

# PETERPOST

Parish of St. Peter and the Winchester Martyrs

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25<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

*Silence is Compliance – Proclaim the Message of Mercy from the Rooftops*

## Fr Mark writes:

Poor old, Jeremiah!

He was called by the Lord to be his prophet even as a young man. We can see this in the beautiful passage at the beginning of the Book of Jeremiah:

*Now the word of the Lord came to me, saying,*

*“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born, I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”*

*Then I said, “Ah, Lord God! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth.” But the Lord said to me,*

*“Do not say, ‘I am only a youth’; for to all to whom I send you, you shall go, and whatever I command you, you shall speak. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, declares the Lord.”*

*Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth. And the Lord said to me,*

*“Behold, I have put my words in your mouth. See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to break down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.” (Jer 1:4-10)*

By the time we reach chapter 20 of this book, Jeremiah is in full flow as prophet and is suffering the consequences! People have turned on him, sick of his prophecies of doom and violence and destruction. He is having to be careful with every step. If his relationships with others, even his so-called friends, are vulnerable, then he is also torn in his relationship with the Lord. On the one hand, he believes the Lord has seduced or deceived him and he says to himself, “I will not mention him [the Lord] or speak any more in his name”. On the other hand, he knows that he simply has to carry on, for when he tries to stop “there is in his heart as it were a burning fire shut up in his bones, and he is weary with holding it in, and he cannot”.

Being faithful to God’s mission can often be a costly exercise. Perhaps we can sometimes feel that the Lord has ‘seduced’ or ‘deceived us’. There can be a ‘honeymoon period’ when we first encounter Jesus, when we first fall in love with him and decide that He is the pearl of great price, the one who is worth following above all else. But the call of Jesus comes with a job attached. There is something unique he is asking of us that no one else can do, and carrying out this mission can mean sacrifice, in various forms. Nonetheless, Jesus encourages us, as the Lord reassured Jeremiah, “Do not be afraid...I am with you”.

As with Jesus, several centuries later, most of Jeremiah’s work was in Judah’s capital, Jerusalem. He tried to keep the people and the kings faithful to God in a world of political intrigue. He met active hostility. Nevertheless, Jeremiah was confident that God would not let his enemies overcome him. He declared, “But the Lord is with me as a dread warrior; therefore, my persecutors will stumble; they will not overcome me”. He praised God for salvation before he actually experienced it. “Sing to the Lord; praise the Lord! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hand of evildoers”.

How many Jeremiah’s are there in our day..? Have you noticed how good we are at accusing others, at pointing the finger, at scapegoating individuals or even whole communities? We don’t need to look too far into the column inches of our press or to watch or listen to the news for long before we come across examples of this. It’s easy sometimes for us to fall into the trap ourselves: “The problem is them!” If only we could get rid of ‘them’, everything would be ok, we convince ourselves. Jeremiah’s accusers are convinced that if they shut Jeremiah up then they will find peace.

Christianity, on the other hand, if lived out authentically, is the undoing from within of the scapegoating mechanism. In our Gospel this weekend, we find Jesus himself reassuring the Twelve: “Do not be afraid”. They too will face ridicule and worse; they too will be scapegoated when they speak God’s word out loud and in public, for this is what they must do. Nonetheless, his Father and their Father will be watching over them lovingly and, if they are faithful, ensuring their eternal safety.

Jesus, in our Gospel today and throughout the whole Gospel, is able to speak entirely freely, outside, so to speak, of the world of ‘I need to be careful, or they’ll get me’, ‘they’re out to get me; what shall I do?’

*“Have no fear of them, for nothing is covered that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known.”* The world of lies and fake news and blind finger-pointing against people will be revealed and exploded. What you really need to be afraid of, Jesus is saying, is of going along with all this and allowing your soul to be destroyed. Trust the fact that you are loved, a beloved child of God and you’ll have nothing to fear and be able to speak out against injustice, to defend the ‘scapegoated’, and to fly freely.

These words of Jesus, of course, are not hollow. In the same city as Jeremiah, Jesus professes his certainty that the Lord will prove him right against his detractors. Jeremiah, of course, bays for blood:

*“O Lord of hosts...let me see your vengeance upon them, for to you have I committed my cause.” (Jer 20:12)*

Jesus, in complete contrast, offers Mercy from the cross, from his place of execution: “Father, forgive them. They know not what they do”. Unlike Jeremiah, Jesus is aware that God has nothing to do with that whole world of envy and vengeance.

Silence is compliance. Like Jeremiah and Jesus, we are called to speak God’s Word of Light and Love into the dark places of our world, to stand up with complete freedom and lack of fear for the voiceless, the ostracised. Like Jesus, we do this not by calling down vengeance and retribution and shame upon the perpetrators but by choosing the way of peace and love and mercy.

**Welcome**..... If this is your first time reading the newsletter, then you are particularly welcome. Please get in touch - we’d love to tell you about everything that’s going on here and invite you to join us. Just to start you off, elsewhere in the newsletter you will find our services and other activities. Look at our website <https://www.catholicwinchester.org.uk/>, or our [Facebook page](#) or email [office@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:office@stpeterswinchester.org.uk). We are part of the [Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth](#)

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church, or becoming a Catholic, visit our [Journey in Faith webpage](#).

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) - 25<sup>th</sup> June 2023

### Entrance Antiphon :

The Lord is the strength of his people,  
a saving refuge for the one he has anointed.  
Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage,  
and govern them for ever.

**First reading:** Jeremiah 20.10-13

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 68:8-10,14,17,33-35. R. v.14  
In your great love, answer me, O God.

**Second reading:** Romans 5:12-15

### Gospel Acclamation:

#### R. Alleluia, alleluia!

The Word was made flesh and lived among us;  
to all who did accept him  
he gave power to become children of God.

#### R. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Matthew 10:26-33

### Communion Antiphon:

The eyes of all look to you, Lord,  
and you give them their food in due season.

## Changes to Masses in the Coming Week:

**Wednesday June 28<sup>th</sup>** – Mass at St Peter's is at 8am. There is also a 7pm Vigil Mass for the Ss Peter & Paul solemnity.

**Thursday June 29<sup>th</sup>** – Mass at St Peter's is at 7am, 12.15pm and 7pm for the solemnity of Ss Peter & Paul. Families are also welcome to join the Ss Peter & Paul School Mass at St Stephen's at 9.15am.

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July** – 9am Mass at St Peter's is cancelled and there will be no Confession in the morning (FHC Masses).

## Mass with the Traveller Community Micheldever – Saturday 8th July @ 3.00pm

You are warmly invited by the local Traveller community to attend Carousel Park Caravan Site for Mass with them at 3pm on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2023**. This will be a unique opportunity to build greater relationships with our brothers and sisters from the Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities. They are very enthusiastic about having us visit, and to celebrate Mass at home with them. Please get more details and sign up via the parish office – 01962 852804 or [office@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:office@stpeterswinchester.org.uk)



**Welcome to Louis Chaplin** who was baptised at St Peter's Church last weekend. May God bless him with His love and grace, today and always.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR** the repose of the souls of those who have died recently:

Rory Culhane RIP  
Keith Williams RIP



**PRAYER CORNER:** Each week, this section will contain an intercession that I hope every parishioner will pray for during the coming week. In this way, we will all pray to the Lord for the parish's mission, because "if the Lord does not build... in vain do the builders labour" (Ps 127:1) Fr. Mark

**This Week's Intention:** In our year of the Holy Spirit, let us give thanks for the rich gifts received by those participating in the Acorn Groups retreat last weekend. We pray that their desire to deepen their faith becomes ever stronger, bringing them closer to Christ in hope and joy.

## Ordination of Tony Darlison

Bishop Philip is looking forward to Ordaining Tony Darlison to the Diaconate at 11:00am on Saturday 8th July in Portsmouth Cathedral. All are welcome to attend. If you would like to stay afterwards for a light lunch, rsvp using this link:

<https://survey.sogolytics.com/r/uLnSW7>

You are also invited to attend Tony's first **Mass on 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023**..



**Parish Party** – the day after Tony's ordination, **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July**, we'll be holding our annual parish party from midday in St. Peter's Pastoral Centre.

All are most welcome to join us – young and no longer quite so young – for cold meats, salads, ice lollies and drinks!

## Matthew's Gospel – copies available

Following our Lenten and Easter season, ending with and followed by a flurry of feasts, with Ascension, Pentecost, Trinity Sunday and *Corpus Christi*, we are now re-emerging into what the Church calls 'Ordinary time'. From this Sunday, the 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time, through to November and the 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time and the Feast of Christ the King, we will on Sundays be following the Gospel according to St. Matthew. Fr Mark would like to encourage us to read through this Gospel in our private prayer, to get a sense of the Gospel as a whole and to help prepare us to listen to each section as we gather together each Sunday. He has recently discovered in Peterhouse some copies of this Gospel which we'd hoped to distribute this time three years ago, not having anticipated the pandemic. These copies are available for you to take for free from each of our churches – either for your own personal use or for you to share with or gift to others. Happy reading!

## Churches Together in Winchester Events

**Saturday 24 June** 10am – 4pm Southampton Refugee Week Parade and Picnic. For more details follow the link here:

[https://www.facebook.com/events/922011669103192/?locale=fr\\_FR](https://www.facebook.com/events/922011669103192/?locale=fr_FR)

**Wednesday 28 June** 6pm: "Ending Well" hosted by Winchester University, exploring issues around end of life.

**Monday 3 July** 12.30 – 1.30pm: Winchester City Centre Chaplaincy, meeting for all those interested in finding out more about the work. Hosted by Christ Church, Winchester, bring your own lunch, but tea and coffee provided.

**Saturday 15 July** 5.30 – 6.30pm: Free concert by Harrow Coral Society with retiring collection. Hosted by United Church, Jewry Street, Winchester. If you would like paper copies of the flyer posted to you please email Peter Miller [psmiller@btinternet.com](mailto:psmiller@btinternet.com)

## CAFOD: update on the conflict in Sudan

Violent conflict continues in Sudan and thousands of people are running out of food, water and medicine. Working as part of the Caritas network, your previous donations to CAFOD are enabling our teams to provide practical help to families who have escaped to neighbouring countries, including South Sudan. Please join Pope Francis in praying for peace in Sudan. Find out more on the CAFOD website:

<https://cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/sudan-conflict>

## COME and SUPPORT THE BASICS BANK

Do join us for a Soup and Pud Lunch on **Tuesday 11th July at St Gregory's** and support the **Basics Bank**. Any time between 12.30 and 2.00pm. If you can let us know you are coming, that would be a great help! Either 01962 852804 or 07740049127, or email [office@stpeterswinchester.org](mailto:office@stpeterswinchester.org)



The next **CWL homemade Soup & Pud Lunch for Charity** will be held on **Friday 7th July** in the Pastoral Centre, 12.00 - 1.30pm and only £5.00. We will be supporting Naomi House and Jackspace, our local Hospices for children and Young People. Please do come and support. **THANK YOU**, to all who supported the June Soup and Pud Lunch. This raised £180 for the national charity PACT (Prison Advise and Care Trust) and the money will be used to purchase essentials for those leaving Prison, helping them as they begin new lives.



### First Holy Communion 2024: Registration now open!

If you are the parent/guardian of a child currently in Year 3, wishing to make their First Holy Communion next year, please contact Rosanne at [fhc@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:fhc@stpeterswinchester.org.uk) to inquire about the programme, and/or to receive a registration form. If your child is presently in Year 2 but you feel they would be ready next year and you attend Sunday Mass regularly, please do get in touch.

### Laudato Si Corner

This week we give you some useful information to reduce the environmental crisis that is caused by plastic bottles that are not recyclable.

- 1) Buy a **reusable water bottle** and refill at home or on-the-go, and never buy a single-use bottle of water again.
- 2) Bring a **reusable container** to the shop and ask them to serve your items into it!
- 3) Grab a **reusable cup** for your morning coffee, instead of using throwaway ones.
- 4) Some independent shops offer refillable shampoo, conditioner and body wash and other items, so you can refill. There are **three refill shops** in Central Winchester.
- 5) Order plant or dairy milk to be delivered in **glass bottles**.

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY TRAINING DAY

St Peter & the Winchester Martyrs Church,  
Winchester, SO23 8RY  
SATURDAY 22ND JULY  
10AM-3PM



CONTACT SR CARINO TO REGISTER:  
[SISTERCARINO@DOMINICANSISTERSOFSTJOSEPH.ORG](mailto:SISTERCARINO@DOMINICANSISTERSOFSTJOSEPH.ORG)

**St Peter's Sanctuary Welcome Hub** in collaboration with the Winchester St Vincent de Paul Society & linked to the Winchester City of Sanctuary is looking to recruit more **befrienders**. - Could this be you?

We offer befriending support for adults who have sought sanctuary in Winchester. Fleeing home because of troubles, violence and/or persecution is extremely traumatic in so many ways.

Our trained befrienders help those who have sought sanctuary in the Winchester area and are feeling lonely or isolated. We offer emotional and practical support, are here to listen to any concerns and provide friends with company to help promote wellbeing.

If you are interested in becoming a befriender, please contact [svp@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:svp@stpeterswinchester.org.uk) or [hello@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:hello@stpeterswinchester.org.uk) and title your email befriending people who have sought sanctuary



### The Catenian Association – who are we?

The Catenians are an 8,500 member association of Catholic laymen, with 6,000 members in the UK, and others in branches worldwide including Ireland, Australia, India, Bangladesh, Zimbabwe, South Africa and Malta.

**Our mission as Catenians is simply to offer a welcome to those who want to join us, and share our values of faith, friendship and family.**

The City of Winchester Circle has some 50 members from varied backgrounds, and we are looking to expand. We get together monthly, for a brief meeting followed by a meal. Our meeting covers the welfare of members and their families; donations to local good causes; involvement in youth activities; support for the clergy; social events and future planning. Sometimes we're joined for the meal by wives, and sometimes also by the widows of deceased Circle members. As often as possible we all get together for visits to places of culture or refreshment – or preferably, both! The Association operates two central funds, one helping members in difficulty, the other awarding bursaries to youth embarking on faith-related missions. Winchester Circle has made particular use of the latter, while – by way of giving back – we've recently made donations from our Circle funds to local causes including food banks, youth wellbeing, and St Vincent de Paul. To sum up:

**At the Winchester Catenian Circle, we aim to offer a worthwhile and easy-going way to branch out into new family-friendships within the local Catholic community.**

"If you'd like the opportunity to find out more about us – in person – we would be delighted to invite you to join us as our guest.

"We meet at the Royal Hotel, St Peters Street, Winchester, at seven o'clock on the first Thursday of most months. We assemble in the bar from about six-thirty onwards, then after a brief meeting, we enjoy a relaxed meal with a glass or two of wine.

"Contact details are provided below. We hope to see you soon!"

**Geza Geleji, President, City of Winchester Circle**



*Christina and Geza Geleji*

**To take up the invitation – or just to find out more about us – please visit the Catenian Association national website: [www.thecatenians.com](http://www.thecatenians.com)**

**Parish Safeguarding Minister** – If you have any safeguarding concerns or requests, such as help with applying for a DBS check, please contact the Parish, by emailing [safeguarding@stpeterswinchester.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@stpeterswinchester.org.uk) or by phoning 01962 852804 (Option 2, followed by Option 1). If there is a concern that someone is at immediate risk of harm, people should be advised to contact 999 for the emergency services.





Dear Parents

### Viking Day

As part of Year 4's History topic this term we held a Viking day. Dressing up as warriors, Kings, Queens and Viking Gods, Year 4 had the privilege to meet a real Viking called Ragnar who enriched our learning.



We began the day learning about where the Vikings came from, what they did before they came to Britain and what made them finally invade, raid and settle. Ragnar then staged a Viking battle in which both 4LM and 4RS went head to head. A real highlight of the day was being allowed to explore different Viking weapons. We took turns passing helmets, swords, knives and spears around. In pairs, we felt how heavy a single suit of Viking chainmail was and finally learnt all about the dreaded Dane Axe!



Later in the day, Year 4 acted out a Viking ship burial to honour King Olaf, before heading out into the sunshine to enjoy a glorious Viking saga about Fenryr the wolf and the most trustworthy God Tyr.

It cannot be denied that Year 4 had a wonderfully exciting and actively engaging day at St Peter's.

We currently have vacancies for Teaching Assistants in EYFS and KS1. For further details and an application form please see the Vacancies page on our website:

<https://www.stpetershants.co.uk/vacancies/>

If you have pre-school children and like the sound of St Peter's School then why not contact us to find out about the application process? Telephone 01962 852820 or email [admin@st-peters.hants.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-peters.hants.sch.uk).

Best wishes

Louise Buxton (Miss)  
Headteacher

### Portsmouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> July 2023

Join us for the time of your life!

Youth pilgrims are needed to join the Portsmouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 17-21<sup>st</sup> July 2023. We are especially looking for young people aged 16+ who would be able to dedicate their participation in the pilgrimage to supporting some of our less agile pilgrims. Our support team each year assists some of our pilgrims by pushing wheelchairs, extending a supporting hand, assisting at mealtimes by carrying plates to tables from the buffet once the pilgrim has chosen their meal, and by extending the ministry of welcome to all our pilgrims. No assistance with personal care is required at any time. We can assure you a good time is had by all who participate.

The pilgrimage is a rare opportunity to immerse yourself in your faith whilst serving others and enjoying the social aspects of a holiday. Those who have joined us in the past have said that they found the experience inspiring, their faith deepen and the ability to be in a place of peace awesome.

Our pilgrimage will cost Youth Pilgrims £699, begin on the 17<sup>th</sup> July at Bournemouth airport, from where we will fly direct to Tarbes Lourdes and end back at Bournemouth on the 21<sup>st</sup> July. On the 24<sup>th</sup> of June at Milner Hall, Winchester Hall we will be holding a familiarisation day for youth pilgrims followed by a pre-pilgrimage gathering for all pilgrims.

To join us or to find out more information please email [lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) or phone 07780 221686.



will fly direct

### Nurse needed.

Are you a nurse? Would you be available to travel to Lourdes for the 17-21<sup>st</sup> July 2023 if so, we would love to hear from you. We need a nurse to support our pilgrim team during our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes this year. For further details contact Canon PJ Smith our pilgrimage director by emailing [lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

### Christian Aid

Jane Hough has returned from her solo cycle trip across France. She cycled 850+kms in 2 weeks from Bordeaux to Sete to raise money for Christian Aid. She saw many interesting places on the way. Carcassonne is magnificent and many smaller towns and villages full of history.

The Canal du Midi is an amazing feat of engineering dating from the 17th and early 18th Centuries.

At Beziers she stayed in the old prison ....repurposed as L'hotel de la Prison! - That amused the grandchildren!

Generous donations so far of £1,800 + ...further donations welcome!

[justgiving.com/page/jane-hough-2023](https://justgiving.com/page/jane-hough-2023)

### Cleaner Appeal for St Peter's Church

Sweepers **desperately** needed please for St Peter's. - **Just one hour, every nine weeks.**

Very simple work and with other team members.

**Please** call Pam Freeborn on 01962 864391, Text 07912 178934 or Email: [pam.freeborn@btinternet.com](mailto:pam.freeborn@btinternet.com)

### Can you help out in the Pastoral Centre?

**Please can you help in our Pastoral Centre?** Indoor or outdoor light domestic tasks for an hour or two a week?

If so, please contact Sean Reidy, our Facilities & Resources Manager at the Pastoral Centre, to find out more about the different options that could suit your availability. Sean's contact details are: Mob: 07825393005, Office: 01962 852804. Email: [sean@stpeterswichester.org.uk](mailto:sean@stpeterswichester.org.uk)

**Bookshop** We have an excellent selection of **Ordination cards** as well as missals, Bibles, Prayerbooks, crosses and rosaries etc. We also have a good selection of books, including Alpha books and books about the Holy Spirit and cards for all occasions, including cards and gifts for **First Holy Communion**. Many thanks for your support, Susan Henry, Bookshop.

## **Pastoral Coordinator for Evangelisation – St Peter and the Winchester Martyrs Parish, Winchester**

Part time: 14 hours per week, to be worked on a flexible pattern to include some evenings and weekends.

Contract type: permanent. Salary: Competitive. Further details on enquiry.

The Catholic parish of St Peter and the Winchester Martyrs is a busy and thriving four-church parish with St Peter's itself located in Winchester city centre. Our parish contributes to the pastoral care of the people of Winchester and surrounding areas and is focused on our vision of *helping bring people closer to Jesus Christ in hope and joy*.

We are deeply committed to sharing something of the richness of our faith with those seeking God. We hope to give witness to Christ and the Gospel based on the belief that the desire for God is written in the human heart and that only God can answer and fill those deepest yearnings. The Evangelisation ministry of the parish aims to:

- ❖ enable the Catholic faith community to take its place in the city centre;
- ❖ provide opportunities and experiences for people to connect with the Church, Christianity, and God through sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ. There is a particular focus on using Alpha as our primary tool for evangelisation;
- ❖ offer faith-based friendships and discipleship opportunities to help people develop a sense of personal spirituality and maturity in their faith through our network of small groups, the Acorn Groups, and through other initiatives.

We are now seeking someone with experience in supporting the joyful task of evangelisation, an enthusiastic Pastoral Coordinator for Evangelisation, to share this exciting vision with us. We are looking for someone who can support the delivery and development of the parish evangelisation ministry and its programmes and initiatives, with a particular focus on Alpha. The successful candidate will be passionate about evangelisation and the call to bring people closer to Jesus Christ. Through their own maturity in faith, they will be joyful in both faith and outlook and have a strong desire to help people encounter God and see them grow in their personal relationship with Jesus.

The post requires enthusiasm, creativity, commitment, and flexibility. A competence for developing strategies, planning and delivery of service is highly desirable. We welcome applications from anyone with an active Christian faith, though candidates will be expected to have a deep understanding and commitment to the teachings of the Catholic Church and its call to mission.

For a full job description and person specification, plus details of how to apply, please contact: [recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

If you would like a confidential discussion about the role please contact:

Father Mark Hogan, Parish Priest, by email [mhogan@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:mhogan@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) or by telephone 01962 852804.

or

Allegra Mutanda, Director of Evangelisation and Leadership by email [allegra@stpeterswincheser.org.uk](mailto:allegra@stpeterswincheser.org.uk) or by telephone 01962 852804

**Closing date for applications: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023 – 17:00pm. Interviews: week commencing Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2023**

## **Job Vacancy: Operations Manager - Winchester Basics Bank**

An exciting and rewarding opportunity to help make a difference in the local community is currently available at Winchester Basics Bank (WBB). We are seeking an enthusiastic and experienced person for the full time position of Operations Manager, working 35 hours per week, made up of 25 core hours, worked at and travelling between the WBB sites, plus 10 flexible hours which can include home working.

The salary range is £27.5k - £30k depending on experience.

WBB is a registered charity that provides food and clothing for people in Winchester and the surrounding area that need our support. We operate from a central sorting and storage site and have 4 food hubs where we interact with our clients.

Reporting to the Chair of Trustees, the successful candidate will be responsible for the day-to-day operation of WBB.

Candidates should have proven experience in management, have excellent ICT and Administration skills and be comfortable working in a Christian environment.

For further information and an application form please email, Mike Whitehead, Chair of Trustees at [chair@winchesterbasicsbank.co.uk](mailto:chair@winchesterbasicsbank.co.uk)

Details about Winchester Basics Bank can be found at our website:

[www.winchesterbasicsbank.co.uk](http://www.winchesterbasicsbank.co.uk)

**Closing date for applications: 12 noon on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023.** - Interviews will be held on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023.

## **Diocesan Vacancies**

**Catholic Home Care Manager.** The Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth is looking for someone take over the role of co-ordinating the activities of Catholic Home Care. **This post will require a full DBS check.**

**Salary – around £15 per hour.** Closing date for applications: **3 July 2023 with interviews on 7 July 2023**

For an application form or more details, please call Anne Monaghan or Marina Joyce 023 8017 0498 or contact [recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk)

**Choral Director.** The Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth is seeking to recruit an enthusiastic and appropriately qualified Choral Director who, working with the diocesan Education Service, will be responsible for partnering with up to 12 local schools in the diocese, to implement and develop the National Schools Singing Programme (NSSP). Based at St. Edmund House, Portsmouth, with travel to schools in the diocese.

Full Time: 35 hours per week (part time would be considered). Fixed Term Contract (2 years), Salary: £26,000 to £28,000 per annum

**Closing date for applications: 12 noon on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023.** Interviews will take place in Portsmouth on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2023. Start Date: September 2023.

For more details about the role, please email the Director for Education, Catherine Hobbs [chobbs@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:chobbs@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk).

**Hinksey Parish Administrator** Hinksey parish has a vacancy for a part time Parish Administrator. Hours of work: 11 hours per week. Salary **£12.00** per hour. Please contact [recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) for a job description and details of how to apply. Closing date for applications: Friday **30<sup>th</sup> June 2023**.

**Our Lady Immaculate, Westbourne Parish Administrator & Bookkeeper** Westbourne parish has a vacancy for a part time Parish Administrator/Bookkeeper. Hours of work: 10 hours per week. Salary **£12.00** per hour. Please contact [recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) for a job description and details of how to apply.

Closing date for applications: Friday **31<sup>st</sup> July 2023**, Interviews **8<sup>th</sup> August 2023**, Proposed Start Date **4<sup>th</sup> September 2023**.



<b>Mass Timetable</b>	<b>24<sup>th</sup> June 2023 – 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023</b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Mass Times &amp; Intentions</b>		
<b>SATURDAY – June 24<sup>th</sup> – THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, solemnity. 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Vigil</b>	<b>9.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Deceased members of the Clinton Family
	<b>5.30 PM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	
<b>SUNDAY – June 25<sup>th</sup> Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>8.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	For the Benefactors
	<b>9.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Thomas More's	People of the Parish
	<b>9.15 AM</b>	Mass at St Stephen's	People of Ukraine
	<b>10.30 AM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Kooran Paulose Thomas Kerela RIP
	<b>11.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Gregory's	
	<b>5.30 PM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Thanksgiving
<b>MONDAY – June 26<sup>th</sup>.</b>	<b>12.15 AM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Maureen & Alastair Mitchell RIP
<b>TUESDAY – June 27<sup>th</sup> – St Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop, Doctor of the Church.</b>	<b>10.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Gregory's	
	<b>12.15 PM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Neil Intentions
<b>WEDNESDAY – June 28<sup>th</sup> – St Irenaeus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church &amp; Martyr. Ss PETER &amp; PAUL - Vigil</b>	<b>8.00 AM</b>	<b>Morning Prayer &amp; Mass at St Peter's</b>	For the Dead in St James' Cemetery
	<b>7.00 PM</b>	<b>Vigil Mass at St Peter's</b>	
<b>THURSDAY – June 29<sup>th</sup> - Ss PETER &amp; PAUL, Apostles, solemnity.</b>	<b>7.00 AM</b>	<b>Mass at St Peter's</b>	Soul of Jo Phelan
	<b>9.15 AM</b>	<b>Mass at St Stephen's</b>	<b>(School Mass)</b>
	<b>12.15 PM</b>	<b>Mass at St Peter's</b>	
	<b>7.00 PM</b>	<b>Mass at St Peter's</b>	
<b>FRIDAY – June 30<sup>th</sup> – First Martyrs of the Church of Rome.</b>	<b>10.00 AM</b>	Mass at St Gregory's	
	<b>12.15 PM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	For the Soul of William Meader
<b>SATURDAY – July 1<sup>st</sup> – St Oliver Plunkett, Bishop &amp; Martyr. 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Vigil</b>		<b>No 9am Mass at St Peter's</b>	
	<b>5.30 PM</b>	Mass at St Peter's	Prayers for the Traveller Community

Confessions every Saturday 9.30am till 10.30am and 4.30pm-5.00pm at St Peter's Church – booking not required. **No Morning Confessions on 1<sup>st</sup> nor 8<sup>th</sup> July 2023.**

Morning Prayer (livestream and open to public), 8.00am at St Peter's followed by Adoration till 9.00am.

To participate in any service online (including Morning Prayer & Adoration) or to see the recorded services, go to our [YouTube channel](#)

ALL SERVICES (INCLUDING MORNING PRAYER) FROM ST PETER'S ARE LIVESTREAMED.

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#### World Youth Day (WYD) – 1<sup>st</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> August 2023

"We're a group of 4 young adults from St Peter's Church in Winchester. Our hope is to raise enough money to supplement our cost to get there. We are all active members of our church communities and very much live out our faith through practical efforts. Some of our activities include: volunteering with young people, welcoming others at Mass, volunteering in social justice, leading prayer groups, and being a part of a Catholic chaplaincy. Our hope is that we return from WYD with a renewed sense of hope, faith and purpose that we can share with our Parish.

This year's World Youth Day is in Lisbon, Portugal. WYD is an amazing opportunity to meet other young Catholics from across the globe and joyfully experience our faith together.

We're thankful to anyone who can contribute in any way to this, it is so much appreciated! Any money we raise over this will contribute to others who need it to attend WYD.

Thanks so much, and please do pray for us and all of those travelling to world youth day this year

