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Society of the Catholic Apostolate (Pallottines)

Parish Priest: Fr Eamonn Monson, SCA

Parish Deacon: Rev. Duncan Brown

Normal Mass Times

Sundays: 6.00pm (Sat), 10.00am, 11.30am. Tuesday to Saturday: 10.00am
Adoration: First Friday of Month 10.30am to 12 noon. Saturdays: 10.30am to 11am.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 10.30am and after the 6.00pm Mass.
SECOND, TRANSFIGURATION, SUNDAY OF LENT, 25th FEBRUARY 2018 YEAR B
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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION IN LENT

Praise to You, O Christ
King of eternal glory.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

every Friday in Lent after the 10am Mass.

IN YOUR LOVE REMEMBER
AUTUMN GARWOOD,

aged one and a half, of Harold Road, who died January 26th. Please pray for her parents and family in their tragic loss, that God may comfort and give them strength. A memorial for Autumn has been placed on the altar of the Lady Chapel. The support of the community is much appreciated in such difficult times.

Anyone intending to get married
in the diocese of Arundel & Brighton is required to give notice of one year.

PARISH COMMUNITY CLUB

In the Crypt. Entrance via blue door in The Bourne. Mondays 10.30am to 12 noon. Annual subscription £3. Coffee/tea & biscuit, 50p. Guests welcome to talks for 50p.

February programme:
26: Coffee & chat

PARISH FINANCES

The offertory collection last weekend came to £1002.39 including cheques and standing orders. Many thanks to all concerned.

NEWSLETTER NOTICES can be emailed (in a way that's easy to copy and paste) to stmarystarofthesea.hastings.uk@gmail.com If you don't have access to email, please could you drop your notices in the box just outside the door to the presbytery. Many thanks.

Confirmation candidates' meeting

on Wednesday 28th at 6.00pm.
The Deanery Confirmation will now be on Sunday 8th of July at St Martha's Church, Little Common at 3.00pm.

Calling all children

After 10am Mass on Sunday 18th March. In the hall when we have coffee, there will be a craft session for children aged 2 to 9 to make cards etc. for celebrating Easter. Please note that parents remain responsible for their children and they must remain in the hall.
COME ALONG AND ENJOY.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

for our 10am Sunday Mass. If you have made your First Holy Communion and would like to serve, please speak to Dominic Cockerton to find out more.

Non-Catholics and those who have not received First Communion

are invited to seek a blessing by crossing their arms over their chest.

Lent Reconciliation Service

There will be several priests in attendance at this service on Wednesday, 21st March at 7pm at St Thomas of Canterbury, Magdalen Road, St Leonard's.

BAPTISM COURSE

Our next Baptism course will be on Saturday 3rd March downstairs in the presbytery from 10.30am to 12 noon, but of course you are also warmly welcome to come to our 10am Mass in the church beforehand. Parents requesting Baptism of babies and toddlers in the 3 months from 3rd March are required to attend.
Babies and children welcome.

DIVINE MERCY GROUP Do join us in the presbytery on the following Mondays at 2.30pm: 26-2-18, 12-3-18.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday 24th February, 6pm: Ellie Keppler RIP

Sunday 25th February: 10am: Betty Pyle RIP

11.30am: Brian McIver RIP

Tuesday 27th February, 10am: Anne Bannon RIP

Wednesday 28th February, 10am: Eugene Smith, Get Well intention

Thursday 1st March, St David, 10am: Betty Pyle RIP

Friday 2nd March, 10am: Holy Souls

Saturday 3rd March, 10am: Anthony Barrell RIP

DAY FOR YOUTH LEADERS AND CATECHISTS - INSPIRE 2018

On Saturday May 12th, there will be a day for youth leaders, Confirmation catechists and young adult ministers, as well as anybody who is interested. The day will be delivered 'TED Style' with six great speakers each giving a short 20-minute talk. We're delighted to have Will Desmond from Sion/ the ASCENT, Father Nick Crowe from the Dominicans, Lizzie Wakeling, Toby Harman, and others. A fantastic line-up! Bishop Richard will also be with us for the first part of the day. It's all happening at St Joseph's Church, Redhill on Saturday May 12th from 10am to 3.30pm. Tickets are £10 with parish group discounts available. To book, or for more information, Email YMBookings@dabnet.org.

COLLECTIVE PRAYER MEETING

on the second Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the parish rooms. All are warmly welcome. Our next meeting is on Tuesday 13th March.

Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 14th March 2018,

celebrating the feast of St. Patrick. £599 per person sharing. Price includes flights with 10kg hand luggage, all taxes, luxury transfers, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at supplement of £50. Groups and Individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia any time on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

SNOWFLAKE NIGHT SHELTER

Please keep our guests and volunteers
in your prayers.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

We now meet on Tuesday evenings from 7.30pm to 8.30pm. In the presbytery.
All are warmly welcome.

EASTER RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

at Worth Abbey, 29th March to 1st April, and/or a Cross Walk 25th to 29th March.
To book, or for info, please contact Katrina on TOC@worth.org.uk / 01342 710318.