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Society of the Catholic Apostolate (Pallottines)

**OFFICE HOURS TUE-FRI 10.30AM-2.00PM**

**(Please leave a voice message at other times when phone cannot be answered)**

Sunday Mass: 6pm (Sat.), 10am, 11.30am.

Masses on Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sat: 10am

Confessions after 10am and 6pm Masses on Saturdays

Parish Priest: Fr Eamonn Monson, SCA

Parish Deacon: Rev. Duncan Brown

**Fifth and Sixth (World Day for the Sick & Day for the Unemployed)**

**Sundays in Ordinary Time, 4th and 11th February**

Mass Book: pp. 134 & 137

*Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted.*

*You are my refuge, O Lord;  
You fill me with the joy of salvation.*

**Mass List from 4th February**

SAT., 3rd Feb., Vigil of Sunday:

6pm: Janette McMurray RIP, recently deceased

SUNDAY, 4th Feb:

10am: In thanksgiving, Mary Oliver & Remembering Jenny Rowley RIP

11.30am: Stephanie Morris RIP

TUES, 6th Feb, ss. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs of Japan:

10am: Jean Page intentions

WED., 7th Feb.

10am:

THURS. 8th Feb. Day for victims of trafficking. St Josephine Bakhita, 10am:

Pat Ripley RIP

FRI. 9th Feb. Day of Abstinence,

10am: 30th Birthday Intention

Saturday 10th Feb. Our Lady on

Saturday, 10am: Tanya Dackitch RIP

**LENT BEGINS WEDNESDAY  
FEBRUARY 14TH**

**Mass List from 11th February**

Sat. 10th Feb., 6pm Vigil of

Sunday: Jean Kelly RIP

Sun. 11th Feb: 10am:

Philomena Fritchley RIP, 1st anniv.

11.30: Annelous Igbokwe,

In thanksgiving

TUES, 13th Feb., Shrove Tuesday:

10am:

WED., 14th Feb, Fasting & Abstinence, Ash Wednesday,

Masses with Distribution of Ashes, 10am: Anne Press RIP, recently deceased.

7.30pm

THURS. after Ash Wed, 15th Feb,

10am:

FRI. after Ash Wed, 16th Feb, Day of Abstinence:

10am:

SAT. after Ash Wed., 17th Feb.,

10am: **NO MASS** - Funeral of Fr Stephen Ortiger OSB at Worth Abbey @ 10.30AM

**CARLO ACUTIS HOLY HOUR**

St. Mary Star of the Sea Church,  
Wednesday Feb 7th at 7pm and  
every first Wednesday of the  
month. All are welcome.

### **St. Mary Star of the Sea community club**

Meets in the church hall on Mondays (entrance from the car park in the Bourne) 10.15am to 12 noon

#### **Programme for January/February/March:**

February 5th. An old-town family through the ages.

February 12th Jane from Hastings college will look at all aspects of water supply and disposal.

February 19th Reminiscing Project- how far have we got?

February 26th The voyage of the Sunbeam. Local speaker Ken Brooks

March 4th Games and chat

March 11th Update on aspects of the NHS

March 18th Talk by Claire Power (subject to be confirmed)

March 25th Quiz and closing for Easter

### **LITTLE STARS PLAYGROUP at Sacred Heart School Hall**

Every Thursday during school terms, 9 – 11am

Free play, craft activities, singing & snack time! Fun, informal, community-led group

All very welcome. No need to book. £3 per family.

### **DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP**

Next meetings are downstairs in the presbytery at 3pm on  
Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, and March 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>. All are warmly welcome.

### **PARISH MEN'S GROUP:**

Next meeting will be in the church on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm and fortnightly from then on.  
All men are warmly welcome.

### **FOOD BANK**

Please put donations of disposable nappies & in-date, non-perishable food in the basket in the church foyer.

### **SAFEGUARDING**

Dear Parish Safeguarding Reps, Please see below upcoming dates for our **Creating a Safer Environment** training sessions (all on Zoom). This training is aimed at PSR's, Group Leaders, and Coordinators of activities in Parishes, who also need to know the elements of our Creating a Safer Environment Policy. Email [Safeguarding@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Safeguarding@abdiocese.org.uk) to register.

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February 11:00-12:30 Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March 14:00-15:30 & Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 19:00-20:30

### **Christian Voices, the local Musical Drama Group**

will present their play, *"The Wedding at Cana"* in St. Mary Star of the Sea Church Hall on  
**Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> February at 2.30 p.m..**

The play is based on the first miracle Jesus performed when He changed water into wine. Admission is free but any donation made at the end of the performance will be given to Our Time, a charity based in St Leonards-on-Sea, who help children and young people cope with emotional well-being, anxiety or separation.

The Play lasts about 45 minutes – Please come and support Christian Voices.

You can find out more about the Group on their website: [www.christianvoicesbexhill.com](http://www.christianvoicesbexhill.com)