

OUR LADY OF ENGLAND



PARISH PRIEST

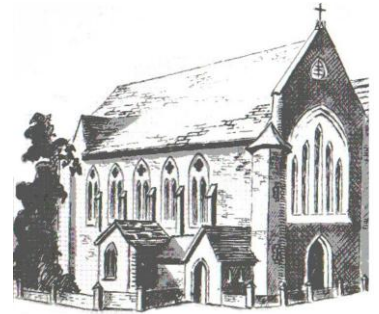
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6th Sunday of Easter, B – 6th May 2018

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

8.00pm Emmy Payne RIP

8.00am Eve Center RIP

10.00am People of the Parish

All are welcome to **COFFEE IN THE HALL** after 10am Mass every Sunday.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday after the 9.00am Mass

THANK YOU FOR YOUR OFFERINGS

1st Collection: £491:82

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Psalter Week:

TODAY 6th Sunday of Easter

No 2nd Collection

NEXT WEEK: 7th Sunday of Easter

2nd Collection: Catholic

Communications Network

6pm Sat Kathleen Cole RIP

8.00am Celebrant's Intention

10.00am People of the Parish

MONDAY 7, Monday of the Sixth Week of Easter

No Mass,

(Acts 16:11-15; John 15:26—16:4A)

TUESDAY 8, Tuesday of the Sixth Week of Easter

9.00am Mass, Luigi Ruggiero RIP

(Acts 16:22-34; John 16:5-11)

WEDNESDAY 9, Wednesday of the Sixth Week of Easter

No Mass

(Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; John 16:12-15)

THURSDAY 10, Solemnity: The Ascension of the Lord, Holy Day of Obligation

10am Mass, People of the Parish

NO EVENING MASS AT STORRINGTON. 7.30pm Mass at BILLINGSHURST

(Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Mark 16:15-20)

FRIDAY 11, Friday of the Sixth Week of Easter

No Mass

(Acts 18:9-18; John 16:20-23)

8.00pm MUSIC PRACTICE at the Old Sanctuary, Fern Road

SATURDAY 12, Saturday of the Sixth Week of Easter

9.00am Mass, Celebrant's Intention

followed by exposition and confessions until 10.15am

(Acts 18:23-28; John 16:23B-28)

6.00pm Vigil Mass

NEXT SUNDAY 13, 7th Sunday of Easter

(Acts 1:15-17, 20A, 20C-26; 1 John 4:11-16; John 17:11B-19)

OUR LOCAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ARE:

St Philip's Catholic Primary School

London Road, Arundel

Tel: 01903 882115 www.stphilipsarundel.org.uk

St Philip Howard Catholic School

Elm Grove South, Barnham

Tel: 01243 552055 www.sphcs.co.uk

**ASCENSION THURSDAY, 10TH MAY,
HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION.**

Fr Charles will be celebrating two parish Masses:
10am at Our Lady of England, Storrington,
7.30pm at St. Gabriel's, 18 East Street, Billingshurst
RH14 9QH

No Mass at Pulborough

7.30pm Mass at Storrington is cancelled.

A warm welcome to all parishioners at both Masses.

NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT Now that Ascension is returned to Thursday, we recapture the nine days of waiting for Pentecost. The following prayer is recommended each day:

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

CLOSURE OF ST CUTHMAN'S RETREAT CENTRE As many are aware the Diocesan Trustees have decided to close St. Cuthman's at the end of June. Fr Charles' additional role as chaplain there will also be ending. Trustees' statement at: www.dabnet.org/news/view/218

VOLUNTEER NEEDED to share the photo copying of the Parish newsletter on a regular fortnightly basis. If you are interested please ask Fr Charles or Frances Arter for more details.

INSPIRE 2018 - YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE, MAY 12TH Tickets available (£10) for the Diocesan Youth Ministry leadership day on May 12th at St Joseph's Church, Redhill, from 10am to 3.30pm. Open to anyone who is interested in youth and young adult ministry, including parents and Confirmation leaders. Speakers: Will Desmond, founder of the ASCENT, Dominican Friar Father Nick Crowe, Lizzie Wakeling (talking about young people and mental health), Bishop Richard, and others. Also, an update on the current discussions at the Vatican around 'Young people, faith, and vocational discernment.' Email YMBookings@dabnet.org

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 13 - 19th MAY, CAN YOU HELP? If you could spare an hour to help with our street collections on either May 16th or 19th please contact me, Anna Forster, Christian Aid Coordinator on 01903 745392

"PALESTINE-ISRAEL: PUZZLES AND PARADOXES" - an illustrated talk by Peter Cheng at Arundel Town Hall on Thursday 10th May from 7pm-9pm. Free entry and Palestinian goods for sale. Refreshments available. Do come along and listen to this balanced explanation of the 'status quo', organised by APP - Arundel for Peace in Palestine.

GIFT AID ENVELOPES Boxes of envelopes for the next financial year are now available in the porch for those who are already members of the Gift Aid scheme. If anyone would like to join the scheme, with either envelopes or a convenient Standing Order arrangement, please contact John Merchant

THE GREAT ADVENTURE. RETREAT FOR YEAR 7-9 AT WORTH ABBEY 18-20th May for all those in year 7-9. Exploring the idea that the journey of discipleship is a great adventure that we are each called to through workshops, input, prayer, worship and a whole lot of fun! Cost: £84 but bursaries are available. Info: fcarbne@wellspringbrighton.org.uk

ST PHILIP HOWARD CATHOLIC SCHOOL is looking to appoint a Food Technology and Textiles Teacher. Full details at www.sphcs.co.uk. Closing date for applications is 12noon on Thursday 10 May.

CORPUS CHRISTI AT ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL The famous Carpet of Flowers at Arundel Cathedral will be on view this year on 30th & 31st May, with Mass at 5.30pm on 31st May. All are welcome. Hundreds of visitors come to the Cathedral during this time and there are lots of opportunities for local parishioners to come and help make them welcome. If you would like to spend a few hours in the Cathedral stewarding, talking to visitors, or helping with refreshments in the Cathedral Centre, please contact the Cathedral Office on aruncath1@aol.com or 01903 882297. Help is also needed for the more physical jobs of preparing the Cathedral for Mass from 4pm on 31st May, and tidying later that evening.

Chemin Neuf

'Come Holy Spirit, fall on me now'

Pentecost Weekend, arrive Saturday 19th May from 12 noon (with a packed lunch) first meeting 2.30pm, ends Sunday 20th May 4pm. To book e-mail storrington@chemin-neuf.org or call 01903 742150

Quiet Day

A teaching, times of prayer and light lunch provided
Wednesday 16th May 10am-4pm
www.chemin-neuf.org.uk