and the man who humbles himself will be exalted.*

You are warmly invited to a gathering at St Michael's Church

Date: Sunday, 14th September, after Mass in the hall.

Occasion: Welcome to Father James and Father Tom and a chance to look ahead together as a community to share our hopes. If you have a ministry or help in any way in church life you would be most welcome.

Join us for refreshments.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Our Liturgies this week

Reconciliation; in the half hour prior to Mass

Saturday 30th August, Vigil

6 pm Mass for Clive Judge RIP
Father James Lewis celebrates Mass

31st August

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

10 am Mass for The Parish
Canon Vincent Harvey celebrates Mass

Monday 1st September, Feria

Tuesday 2nd September, Feria

Wednesday 3rd September,

St Gregory the Great,

10 am Mass for The Parish
followed by Adoration 11.30 am
Father Andrew Wagstaff celebrates Mass

Thursday 4th September, Feria

Friday 5th September, Feria

Saturday 6th September, Feria

12 noon Mass for Clive Judge RIP
Father James Lewis celebrates Mass

7th September

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.30 am Mass for The Parish
Father James Lewis celebrates Mass

Alpha and First Holy Communion details will be in next week's newsletter.

Rosary Group meet to pray each Monday at 10am. All are welcome.

Catholic Grandparents Association meet on Tuesday 9th September at 10am in the Committee Room

Our Remembrance Book is being updated.

If you have a name of a deceased loved one that you would like added please send, to office@stmichaelsleighpark.org.uk, the name, date of death and age at death. We ask for a contribution of £20 per entry payable by BACS (details are on the front of the newsletter)

Sacrament of Confirmation

for Young People 2026

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

Dear young people, parents and carers.
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!

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