

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Bordon

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## Give to God what belongs to God.

'Therefore, render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's.'

In today's Gospel we're reminded not to confuse or to conflate what is worldly with what is heavenly.

We have been thinking about the seen and unseen, the visible and invisible, the natural and the supernatural, heaven and earth, body and soul recently and today Jesus drives home the difference.

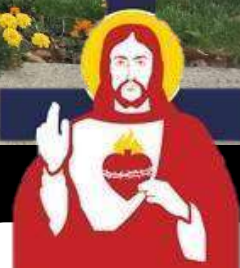
In the Preface of the Mass, we are reminded that in God we:

'live and move and have our being'. There isn't a single thing which doesn't belong to God. All we have and are, has come from God and belongs to Him – including the self!

When we offer back to God what He has given to us, we do so for His glory and honour.

I'm reminded of this every time I pass the 'Saints Rose Garden' now beautifully adorned with Saints Christopher, Bernadette and Padre Pio - a beautiful offering to God of the saints he has given us!

Our renewed thanks to the Gardening team and to those who donated the beautiful statues! Thank you.



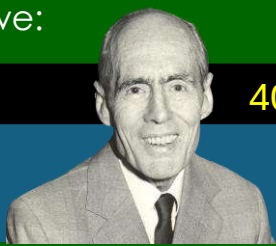
FROM  
Community  
TO  
Communion

### Parish Mission:

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



## 40 years since the blessing of our foundation stone 1988 - 2028



This is Leonard Cheshire who was once a Parishioner here, who helped to raise funds to build our church. The cause for his Beatification has been opened, & we seek his help and ask for his prayers as we prepare for another 40 years!

## Usual Holy Mass Times

|      |                |
|------|----------------|
| Mon  | 10:00am        |
| Tues | 7:00pm         |
| Wed  | 07:30am        |
| Fri  | 12 Noon        |
| Sat  | 6:00pm (Vigil) |
| Sun  | 10:00am        |

## Confession Times

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Tues                      | 6:00pm  |
| Fri                       | 11.00am |
| Sat                       | 5:00pm  |
| Or 30mins before any Mass |         |



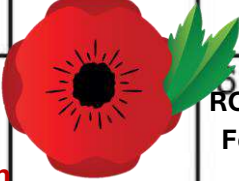
## Adoration Times:

Tues 6.00pm

Fri 11am

Sat 5pm

## October 2026

| SUN                               | MON                                                                                    | TUE                              | WED                                                                                    | THU                                                                                     | FRI                                                                                      | SAT                 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 27                                | 28                                                                                     | 29                               | 30                                                                                     | 1                                                                                       | 2     | 3 Chess 11am        |
| 4 Sunday Formation/ Confirmation  |       | 5 RCIA / Adult Formation 7:45pm  | 7 First Wednesday prayers                                                              | 8                                                                                       | 9     | 10 FHC 10am         |
| 11                                | 12    | 13 RCIA / Adult Formation 7:45pm | 14  | 15                                                                                      | 16    | 17 Chess 11am       |
| 18 Sunday Formation/ Confirmation | 19                                                                                     | 20 RCIA / Adult Formation 7:45pm | 21                                                                                     | 22                                                                                      | 23  | 24 FHC 10am         |
| 25                                | 26  | 27 RCIA / Adult Formation 7:45pm | 28                                                                                     | 29  | 30  | 31 St Andrew's Quiz |
|                                   | Bible Study                                                                            |                                  |                                                                                        |                                                                                         | SOUPS                                                                                    |                     |

## Dates / Events coming up:

### October

18<sup>th</sup> October

31<sup>st</sup> October

Bordon Carnival

Quiz Night: St Andrew's Theme

### November

2<sup>nd</sup> November

15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> November

20<sup>th</sup> November

29<sup>th</sup> November

Blessing of the Graves (after 10am Mass)

Parish Pilgrimage

Christmas Lights

First Sunday of Advent / Civic Mass 10am

### December

6<sup>th</sup> December

20<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Carols at the Shed 3pm

Parish Nativity 2pm

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## Supporting the Parish:

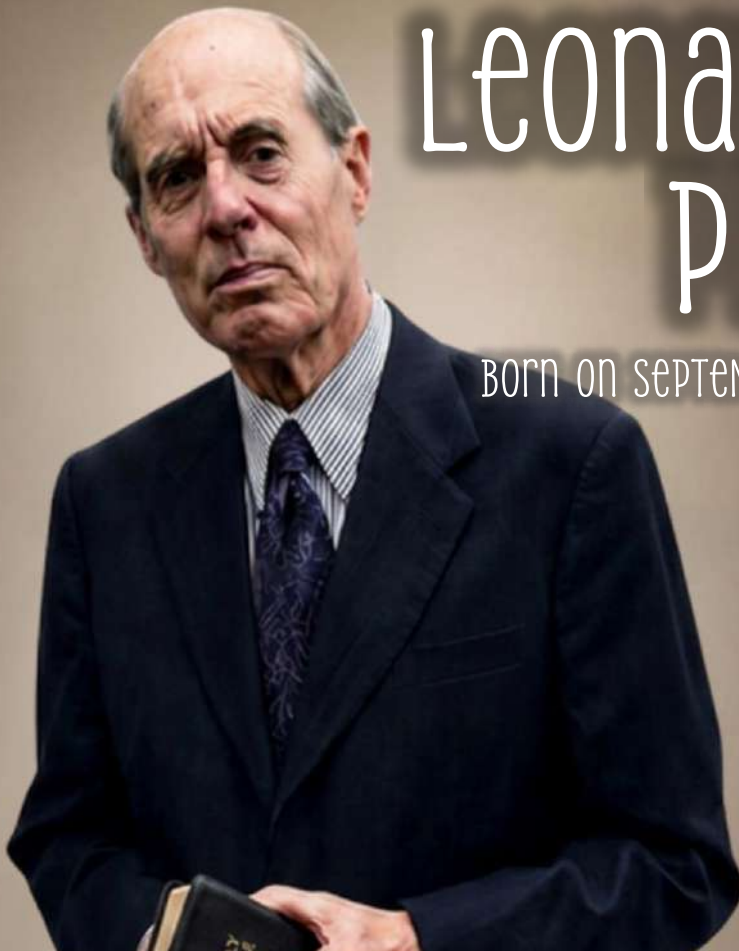
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# Leonard Cheshire Pray For Us!

BORN ON SEPTEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> 1917 AND DIED ON JULY 31<sup>ST</sup> 1992



## Seeking the Intercession of Leonard Cheshire

Heavenly Father, source of all holiness. You manifest Your divine grace through the lives of Your faithful servants on earth.

You filled Leonard Cheshire, with a spirit of profound concern for the dignity of all human life and moved him to provide for those who were suffering.

Lord, if it be Your will, that Your servant Leonard be raised to the altars of Your Church, I ask that You glorify him here on earth by granting the miraculous favour I now earnestly seek:

**(State your specific miracle or intention here, such as healing from an illness or strength in a severe trial)**

Leonard, gentle caretaker of the sick, you spent decades sitting by the bedsides of those carrying the heaviest of crosses. You understood their pain, protected their dignity, and comforted them in spirit. Take this request to the throne of God. Ask the Lord to pour out His restorative power, to ease this suffering, and to grant a miracle of health and strength.

Teach us also, Good Lord, to see value in our weakness, and grant us the fortitude to unite all bodily illness to Your Saving Cross for the redemption of the world.

AMEN

**Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...**



Next Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> September, is Leonard Cheshire's birthday. He would have been 109 years old.

We will begin to increase our efforts of promoting his cause for Sainthood aiming for a full 12 month promotion by his **110<sup>th</sup> birthday** in 2027.

In the next 12 months we hope to:

- Familiarise ourselves (as a parish) with Leonard's life and work
- Produce materials encouraging prayer and devotion
- Form a prayer group to support our work
- Promote Leonard's cause across the Diocese (and beyond!)

It would be good if we could form a small team to dedicate themselves to this project.

If you would like to be part of this team, please do speak to Father. We hope to include people from within and outside of the parish to help, so if you know of anyone who may be interested, please also direct them to Father.

The prayer opposite will be the official prayer we will ask people to use to seek Leonard's intercession for them or for an intention dear to them.

We will mark the beginning of this 12-month project at the 10am Mass on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September.

# Have you been to Confession this month?

## From Bishop Philip:

When a Catholic is admitted to hospital, the family ensure that the Catholic Chaplaincy is contacted so that appropriate support can be given. One suggestion is that the patient carries a note to give to hospital staff on admission notifying staff that they are Catholic and that they would really appreciate the Catholic chaplaincy service. This could be followed up by a telephone call from the family to the ward, making the request.

## Walsingham Pilgrimage meeting

There will be a meeting for those joining the Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham after Mass on **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October**.

## RCIA / Tues Adult Formation Plan:

All are welcome to join the Tuesday faith formation sessions. If there is a particular topic or area of our faith you'd like to find out more about, here is our plan up until Christmas..... do come along!

|                            |                       |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 13 <sup>th</sup> October:  | Baptism               |
| 20 <sup>th</sup> October:  | Confirmation          |
| 27 <sup>th</sup> October:  | Confession            |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> November:  | Holy Orders           |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> November: | Marriage              |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> November: | Anointing of the sick |
| 24 <sup>th</sup> November: | Holy Communion        |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> December:  | Advent (1)            |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> December:  | Mary's I.C.           |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> December: | Advent (2)            |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> December: | Christmas             |

## Chess club

First and Third  
Saturday  
11am

## Quiz Night

First Saturday  
7:30pm  
(except in  
Advent and  
Lent)

## Parish Pipe Band

Thursdays  
7pm

## Coffee:

Mon, Wed &  
Fri 8am -10am

## Soups

Every Friday  
12:45pm

## Gardening Team

Saturdays  
10am

## Community Pantry

Mon: 8am-  
10am and  
12noon -2pm,  
Fri: 8am –  
10am and  
12:45pm – 2pm

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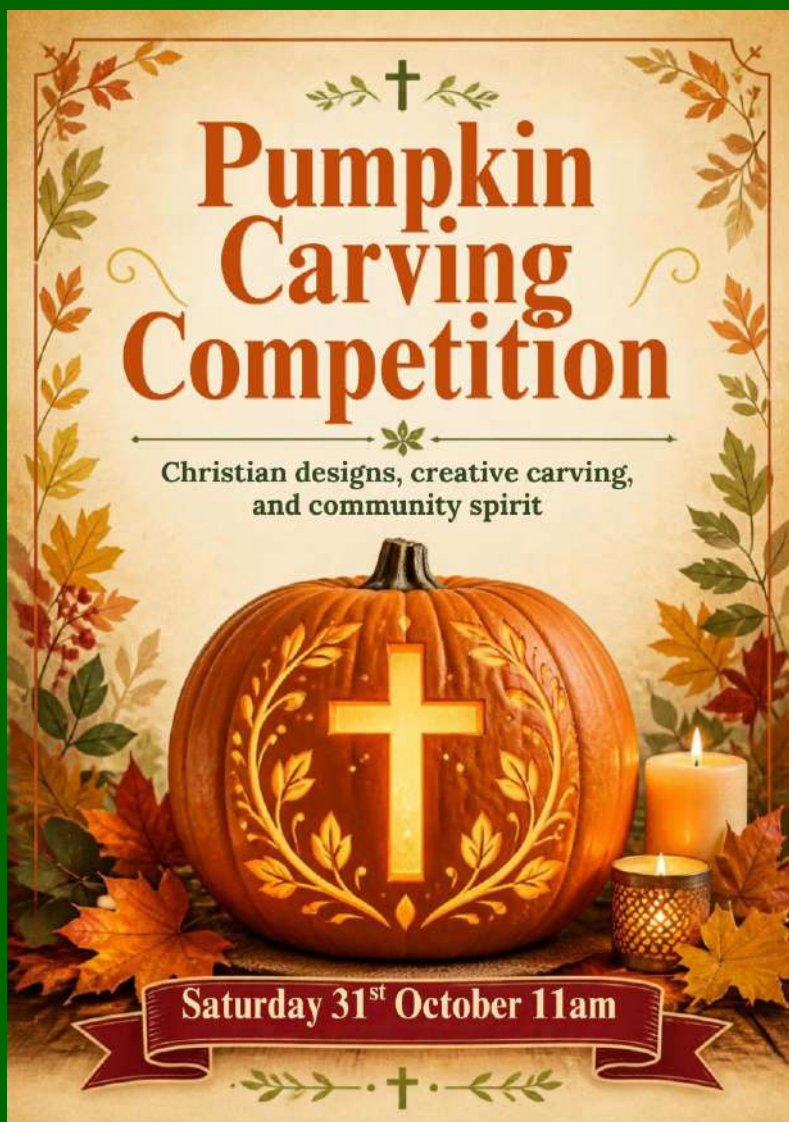
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## Chess club

We meet again this morning at 11am  
– ALL WELCOME!

## Confirmation Session

We meet again this Sunday after the 10am Mass. All welcome to attend for further faith formation.

## Quiz Night – Final Call

We are rapidly running out of space! If you are thinking about coming along on 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, please book this weekend at the latest!

## New Bishop of Arundle and Brighton

Prayers for and many congratulations to Father Stephen Wang who will be consecrated as the sixth bishop of the Diocese of Arundle and Brighton on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October. Ad multos annos!

## Carnival Marshals!

First of all thank you to the volunteers – I cannot thank you enough. Hopefully you have now collected your **hi vis jacket** and instructions. Just in case, here they are again:

**15:30 Hours** — Meet at the fire station with jackets on!

**15:45 Hours** — Positioning: All marshals proceed directly to assigned road closure points and key route junctions.

**16:00 Hours** — Road Closures Active.

**16:30 Hours** — Procession Step-Off: Parade moves along the official route (floats and music units).



We're celebrating St Andrew on All Hallows Eve with Haggis, neeps and tatties, an address to the Haggis and Bagpipes!





**Holy Baptism**  
Preparation courses run throughout the year (outside of Lent)

**Confirmation**  
our next session will be on **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October** after Mass

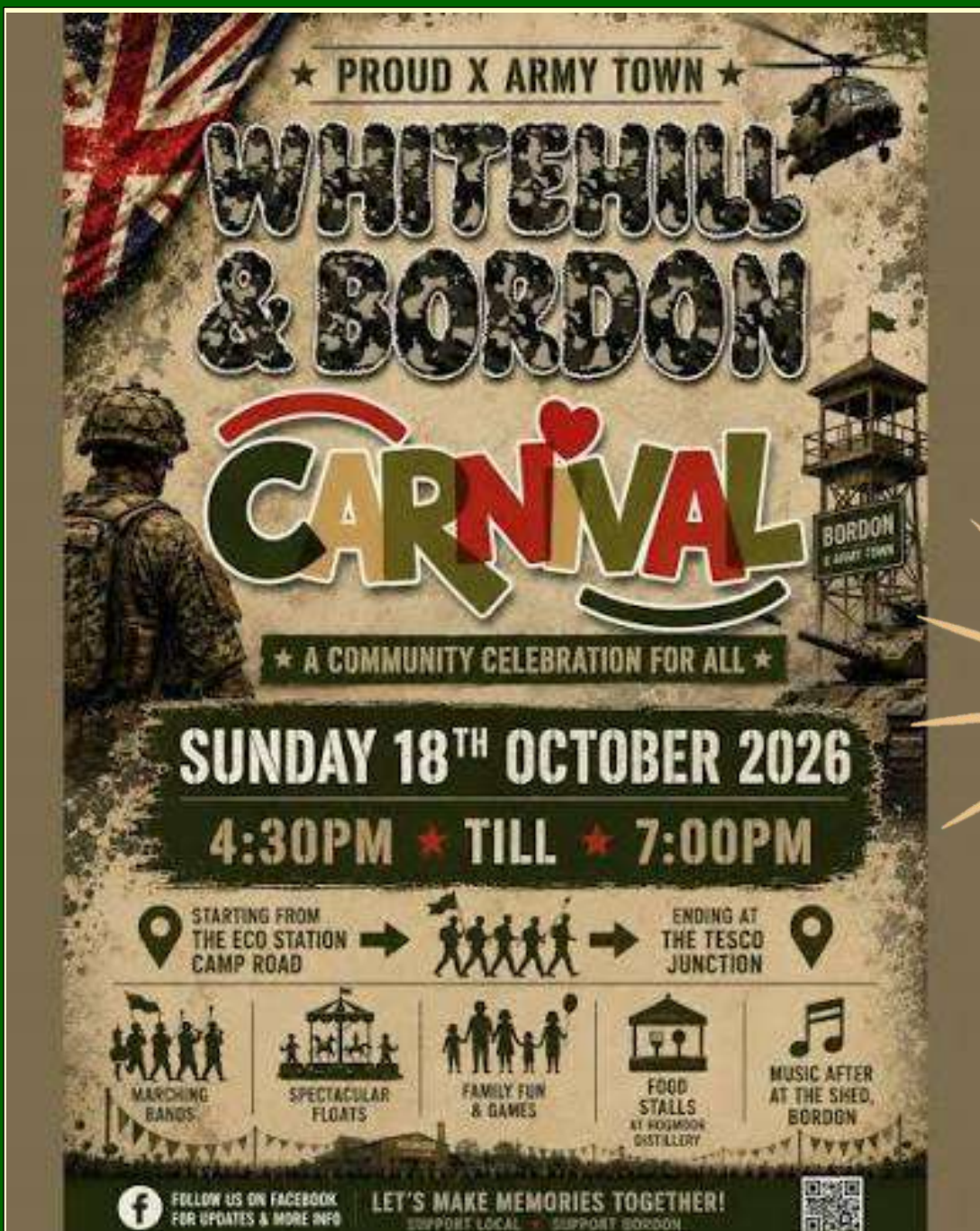
**Holy Communion**  
our First Holy Communion Programme will begin again on **Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October**

**Confession**  
**Tues 6pm**  
**Fri 11am**  
**Sat 5pm**  
or 30mins before any Mass

**Holy Matrimony**  
It takes at least one year to prepare for marriage

**Holy Orders**  
we should all consider whether God is calling us for service in His Church

**Last Rites**  
As soon as there is a danger to life, a priest must be called

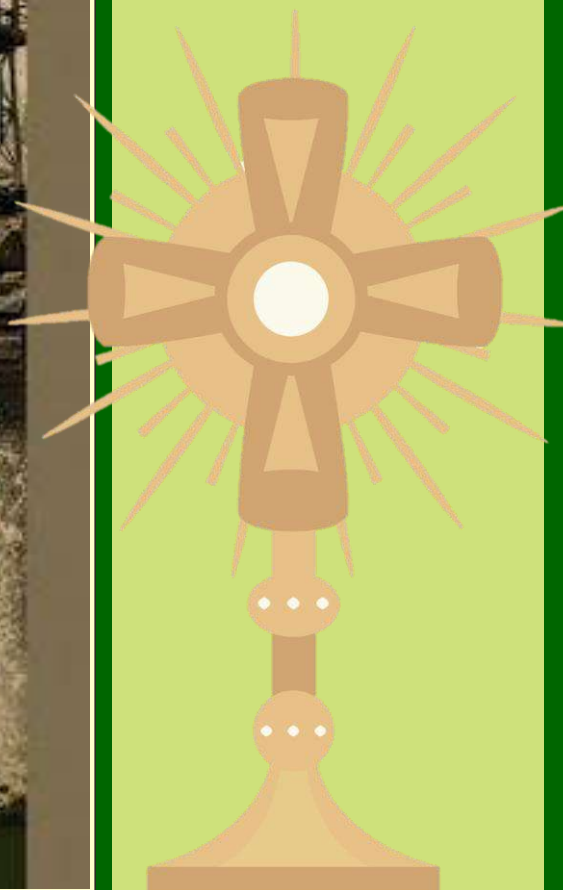


**Times when we can adore the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament:**

**TUESDAY 6pm**

**FRIDAY 11am**

**SATURDAY 5pm**



The church is open every day from 9am – 7pm for private prayer  
**How long have you spent in prayer this week?**

## Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (VIGIL)

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration 5:00pm

Confessions 5:00pm – 5:40pm

Sunday Vigil Mass: 6:00pm People of the Parish

## Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Resurrection

Holy Mass: 10:00am The Holy Father's Wellbeing

## Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Souls

Holy Mass 10:00am Private Intention

## Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Angels

Adoration 6:00pm

Confessions 6:00pm – 6:40pm

Holy Mass: 7:00pm Maureen Galvin Int

## Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to St Joseph

Holy Mass: 07.30am Aborted Babies RIP

## Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

29<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Cross

Adoration 11:00am

Confessions 11:00am – 11:45am

Holy Mass: 12 noon Vocations to the Sacred Priesthood

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30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (VIGIL)

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Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration 5:00pm

Confessions 5:00pm – 5:40pm

Sunday Vigil Mass: 6:00pm James Galvin Int

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