

EUCCHARIST TO EUCCHARIST

Happy those who come to light
Through the night of Jesus,
Happy those who receive their selves
From the hand of their God,
Happy those who find their lives
In the death of Jesus:

Roads open up in their hearts,
They fear nothing of the second death.
In God's Paradise,
Victorious, they will eat from the Tree of Life.

Happy those who are born from above
And from the blood of Jesus,
Happy those who are grafted
On the Body of their God,
Happy those who are the prey
Of the Spirit of Jesus:

Roads open up in their hearts,
They will taste the hidden manna.
In God's Paradise,
Victorious, they will receive the Stone with the blessed Name.

Happy those who owe their names
Only to the Name of Jesus,
Happy those who are happy
With their God's happiness,
Happy those who set their steps
In the steps of Jesus:

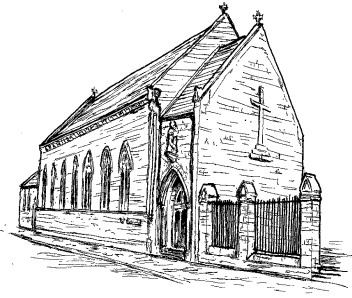
Roads open up in their hearts,
They will hold power over nations.
In God's Paradise,
Victorious, they will receive the morning Star.

Des Grillons et des anges (Paris: Desclee, 1978)

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK:

1. 'I am the living bread' says Jesus (Gospel). In what way is Jesus 'living bread' for you? How are you nourished on Jesus?
2. 'Be careful about the sort of lives you lead' St Paul writes (2nd reading). What do you need to 'alter' in your life?

Vincent Harvey



19 AUGUST 2018

**TWENTIETH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**



**ST JOSEPH'S &
ST EDMUND'S
CITY CENTRE**

**CATHOLIC PARISH
SOUTHAMPTON**

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF
PORTSMOUTH REG. CHARITY NO. 246871

STELLA MARIS DEANERY
INCLUDES:

- ST. BONIFACE, SHIRLEY
- HOLY FAMILY, MILLBROOK
- ST. VINCENT DE PAUL,
LORDSWOOD
- IMMACULATE CONCEPTION,
PORTSWOOD
- CHRIST THE KING &
ST. COLMAN'S, BITTERNE
- OUR LADY OF ASSUMPTION,
HEDGE END
- ST BRIGID, WEST END
- ST. PATRICK'S, WOOLSTON
- THE ANNUNCIATION,
NETLEY ABBEY



TODAY: SUNDAY 19 AUGUST 2018

NO SECOND COLLECTION TODAY.

PARISH THEME AUGUST—'Peace with God': to be 'one' with God. Do you need the 'Sacrament of Penance'? Avail yourself of the opportunities on a Thursday, a Saturday or by appointment.

POPE FRANCIS' INTENTION FOR AUGUST— Universal: The treasure of Families. That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.



WEDDING BELLS: Our congratulations to **Samuel Guyer & Elina Berzina** who are getting married in Lyndhurst today. May God bless them all the days of their lives.

RECENTLY DIED:



Mary Sprague late of Greensleeves Care Home (and Wilton Road, Southampton). Reception into St Edmund Church 4pm on Sunday 19 August. Requiem Mass 10am Monday 20 August followed by burial at Hollybrook Cemetery.

Davina Fernandez late of Southampton (most recently Portsmouth). Requiem service 10am Friday 31 August in St Edmund Church followed by burial at St Mary's Extra Cemetery. *May they rest in peace. Please keep their families in your prayers.*

THIS WEEK

FOR INFORMATION:

Mon: Requiem: VH. Day off: VH/RB
Tues-Tues: VH 'World Meeting of Families': Dublin (see elsewhere)
Tues: Sick and Housebound visits: RB
Wed: Meeting in Basingstoke: RB
Thur: Various appointments and packing: RB
Fri: Packing: RB
Sat: Hospital on-call: RB

FLOWER FESTIVAL PLANNING MEETING 7pm Monday 20 August in Stella Maris Hall.

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUP St Michael's, Bugle Street, Tuesdays 6pm—6:45pm.

PILATES WITH HILARY 10am Fridays in St Edmund's Hall. Text Hilary 07786 617 302 to join.

NEXT WEEKEND

'FAREWELL' TO FATHER ROSS after the 6:15pm and 10am Masses. He is with us until the beginning of September, but rather than have 'one big' celebration as it were, we are creating the opportunity of saying 'farewell and God speed' personally at our 'usual' Masses. Refreshments after each Mass (*bring and share*).

FAREWELL TO FATHER KENNETH also as he returns to Rome to continue his studies (part of which involves a month's biblical study in Israel during September). Father Kenneth will preside at the 9 & 11am Masses and then depart to the airport.

NEXT WEEK



WEDDING BELLS: Our congratulations to **Peter Dimmick & Jessica Willis** who are getting married at 12 noon Friday 31 August in St Edmund Church. May God bless them all the days of their lives.

HEALING DAY with Little Way Healing Ministries: on **Saturday 1 September 2018, 10am – 4.30pm, Please note the new venue:** Third Age Centre 3AC, 11 Cranbury Terrace, Southampton SO14 0LH. Father Laurence Brassill OSA and Mrs Pauline Edwards and team offer a day of teaching and healing. Please invite relatives, friends and neighbours, no need to be a churchgoer or even a believer. Come all day or just pop in. Jesus said: 'Lay your hands on the sick and they will be healed'... **Come and see.** Tea and coffee will be provided. Booking not required!

FATHER ROSS—'FAREWELLS' after 9am, 11am and 7pm Masses Sunday 2 September at St Edmund. Refreshments in the hall after each Mass; bring and share.

ECUMENICAL FAMILY RAMBLE 2pm Sunday 2 September at Winchester. Meet at the Five Bridges Road, St Cross. Tel. 019 6262 3636. See noticeboards for all the details.

GENERAL ITEMS



CAFOD Harvest Fast Day briefing 10:30am—1pm Saturday 8 September at St Bede's Church, Popley Way, Basingstoke, RG24 9DX to hear about their work. Please book by email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk.

HOUSE-SHARE: "I am moving to a house in Bitterne, 3 miles from St Edmund Church. There is an extra room to rent. If you are interested in a house-share with another single, female, Catholic parishioner of St. Edmund Church, please contact Claire via the Parish Office. Thank you."



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES is an international gathering that takes place every three years. In 2015 it took place in Philadelphia (Father Vincent has the tee-shirt to prove it in fact two tee-shirts!). It is a gathering of laity, families, clergy, organisations that promote and support marriage and family life. There are displays, talks, discussions. Pope Francis will arrive for the weekend, during which he will preside at Mass. Pray for us (Vincent).

CARERS are you an unpaid carer? Did you know that if you register as a carer you may be able to receive benefits and discounts? Find out more on 023 8058 2387 or website www.carersinsouthampton.co.uk

MEMORY STICK found in St Edmund Hall last weekend. Please contact the Parish Office if it belongs to you.



WE ARE LAUNCHING A DEMENTIA 'SINGING FOR FUN' GROUP to take place monthly on a *Thursday morning from 11am—12:30pm starting on 6 September in St Edmund Hall.*

If you are interested in helping or know of someone who would benefit from this please leave a message for Tina Quinn via the Parish Office 023 8033 3589. All welcome! See posters on noticeboards.

SAINT PADRE PIO OF PIETRELCINA REFLECTION DAY:

Father Des Connolly SMM invites you to join Padre Pio prayer groups and other devotees to celebrate Padre Pio's birthday/Feast day on **Sunday 23 September** on the 50th Anniversary of his death. The day will be held in Saint Joseph's Centre, 8 Lyndhurst Road, Ashurst, Southampton, SO40 7DU. The day begins at **10am for 10:30am and finishes at 4pm and will include Mass.** A donation of £22.50 per person would be very much appreciated. Please bring a packed lunch.

BISHOP PHILIP'S VISITATION: Throughout the year the Bishop formally visits parishes around the Diocese. His secretary, Father Phil Carroll, has written to Father Vincent to announce a 'Visitation' over the weekend of 8/9 December 2018. This will involve presiding at one Mass, attending and preaching at most other Masses (not every Mass), meeting various groups etc. Watch this space!

THE PARISH MISSION IN 2019: The Team met on Wednesday to discuss the timeline, group involvement, 'Mission Prayer'. Mr Paul Inwood has produced a Parish hymn on the theme of the Mission. Watch/listen out for it!!

THE SVP IS SEEKING TO RECRUIT A YOUNG VINCENTIANS PROGRAMME MANAGER, and a Mini Vinnies Officer as part of the expansion of their youth programme.

Young Vincentians Programme Manager: £30kpa; full time permanent contract. Closing date: 3pm Thursday 23rd August. Interviews: Thursday 30th August. Start date: ASAP.

Mini Vinnies Officer: £23k pro rata; 2 days/wk; one year contract. Closing date: 10am Monday 20th August. Interviews: Friday 24th August. Start date: ASAP.

Both roles based at national office. For more details & application pack, please visit the vacancies section of the SVP website: <https://www.svp.org.uk/>

CONFIRMATION 2019: The list has closed. I hope you have applied? If not then contact Father Vincent urgently!! *All who have seen Fr V should have received application forms/parental permission/timetable etc. via email if not do get in contact.*

CLERGY MOVES:

Father Ross moving to Jersey the first week of September
Father Jaya arriving the first week of September
Father Elijah, we are awaiting more news/information.

PLEASE KEEP VALUABLES SAFE AT ALL TIMES DURING MASS handbags have been stolen in the past.



WALKING PILGRIMAGE IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY to St Mary's, South Stoneham.

As many of you will know we had to cancel the walk last Sunday to South Stoneham due to the inclement weather. We are hoping to have it on Sunday, 9 September at 12:20pm (to be confirmed, watch this space).

Fully escorted **PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND**, 17th September 2018. £649 per person sharing. Price includes flight with 10kg hand luggage, all taxes, luxury transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at supplement of £100. Groups and Individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.



ONE FOR THE CHILDREN: IT IS ST MONICA'S FEAST DAY ON MONDAY 27 AUGUST: *There are stained glass windows of St Monica and St Augustine at St Joseph Church, can you spot them?*

St Monica is known for being a persistent intercessor; she desired for those closest to her to reach Heaven someday. *St Monica prayed for her son's conversion for more than 15 years. She wept and prayed constantly with faith and hope in God. What was the result of all those years of prayer?*

One of the great saints in the history of the Church: her son, St. Augustine! Saint Monica is known for her intercession for those who have fallen away from the faith, let's ask for her intercession for their conversions and reversions back to the Church.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Biddie Gooding (treatment recovery), Pat O'Neill, Dolina MacKinnon, Judy Brown, Valerie Summerton, Myra & Bosco Andrade, Marcus Boulton-Smith, Jean Mooney, Anushka Ponniah, Kushmi De'Saram, Keiran Wastall, Eloise Chessman, Albert Tan, Christopher Browne, Padraig Murphy, Bobby Murphy, Andrea Reiter, Abid & Abbas Akperally, Lucky, Sujatha & Mano Disshnayake, Daham Koralage, Jackie Galbraith, Joan Forbes, Doris Leggett, John O'Reilly, Bill Eastman, Shane Wing, Kathryn Morley, Carol Butt, Maureen Lee, Roy Reeves, Joachim Rodrigues, Donna Madden, Joyce Mguni, Noreen Kealy, Kay Kelly, Colm O'Riordan, Simon Parry, Sue Tutton, Alex Boyle, Janette Brookes, Joy Grant, Joanne Cunio, Ludwig Basisty, Irene Green, JL, Malcolm Cross, O'Hanlon family, Paul Sassu, Peter Scott, Phyllis Grattan, Maria Annunziata, Perry Cunio, Mike Mantle, NW, Joe Sculley, Pauldia Grant and all parishioners who are ill.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 19 AUGUST 2018

*(Church key to City Centre Catholic Masses below are SJ = St Joseph's Church, Bugle Street, SO14 2AH and SE = St Edmund's Church, The Avenue, SO17 1XJ)

SAT	18 AUG	VIGIL MASS	6:15PM SJ SEÁN, KATHLEEN & STEWART ADAMSON RIP (DC) 7:00PM SE MASS IN POLISH 9:00AM SE AGOSTINHO GONCALVES RIP (MG) 10:00AM SJ BERTIE MYER—CONVERSION, HEALING & WELLBEING 11:00AM SE EVELYN ROSE NOLAN RIP (2ND ANNIVERSARY— (REMEMBERING HER FIGHT FOR LIFE & THE FAMILY SHE LEFT BEHIND) (JS) 7:00PM SE A PERMANENT JOB AT EXXON MOBIL—INTS (OA)
SUN	19 AUG	20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
MON	20 AUG	ST BERNARD	10:00AM SE REQUIEM MASS: MARY SPRAGUE
TUES	21 AUG	ST PIUS X	10:00AM SE PETER THOMAS RIP (JPD)
WED	22 AUG	THE QUEENSHIP OF MARY	7:00PM SE PETER EDWARDS RIP (F)
THURS	23 AUG	ST ROSE OF LIMA	12:15PM SJ JAMES PATRICK McCONNELL RIP (DMcC)
FRI	24 AUG	ST BARTHOLOMEW	7:00PM SE ROBERT & FAMILY—GOD'S BLESSINGS (RK)
SAT	25 AUG	OUR LADY ON SATURDAY	11:00AM SE JOANNA & ANDRZEJ TYRPA—PRIVATE INTENTION (WN) 6:15PM SJ PAUL GODDARD RIP (GP) 7:00PM SE MASS IN POLISH
SUN	26 AUG	21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9:00AM SE TONY O'DONNELL RIP (AO'D) 10:00AM SJ PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 11:00AM SE AYLIFFE ELIZABETH McCONNELL RIP (KB) 7:00PM SE BARRETO FAMILY TREE (PAST) (SB)

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH WEEK 4

19 AUGUST 2018 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Psalm Response: Taste and see that the Lord is good. Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! The Word was made flesh and lived among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God. Alleluia!															
READINGS 26 AUGUST 2018 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 1st Reading: Joshua 24:1—2. 15—18 2nd Reading: Ephesians 5: 21—32 Gospel: John 6: 60—69															
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