



**23rd Sunday of Ordinary
Time**

Sunday Masses

Sat 6.00pm St Joseph's
Sun 9.15 am St Joseph's
11.00am St Joseph's

Weekday Masses this week

Tuesday Requiem 11am St Joseph's
6.00pm St Joseph's
Thursday 6.00pm St Joseph's



6th September 2009

Congratulations to Karen Duffy and Glen Beavis and to Patricia Collins and Andrew Tanner who were married in St Joseph's Church during the week. We wish each couple long, healthy and happy lives together.

Requiem Mass will be said for Michael McDonnell at 11am on Tuesday 8th September in St Joseph's Church, with reception of the body into the church at 5.30pm on Monday 7th September.

9.15am Sunday Masses are currently being celebrated at St Joseph's Church.. Anyone requiring transport to St Joseph's, please be at St Andrew's Church car park at 8.45am on Sunday morning.

Sunday Masses. Due to ill health last weekend, Father George was unable to explain the reasons for moving the 11am Masses to St Andrew's Church from the end of September. We have a number of families with young children who have not been offered the facility to bring their children for Children's Liturgy as there is no room available for this at St Joseph's Church. We also do not have the use of a toilet, which is essential for such young children, not to mention the elderly. Decisions will be reviewed at the end of the year and changes in Mass times may occur.

Transport to St Andrew's Church. If you either need or can offer transport to the 11am Sunday Masses at St Andrew's, please write your details on the relevant board at the front of St Joseph's Church.

Youth Mass, Sunday 13th September, 11am at St Joseph's Church.

SVP will meet on Tuesday 8th Sept, 8pm, usual venue. Details from the Parish Office.

Welcome Group meeting, Thurs 10th Sept, 7.30pm at the Parish Centre, not at St Andrew's Church.

KIT information evening, Tues 22nd Sept. 7.30pm at the Parish Centre. Details from Sheila 01794 518071.

APF box holders. Please will you contact Patrick Coughlan (01794 515851) as soon as possible to let him know if you want to continue as a box holder or not.

The relics of St Therese of Lisieux will be in Portsmouth Cathedral on 16th & 17th September. The 3Rivers Pastoral Area is especially invited to the 6-6.30am period of the all night vigil. This half hour will be led by John di Meo.

Exhibition of Tim Patrick's Florence Drawings, Wisdom House, 7th – 11th September, 9.30am – 4.30pm. Coffee after the Sunday 11am Mass will be in Wisdom House on 6th September.

Come and see what's being done at St Andrew's Church. The building will be open from 2-4pm on Sunday 6th September and all are very welcome to just walk in and look around.

Parish Priest: Father George Lyons Deacon: John di Meo Parish Office: 26 Abbey Water, Romsey, SO51 8EJ Tel: 01794 513646 Sec: Rosemary Peacock E-mail: sasj@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk Hours: Tues: 14.30-18.30; Wed & Thurs: 10.30-12.30 & 13.00-15.00 Parish website: www.sasj.org.uk Hospital Chaplains: Southampton: 02380 798517 Winchester: 01962 852804 Safeguarding Rep: Pauline Bartlett 01794 511619; psbartlett@ntlworld.com	Priest: Emergency contact number: 02380 612430 (Eastleigh). Other matters to be referred to the Parish Office please.	Sunday 6th Sept 2009
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Year B 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time *Isaiah 35:4-7 James 2:1-5 Mark 7:31-37*
(P.69 in Parish Mass Book) **Let our ears be opened to hear the word of God**

23rd Week of Ordinary Time Cycle 1 **Sunday 6th to Saturday 12th Sept 2009** **Psalter week 3**

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Michael McDonnell and Lady Crosthwaite Eyre who both died recently.
Mass Intentions: Sat 5th Sept 6pm, James Campbell R.I.P; Sun 6th 11am Sr Elizabeth R.I.P; Thurs 10th 6pm, Alice Porter (anniversary); Sat 12th 6pm, Anita Mutton.
Anniversaries: Margaret Griffiths (1979); Francisco Cozzetto (1980); Geraldine Collins (1977); Lesley Pepitone (1979); Sr Louise Marie (2002); Phyllis Anstey (1999); Philomena Rogers (2004); Alice Porter (2007); Agnes Brown (1982). **R.I.P.**

SCRIPTURE EACH DAY		EVENTS AND MEETINGS
Help our understanding to come to full development <i>Colossians 1:24-2:3</i> <i>Luke 6:6-11</i> The Nativity of Our Lady <i>Micah 5:1-4</i> <i>Matthew 1:1-16.18-23</i> Aim for the things of heaven, not those of man. <i>Colossians 3:1-11</i> <i>Luke 6:20-26</i> Be clothed with compassion and love <i>Colossians 3:12-17</i> <i>Luke 6:27-38</i> Do not be a hypocrite <i>1 Timothy 1:1-2.12-14</i> <i>Luke 6:39-42</i> Actions speak louder than words <i>1 Timothy 1:15-17</i> <i>Luke 6:43-49</i>	Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri Sat	Requiem Mass for Michael McDonnell, 11am, St Joseph's Mass: 6pm in St Joseph's Church Meditation, 2.15pm, contact Pat on 01794 512006 Rosary, 7.30pm, Marie Louise House Oratory SVP 8pm, usual venue Mass: 6pm in St Joseph's Church Welcome Group 7.30pm, Parish Centre Word with Communion Liturgy 10am, St Joseph's. Mass: 6pm in St Joseph's Church

Thanks to the walkers, eleven of whom enjoyed a pleasant stroll around Shawford last Monday. We hope to have one more walk this year in October.

Cleaning We intend to appoint a cleaner for the Parish Centre, paid work for 2 hours per fortnight. Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested.

Please remember that a PPC representative is available at all weekend Masses.
Weekend 12th / 13th September 2009

Preparing for 12th / 13th Sept	Cleaning St Joseph's Church: Eileen Patrick	Flowers at St Joseph's Lindsay Esplin Jones	
	Ministers of Communion	Ministers of the Word	Welcomers
Sat 6pm St J	Charles Crampin	Jo Kyte, Patrick Coughlan	Jean Prescott, John Marsh
Sun 9.15am St J	John Harcourt or M French	Ann Heslop, Jim Sweeney	Lesley Foster
Sun 11 am St J	Sr Catherine	YOUTH MASS READERS	YOUTH MASS WELCOMERS

HELPING HANDS -- Don't feel alone during a crisis -- RING ANGELA on 01794 340403 --

