

**EVANGELIUM CONFERENCE 2017** | Are you aged **18-35**? Would you like to find out **more about your faith**? Registration is now open for the **TENTH Evangelium** weekend residential conference on 'Explaining the Catholic faith in the modern world', taking place between 28 – 30 July 2017. Set in the beautiful grounds of the Oratory School in Reading, the acclaimed Evangelium Conference combines a unique weekend break with the opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith, assisting participants to live, share, and defend the faith today. Talks and workshops are combined with daily Mass, eucharistic adoration, and social events. The conference is intended especially for young Catholics aged 18 – 35. Workshops cover: Catholic Thought; Sacraments and Liturgy; Morals and Ethics; Prayer and Culture. Speakers this year include Prof Alister McGrath and Tim Stanley. To register, pay, and find out more, visit: [www.evangelium.co.uk](http://www.evangelium.co.uk)

**PATRICK KENNEDY RIP** | Patrick's Requiem Mass will take place on Thursday 6 July at 10.30am at Holy Rood, followed by burial at Wolvercote Cemetery.

**JOAN CHATting RIP** | Joan's Requiem Mass will take place at Our Lady of the Rosary on Wednesday 12 July at 9.30am, followed by burial at Botley Cemetery.

**JULY: MONTH OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD—Pope St John XXIII Writes:**


'As we now approach the feast and month devoted to honouring Christ's Blood—the price of our redemption, the pledge of salvation and life eternal—may Christians meditate on it more fervently, may they savour its fruits more frequently in sacramental communion. Let their meditations on the boundless power of the Blood be bathed in the light of sound biblical teaching and the doctrine of the Fathers and Doctors of the Church. How truly precious is this Blood is voiced in the song which the Church sings with the Angelic Doctor (sentiments wisely seconded by our predecessor Clement VI) :

'Blood that but one drop of has the world to win  
All the world forgiveness of its world of sin.'

Unlimited is the effectiveness of the God-Man's Blood -- just as unlimited as the love that impelled him to pour it out for us, first at his circumcision eight days after birth, and more profusely later on in his agony in the garden, in his scourging and crowning with thorns, in his climb to Calvary and crucifixion, and finally from out that great wide wound in his side which symbolizes the divine Blood cascading down into all the Church's sacraments. Such surpassing love suggests, nay demands, that everyone reborn in the torrents of that Blood adore it with grateful love.

Nourished by his Body and Blood, sharing the divine strength that has sustained count less martyrs, they will stand up to the slings and arrows of each day's fortunes -- even if need be to martyrdom itself for the sake of Christian virtue and the kingdom of God. Theirs will be the experience of that burning love which made St. John Chrysostom cry out: *Let us, then, come back from that table like lions breathing out fire, thus becoming terrifying to the Devil, and remaining mindful of our Head and of the love he has shown for us. . . This Blood, when worthily received, drives away demons and puts them at a distance from us, and even summons to us angels and the Lord of angels.*' Pope St John XXIII, 30.6.1960

**Readings for the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A**  
Zechariah 9:9-10, Psalm 144; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30

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<b>SUNDAY</b> 2 July	<b>SUNDAY 13 PER ANNUM (YEAR A) DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1</b> <b>Saturday Vigil</b> Sung Mass 5.00pm Holy Rood ( <i>Divine Worship</i> ) Confessions 6.10pm Our Lady of the Rosary Mass 6.30pm Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Barbara Bull RIP</i> Mass 7.30pm Holy Rood ( <i>in Portuguese</i> ) <b>Sunday</b> Sung Mass 9.15am Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Pro populo</i> Sung Mass 11.15am Holy Rood <i>Pro populo</i> <b>Vespers 4.15pm Our Lady of the Rosary</b>
Monday 3 July	<b>St Thomas, Apostle</b> <i>No Mass</i>
Tuesday 4 July	<i>St Elizabeth of Portugal</i> Mass 9.30am Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Anthony's Ints on his Third Birthday</i> Adoration 8.00pm Our Lady of the Rosary
Wednesday 5 July	<i>St Anthony Zaccaria</i> Mass 9.00am Holy Rood <i>Patrick Kennedy RIP</i>
<b>THURSDAY</b> 6 July	<i>St Maria Goretti, Virgin, Martyr</i> <b>Requiem Mass 10.30am Holy Rood Patrick Kennedy RIP</b> Holy Hour for Vocations; Confessions 7.00-8.00pm
Friday 7 July	<i>Feria (Friday of Week 13 per annum)</i> <span style="float: right;">First Friday</span> Mass 8.30am St Thomas More Mass 12.30pm Holy Rood ( <i>Latin, 1962</i> )
Saturday 8 July	<i>Our Lady's Saturday</i> Mass 9.00am Holy Rood 9.30-10.00am Confessions
<b>SUNDAY</b> 9 July	<b>SUNDAY 14 PER ANNUM (YEAR A) DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 2</b> <b>Saturday Vigil</b> Sung Mass 5.00pm Holy Rood ( <i>Divine Worship</i> ) Confessions 6.10pm Our Lady of the Rosary Mass 6.30pm Our Lady of the Rosary Mass 7.30pm Holy Rood ( <i>in Portuguese</i> ) <b>Sunday</b> Sung Mass 9.15am Our Lady of the Rosary <i>Pro populo</i> Sung Mass 11.15am Holy Rood <i>Pro populo</i>
<b>Our Lady of the Rosary, Botley, OX2 9BD</b> ✕ <b>Holy Rood, Abingdon Road, OX1 4LD</b> <b>St Thomas More, Grace Dieu, Boars Hill, OX1 5DN</b>	

**HINKSEY YOUTH GROUP**  
**TODAY Sunday 2 July**  
2:30-4pm -11-14 year olds  
4:15 - Vespers  
For questions please contact Melanie at  
[tipayouth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:tipayouth@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

**HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS | Lapsed Christians.**  
That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.

**OFFICE CLOSURE |** The office will be closed on **Wednesday 5 July** for a diocesan staff training day.

**FORTHCOMING FEAST DAYS & DATES FOR YOUR DIARY |**  
✱ **Sunday 16 July** Parish Picnic! We meet at 3pm at the Louie Memorial Fields off Arnolds Way (OX2 9JD). Parking there, or it's a 15 minute walk from Our Lady's. Bring a picnic, a blanket, a rounder's bat...

**FORTHCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS |** Apostleship of the Sea 8/9 July.

**PARISH COLLECTION TOTALS**  
**Week ending 25 June 2017**  
Main collection plate: £397.65  
Standing orders: £583.75  
Peter's Pence: £ 324.23

**ROTAS THIS WEEK**  
**Counting Tuesday 4 July**  
Stella and Maria

**NEWSLETTER |** Please send all notices for next week's Newsletter to the **Parish Office** by **Thursday 10 am** email [hinksey@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:hinksey@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

**CHILDREN'S DIARY**  
*Children's activities take place during the 9.15am Mass at Our Lady of the Rosary.*  
**23 July 2017:** last Children's liturgy before summer. *No Children's liturgy in the holidays*  
**3/10 September:** Children's liturgy resumes.

We are always in need for more DBS checked parishioners, especially parents. It takes few weeks to get the forms ready, so please consider filling them in before summer holidays as there will be a Safeguarding session on the **11 November** at the Rosary Room. All forms and more information about DBS check please contact our safeguarding officer Stella O'Gara. [stella\\_ogara@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:stella_ogara@yahoo.co.uk)  
For more information, please contact Blanka

**PORTSMOUTH PEOPLE |** Please take your copy from the back of the church.

**LOOP SYSTEM AND READERS' MORNING |** The new Loop System at Holy Rood is soon to be ready, so it seems an opportune moment to have a Readers' Quiet Morning one Saturday fairly soon. There will be a chance to practise on the new system, and some biblical teaching and reflection. Details to follow.  
It has also been suggested that we have some designated '**Loop Listeners**' in our churches: users of hearing-aids who can undertake to sit in different parts of the church from time to time, and check that there are no black spots, interference, or other gremlins in the system. If you might be able to help with this, at Our Lady's and soon at Holy Rood, please speak to Fr Daniel.

**10 MINUTE DIARY 2018 |** Next year's diary are ready for order. If you enjoyed having one and would like another please send a message to the office so we can order sufficient copies for everybody.

**IN OUR PRAYERS**  
**THE SICK AND THOSE IN NEED |**  
*Andres Barranco, Anderson Barranco, Sean Hodgkins, Vanessa Clark, John Finch, Maurice McAvoy, Peggy Duhig, Anne Lansberry, Ted Renshaw, Catherine Harker, Brian Hodgkins, Clifford Broome, Moira Fryer*

**FAITHFUL DEPARTED |**  
*Patrick Kennedy, Joan Chatting, Jim Chatting, Rita Pattinson*

**DAY BY DAY |** The July booklet is now available at the back of the church. Price: £1.

**SEA SUNDAY |** Next week is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. For more information about its work, visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

**PARISH GROUPS |**  
**YOUTH GROUP |** Sunday 2 July.  
**'LADIES OF THE PARISH' - COFFEE AND DISCUSSION GROUP |** First Wednesday of the month at Holy Rood, after the 9.00am Mass, Coffee/Tea/Cake and discussion.  
**WOMEN'S READING GROUP |** A group of women from the Parish meets once a month on Monday evening, 8.30-9.30pm to read and discuss together AMORIS LAETITIA. If you would like to join, please contact [maria.rosa.antognazza@kcl.ac.uk](mailto:maria.rosa.antognazza@kcl.ac.uk).  
**MEN'S GROUP |** Last Tuesday of the month, location & other details as advertised.

**ORDINARIATE |** Sung Mass, Saturdays at 5pm (for the Sunday obligation); Said Mass, 6.30pm on Thursdays, both at Holy Rood. Masses using the Ordinarate Missal, which anyone is welcome to attend, are indicated by *Divine Worship* in the newsletter. The choir is now on vacation, but the Saturday Masses will be chanted as much as possible.

**VESPERS |** One of the Second Vatican Council's least-heeded calls was for the regular public celebration of the Divine Office in the life of Catholic parishes: 'Pastors of souls should see to it that the chief hours, especially Vespers, are celebrated in common in church on Sundays and the more solemn feasts' *Sacrosanctum Concilium, 100*. We are therefore happy to announce that, on the first Sunday of the month, Vespers will be celebrated at 4.15pm at Our Lady of the Rosary. This will be led by the youth group, who meet beforehand, but **all** are encouraged to come and finish the weekend in this way.

**PILGRIMAGES ✱ ST EDMUND CAMPION** The annual St Edmund Campion Pilgrimage through the Thames Valley starts on **TODAY** with a Mass at Lyford Grange at 4pm and ends at Tyburn with a Mass on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 4.00pm. The Saint's relic is carried from church to church through the Thames Valley with over 50 Masses celebrated on the journey from Lyford Grange near Wantage, where he was captured, to Tyburn where he was put to death. Further information from John Lynn, (01628-636668)  
**TO KNOCK ✱ 16-20 August 2017**  
Have you ever been to Knock? If you'd like to join Fr John Chandler and the parishioners of Our Lady and St John in August 2017, please make contact with Liz Chidlow: 023 (92) 554 970. For more details please see poster in church.