



Sacred Heart Parish, Bordon

Tonight, we shall celebrate the most important Mass of the year for all Catholics.....

Tonight, Lent will draw to a close and all of the 'spiritual weapons of self-restraint' we have developed during the past 6 weeks through penance and self-denial now need to be put to use!

We will also have the joy and privilege of celebrating the Sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion) for our eleven catechumens during Mass tonight, which begins at 8:30pm.

We have had an incredible Holy Week so far and I wish to express my gratitude to all those who have been working so hard – to our Altar Servers and Readers; Jeanneth for the beautiful psalmody, Martin on the projector and Frances for all the sacristy work. Thank you to those who helped to clean and decorate the church and of course thank you to Deacon Kim for his help and support to me.

We continue to ask the Lord to bless us this weekend as we do our best to love and serve Him above all things.



Parish Mission Statement:

“We are here to make Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament better known, loved, honoured, worshiped and adored. All of our efforts in this parish will be geared towards helping every individual to discover the Lord waiting for them to approach Him in the tabernacle”.

PARISH SUPPORT



Standing
Order

Making your weekly offering via **Standing Order** is the best way to give, if possible. It means we know how much will come into the parish each week / month and it also means that if you happen to be away, the parish will still receive your support. The Bank details you need to set up a Standing Order are:

Account Name:

CDP BORDON AND GRAYSHOTT

Sort Code: 30-93-04

Account Number: 01755138

GIFT AID

Anyone who pays income tax on pensions, wages etc can complete a **Gift Aid form** and increase whatever they offer to the parish by 25% at no extra cost to them (**the taxman donates it to the parish from what you have already paid him!**)



Another way to support the parish (at no extra cost to you!) is to do your online shopping through 'Easyfundraising'. By doing this the companies you shop with will donate from your bill to the parish.



Parish Easter Raffle

Win this delicious chocolate hamper!

Tickets 50p each or a book of 5 tickets for £2.50
The draw will take place after the 10am Mass on
Easter Sunday.... Good luck!



Friday Soups....

12:30pm – 2:30pm EVERY FRIDAY

Do drop in between 12:30pm and 2:30pm for some delicious soups! Bring a friend if you can – it's a great way to welcome visitors to the parish, especially if they are not Catholics.








Adults becoming Catholic this Easter

Please keep in your prayers all those adults preparing to receive the Sacraments this Easter. We pray especially for Luker, Brian, Temdai, Sandy, Ian, Robert, Camila, Beatrix, Nikodem, Elliott and Sebastian who will receive the sacraments here, in this parish this Easter.

International food Easter Sunday

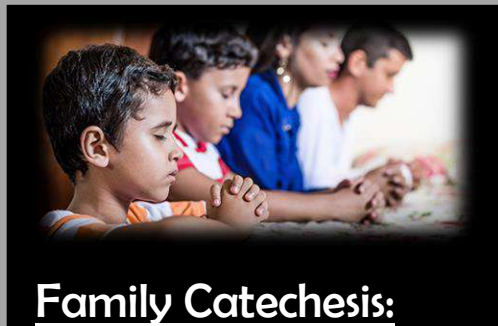
After Mass on Easter Sunday, we will celebrate the end of our fast together sharing foods from around the world! If you can help, please add your name to the sign-up sheet which will be in the porch of the church in the next few weeks.

Sacramental Preparation in the Parish

						
<p>Baptism preparation:</p> <p>The next Preparation course begins in the New Year.</p>	<p>Confession:</p> <p>Available 30mins before every Mass and:</p> <p>5pm Sat 6pm Tues 11am Fri</p>	<p>First Confession and Holy Communion:</p> <p>Saturday 6th April at 10am</p>	<p>Confirmation class:</p> <p>Sunday 14th April after Mass</p>	<p>Marriage Preparation:</p> <p>It takes approx. 1 year to prepare for Marriage. Catholics must be Confirmed before Marriage.</p>	<p>Holy Orders:</p> <p>If you have ever considered a Vocation to the Priesthood / Deaconate, please speak to Fr John.</p>	<p>Last Rites:</p> <p>If there is ever the danger of death, please contact Fr John immediately.</p>



Confession Times:
30mins before every Mass &
 5pm on Saturdays
 6pm on Tuesday
 11.00am on Fridays
 Or by appointment

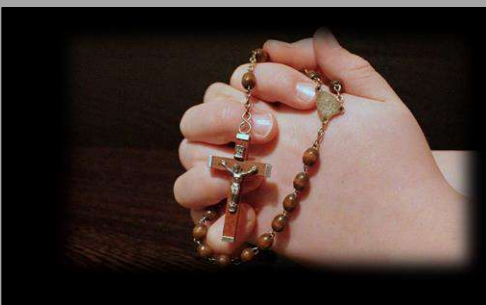


Family Catechesis:
 Learn about our faith as a family.... Every two weeks at 10am on Saturday mornings



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:
 Tuesday 6pm
 Friday 11.00am
 Saturday 5pm






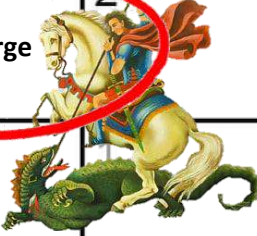



Benediction: 5:45pm on Saturdays



Devotions:
 Holy Rosary: Wed after Mass
 Fri 11:30am
 First Friday: Every first Friday



APRIL 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31 		2 	3	4	5 	6 First Holy Communion session
7 Divine Mercy Sunday	8 Annunciation of the Lord	9	10	11	12 	13
14 Confirmation Session	PARISH PILGRIMAGE					20 First Holy Communion session
21 Confirmation Mass Cathedral 	22	23 	24	25	26 	27
28	29 Bible Study 	30	1	2	3 	4 First Holy Communion session

How to Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy

LAUDATE MARIAM

For the Sake... On the 10 Small Beads of Each Decade

Conclude with Holy God... (Repeat three times)

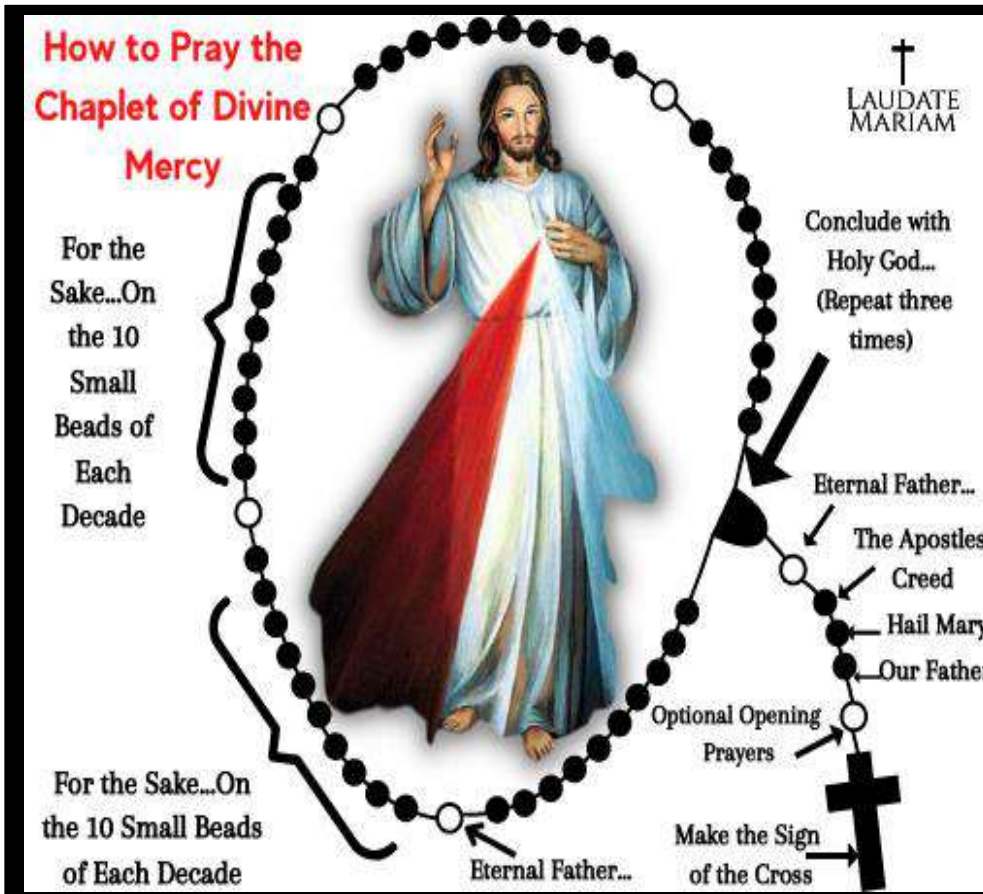
Eternal Father...
The Apostles' Creed
Hail Mary
Our Father

Optional Opening Prayers

Make the Sign of the Cross

For the Sake... On the 10 Small Beads of Each Decade

Eternal Father...



Divine Mercy Sunday

Holy Hour
7th April
2:30pm

Novena begins on Good Friday

Saturday 30th March

Easter VIGIL

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Mass:

8:30pm

Our Catechumens

Sunday 31st March

Easter Sunday

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Resurrection

Holy Mass:

10:00am

People of the Parish

Monday 1st April

Within the Easter Octave

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Souls

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Brian and Tendai Intentions

Tuesday 2nd April

Within the Easter Octave

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Angels

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Luker and Nikodem Intentions

Wednesday 3rd April

Within the Easter Octave

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to Saint Joseph

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Sandy and Elliot Intentions

Thursday 4th April

Within the Easter Octave

Luminous Mysteries

Dedicated to The Blessed Sacrament

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Camila, Beatrix and Rober Intentions

Friday 5th April

Within the Easter Octave

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Cross

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Ian and Sebastian Intentions

Saturday 6th April

VIGIL MASS

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Confessions and Adoration:

5:00pm

Holy Mass:

6:00pm

People of the Parish

Sunday 7th April

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Resurrection

Holy Mass:

10:00am

Lucie Smyth Intentions

DIVINE MERCY
Sunday



Holy Hour from
2:30pm – 3:30pm

Confession, Adoration, recitation
of the Chaplet & Benediction