



## Havant Pastoral Area

### Catholic Parish of St. Joseph's, Havant and Emsworth

Saturday, 26th - Sunday, 4th July, 2010. 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### Graham Threader RIP

We offer our sympathy to Pamela and her family on the death of Graham in Q.A. Hospital last week. Graham had a long struggle with cancer and died at 58.

His funeral Mass is on Friday, 2nd July at 10.15am followed by committal at Warblington Cemetery.

Please note that this will be the only Mass on Friday although it is the first Friday of the month.

#### Patricia Camilleri RIP

Patricia was a long-standing member of St. Joseph's parish. She lived in Park Lane, Bedhampton. Her funeral Mass will be on Wednesday at 11.30am at St. Joseph's.

May they both rest in peace.

#### Post Baptism Gathering

All the parents who have had their children baptised in St. Joseph's during the last two years, have been invited to an informal gathering on Saturday, 3rd July at 3.00pm in the Small Hall. Light refreshments will be available from 3.00-4.00pm. If you would like to socialise with these young people, you are most welcome to join us.

#### Flat at the Presbytery

The upstairs flat at the back of the presbytery has now been let once more. Please keep the drive up to the cemetery gate clear at all times.

#### The Visit of Pope Benedict

Various prayer resources will be available shortly for the Pope's visit in September, 16th-19th. Those with access to the internet can download some of these now. Just visit [www.thepapalvisit.org.uk](http://www.thepapalvisit.org.uk)

In connection with the Pope's visit, some of the Catholic papers have produced information booklets on the Catholic Church. These are free and are available at the back of the church. If you know somebody who might be interested, please pass on a copy.

For those of you who have the appropriate equipment, EWTN (Global Catholic TV Network) will be giving full coverage of the Papal visit. Full details of how to get EWTN are at the back of the church.

#### 'Living Faith'

This little booklet is now available for the next quarter. It has a daily reflection and is very popular with special people in our community. Price £1.

#### 'Faith Today'

This is a new publication. There are some free samples available at the back of St. Joseph's and you are most welcome to take a copy.

#### Living our Faith

The fund-raising campaign continues in parishes around the diocese. The pledges now received have reached £11.8m which is wonderful - this is from 71 parishes.

Willie Willerton will send the latest newsletter to all those whose emails we have, this weekend. Many thanks again for your generosity and support.

#### Sylvia McManus RIP

We offer our sympathy to John McManus and his family on the death of Sylvia, who died on 11th June. Her funeral Mass took place last Tuesday at St. Michael & All Angels, Leigh Park. May she rest in peace.

#### Retiring Collection

There is a retiring collection today for Peter's Pence.



"Well, how old will I have to be to do what I like?"  
"I don't know; no one's lived that long yet!"

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## Special Mass

At a special Mass in the Cathedral on Thursday, 22nd July at 11.00am, a new nine foot statue of St. John the Evangelist will be unveiled by Archbishop Vincent Nichols and Cardinal Murphy O'Connor. The bishop has sent 2 tickets for St. Joseph's Parish. If you would like to attend, please see Fr. Tom.

## Mail Drop

People living in Beacon Square, Seafields and Esmond Close will receive a letter from the parish this week with our prayers.

## Sponsored Walk

The Justice and Peace Group will be holding a sponsored walk for CAFOD on Wednesday, 30th June starting at 7.30 at St. Thomas' car park. Please come along and support this. The group will be asking for sponsorship after Masses this weekend.

## Readings This Weekend

- † **First Reading** - 1 Kings 19: 16, 19-21
- † **Psalms** - 15
- † **Second Reading** - Galatians 5: 1, 13-18
- † **Gospel** - Luke 9: 51-62

## Reconciliation

Saturdays, Ss. Thomas' at 11.00am and at St. Joseph's at 7.30pm.

## Annual Naval Mass

The annual Naval Mass will take place at St. John's Cathedral on 11th July at 10.00am. This is an opportunity for parishioners in the Royal Navy and Royal Marines and their families to celebrate their identities as Catholics and as members of the Navy Family.

If you would like to attend, or require further information, please contact Fr. Simon Bradbury at HMS Sultan on (023) 9254 2437.

## Oaklands Catholic School

After 37 years teaching at the school, Judith Hoar is retiring from Oaklands in July. A Mass of thanksgiving for her service, followed by a reception is being held on Friday, 2nd July at 6.00pm in the School Hall. Former members of staff, students and parents are warmly invited to attend. For catering purposes, please can you notify the school if you wish to join us on (023) 9225 9214 or by email to k.hopkins@oaklands.hants.sch.uk

## Are You an Artist?

Would you be interested in producing a piece of artwork to exhibit in the church for next year's Emsworth Arts Trail or Havant Arts Trail? Both art trails take place next May 2011 but we are trying to find out now if anyone would be interested in producing a new piece of artwork on the theme of 'Pentecost' that would be displayed in the churches as part of these events.

If you think you might be interested in joining in, please contact Stuart Thompson on 01243 377411 or email Stuart.thompson@rya-online.net

## Diary

**Sunday, 27th** - 11.00am Baptism of Lily.

**Tuesday, 29th** - Feast of Ss. Peter & Paul, Holy Day of Obligation. 9.30am Mass at St. Joseph's, 2.00pm Mass at St. Thomas More's School and 7.30pm Mass at Ss. Thomas.

**Wednesday, 30th** - 11.30am Funeral Mass for Patricia Camilleri RIP.

**Wednesday, 30th** - 7.30pm, 1st Holy Communion Parents' meeting.

**Friday, 2nd** - 10.15am Funeral Mass for Graham Threader RIP.

**Saturday, 3rd** - 3.00pm Post baptism gathering for parents and children in the Small Hall.

**Sunday, 4th** - 1st Holy Communion Going Forth Mass followed by 12.30pm shared lunch for all.

### Mass Times at St. Joseph's

**Sat, 26th** - 6.30pm Vigil Mass

**Sun, 27th** - 11.00am Mass (*Bridie Prior RIP*)

**Mon, 28th** - 9.30am Mass

**Tues, 29th** - 9.30am Mass for Ss. Peter & Paul

**Weds, 30th** - 9.30am Mass (*Joe Brooks RIP*)

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**Patricia Camilleri RIP**

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### Mass Times at Ss. Thomas'

**Sun, 27th** - 9.00am Mass

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(*Tom Counihan RIP*)

**Tues, 29th** - 7.30pm Mass for Ss. Peter & Paul

**Sat, 3rd** - 10.30am Mass  
(*May Peacock RIP*)

**Sun, 4th** - 9.00am Mass  
(*Deceased Parents of Bob & Rosemary Mears RIP*)

**Sun, 4th** - 6.00pm Mass (*Eamon Rafferty RIP*)