



PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Millbrook

Our grateful thanks to Fr Michael, Fr David, Fr George, Fr Kevin and Fr John for offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass this week. Please continue to pray for our dear friend Fr Jean-Patrice, for all of our priests and seminarians, not least for vocations to the Sacred Priesthood.

“If there is no priest, then there is no Holy Mass; if there is no Holy Mass, then there is no consecration of the Sacred Host. Without the consecration of the Sacred Host, there is no Holy Communion; and if there is no Holy Communion, then there is no Sacramental Presence of Jesus. That means that we become spiritual orphans.” (St. Jean Marie Vianney, Cure d’Ars; Catechism on the Priesthood)

Spiritual Bouquet for Fr Jean-Patrice

We would like to send a spiritual bouquet for the speedy recovery of our dear friend Fr Jean-Patrice. If you would like to commit to praying a rosary, having a Mass offered, or similar please make a note on the list at the back of the Church and we will send the bouquet for his speedy recovery.

Novena Booklet

We are delighted that, with perfect timing, John Debil’s Novena booklet, Novena in Honour of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary of La Naval de Manila, has received Bishop’s Egan’s imprimatur and has now been published.

Whilst it is available to order via the internet it is also available in the Repository at £9 (the latter, naturally, being a better place to buy!)

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, pray for us



October is the Month of the Most Holy Rosary

Endeavour this month to pray at least one Rosary every day, preferably as a family. Please pray for the salvation of souls; for those who are sick and those who care for them; for vocations to the Sacred priesthood and for the Holy Catholic Church.

Please pray each day for our priests and seminarians and for vocations.

Adoration (Thursday evening until Saturday evening);

Rosary, Vespers and Benediction (Sundays 4pm)

outdoor **Rosary** Monday 9am, Tuesday 10am

Stations of the Cross (the Church is open from 9am until 7pm daily)

First reading**Wisdom 7:7-11**

I esteemed Wisdom more than sceptres or thrones, I prayed, and understanding was given me; I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me. I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones; compared with her, I held riches as nothing.

I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer, for compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand, and beside her silver ranks as mud. I loved her more than health or beauty, preferred her to the light, since her radiance never sleeps. In her company all good things came to me, at her hands riches not to be numbered.

Responsorial Psalm**Psalm 89(90):12-17****Fill us with your love so that we may rejoice****Second reading****Hebrews 4:12-13****The word of God cuts more finely than a double-edged sword**

The word of God is something alive and active: it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts. No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves.


Gospel**Mark 10:17-30****Give everything you own to the poor, and follow me**

Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away sad, for he was a man of great wealth.

Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted, 'My children,' he said to them 'how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.' They were more astonished than ever. 'In that case' they said to one another 'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at them. 'For men' he said 'it is impossible, but not for God: because everything is possible for God.'

Peter took this up. 'What about us?' he asked him. 'We have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no one who has left house, brothers, sisters, father, children or land for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not be repaid a hundred times over, houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and land – not without persecutions – now in this present time and, in the world to come, eternal life.'

*****SECOND COLLECTION*******Sunday 20th October****Missio—Foreign Missions**



HOLY FAMILY, SOUTHAMPTON

Parish Notices

Confirmation

We are now taking applications for those **young people** wishing to undertake preparation to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation—please complete this link <https://forms.office.com/e/jpMVZbmU0M>

For those **adults** who would like to become a Catholic, and those **adults** who are not yet confirmed, you are invited to join us on Monday 14th October at 7pm in the Louis Suite.

Please contact ministry@holyfamilysouthampton.org.uk

Stressed?

Relax in the presence of Our Blessed Lord, bathe in His Love

The Parish is seeking regular Adorers of Our Blessed Lord

11-12 noon Saturday mornings

2-3 pm Saturday afternoons

And other hours from 8pm Thursdays right through until 6pm Saturdays

Please contact ministry@holyfamilysouthampton.org.uk

Saturday 12th October

Rosary Crusade London

Assemble by 1.45pm outside **Westminster Cathedral**, (Ambrosden Ave)

Procession to Brompton Oratory, Brompton Road, London, SW7

(nearest underground: South Kensington)

also

The Filipino Choir of Southampton host a Day with Mary at **St Edmund's Church, Southampton** 11am - 5:00 pm. The theme is Mary and the Eucharist - A Pilgrim's Guide. Mass at 11am - Coronation of Our Lady's statue; Marian Talk 1pm, Eucharistic Adoration 2pm; Holy Rosary 4pm. Light lunch, refreshments in Church Hall. All welcome.

Let there be Light—Angels and Saints Party

All Saints Eve 31st October 5-7pm.

We shall be holding a party for the youngsters on All Saints Eve. There will be food and games, followed by a candlelight procession and night prayers in the Church.

All children are invited to come to this Christian celebration. Parents are welcome to come along to help.

Please complete a registration form so we know numbers (and allergies etc).

The evening will be free, but donations are always welcome and please bring a plate of food to share.

Job vacancies in the Diocese <https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/about-us/other/jobs>

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY



Holy Mass OF = Ordinary Form, EF = Extraordinary Form

13 Oct (Sun)	TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.00 am (EF) 10.30 am (OF)	John Comerford (int) Margaret Barrett (RIP)
14 Oct (Mon)	NO MASS TODAY		
15 Oct (Tues)	St Teresa of Avila	9.15 am (OF)	Vung Van Le & Lost Souls
17 Oct (Thur)	St Margaret Mary Alacoque	7.30 pm (EF)	John Smith (RIP)
18 Oct (Fri)	St Luke, Evangelist	9.15 am (OF)	Maria Le Thi Buong & Peter Le Van Hoi (RIP)
19 Oct (Sat)	Our Lady on Saturday Vigil	9.15 am (OF) 6.30 pm (OF)	Olivia & Moses Shields People of the Parish
20 Oct (Sun)	TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9.00 am (EF) 10.30 am (OF)	Brenda Theobald (RIP) Natty Twomey (RIP)

Please hand Mass intentions to Fr Benjamin, to Catherine, or place in the collection basket.
We are currently booking Mass intentions for **November**.
EF Mass intentions are now fully booked for this year.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

October 12th Rosary Crusade, London, 1.45pm 20th Rite of Welcome 26th Bring and Share Social 7pm 27th Rosary Rally, Portsmouth 2.30pm 31st All Saints Eve Children's Party 5.00pm	November 1st All Saints—Holy Day of Obligation 2nd All Souls 2nd Youth Group 3-6pm 2nd Men's Group 16th Christmas Fair 17th Blessing of Graves 26th Finance Committee 30th Bring and Share Social
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<p>Confessions (when there is Mass)</p> Saturday: 5.30—6.20 pm Monday & Thursday: 6.45—7.20 pm Tuesday & Friday: 8.30—9.10 am	<p>Groups/Activities in the Louis Suite</p> Outdoor Rosary—Mondays at 9am; Tuesdays 10am Sewing Group - Tuesdays at 10.00am Gardening Club - Tuesdays 10am until 12 noon Mother's Prayers Wednesdays at 2.00 pm Lunch Group Fridays, fortnightly at 12.00 noon: NEXT LUNCH: 18th October Youth Group 1st Saturdays 3.00-6.00 pm Catholic Men's Group 1st Saturdays at 7:30 pm Bring a Plate to Share Social Last Saturdays at 7.30pm
<p>Eucharistic Adoration</p> Thursday 8.00 pm to Saturday 6.00 pm	
<p>Rosary, Vespers & Benediction for Vocations</p> Sunday: 4.00 pm	

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