

2nd Sunday of Easter

Sunday Masses

Sat	6.00pm	St Joseph's
Sun	9.15 am	St Andrew's
	11.00am	St Joseph's
Weekday Masses this week		
Tuesday	10.00am	St Andrew's
	6.00pm	St Joseph's
Thursday	6.00pm	St Joseph's

19th April 2009

A big "THANK YOU" to all who helped to make the Holy Week and Easter services such spiritually uplifting and beautiful occasions.

First Holy Communion: Children due to make their First Communion this year will be given their books on Sunday 26th April at the 9.15am Mass at St Andrew's Church and the 11am Mass at St Joseph's Church.

Gift Aid donors, please collect your yearly statements from Larry Park who will be at all Masses this weekend.

Christian Aid Week, 10-17 May. All the Christian churches in the town collaborate with the house to house collection in Romsey during this period. Each church is assigned certain roads and, in order to play our full part in this Christian endeavour, we need collectors. If you could help, please contact Arthur Roberts on 01794 516593. Please do really think about this. We desperately need more people in order to cover "our" roads.

Community Songs of Praise, Sunday 26th April, 6.30pm at Baddesley Baptist Church, Nutburn Road.

Ministers of Communion Day 25th April at St Joseph's, Ashurst. Please remember to take a lunch to share.

Don't lunch alone! Come along to Berties Restaurant, Romsey on Friday 1st May at 12.30pm One course £5; two courses £9.95; any desserts, drinks, coffee, etc extra. Please let Rosemary at the Parish Office know by Thurs 23rd April if you will be coming as we have book and preorder our meals. The menu is on the church notice boards, or ask Rosemary for it.

Safeguarding Training: Vulnerable Adult Awareness, Tues 12th May and Child Protection Awareness, Tues 19th May, both 6.30-9.30pm at Springhill School, Southampton. Further details from Pauline Bartlett, 01794 511619 or psbartlett@ntlworld.com

Meditation: anyone interested in an Introduction to Meditation as a Way of Prayer, see notice boards for details.

A Day of Discovery and Prayer: Wisdom House, Sat 9th May. What might St Paul's Epistle to Three Rivers be? See the notice boards for details of this day.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, Tues 21st April, 7pm, St Andrew's Church. All parishioners are welcome.

Service of Healing Sunday 26th April, 4pm at St Swithun Wells Church, Fair Oak.

Ministry of Welcome. There will be a social get together on Thursday 23rd April, 7.30pm at St Andrew's Church for anyone who wants to join the team and those who were unable to attend the last Welcomers' party.

Thank you to the twelve who joined the Easter Monday walk and made it such a happy event in the spring sunshine. The next walk will be on Monday 25th May, the second Bank Holiday in the month.

Flowers: for those who have volunteered to help at St Joseph's and anyone else interested, there will be a short meeting at the Parish Centre, 12 noon on Tues 5th May. Donations for flowers can be put in the boxes in both churches. Gift Aid donors can increase their offering by using an untitled green envelope, marking it "flowers".

Second Collection next weekend for Clergy Training Fund. Gift Aid donors please use the appropriate green envelope.

Parish Priest: Father George Lyons Parish Office: 26 Abbey Water, Romsey, SO51 8EJ Tel: 01794 513646 Sec: Rosemary Peacock E-mail: sasj@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk Hours: Tues:14.30-18.30; Wed & Thurs: 10.30-12.30 & 13.00-15.00 Parish website: www.sasj.org.uk Hospital Chaplains: Southampton: 02380 798517 Winchester: 01962 852804 Safeguarding Rep: Pauline Bartlett 01794 511619; psbartlett@ntlworld.com	Priest: Emergency contact number: 02380 612430 (Eastleigh). Other matters to be referred to the Parish Office please.	Sunday 19th April 2009
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Year B Second Sunday of Easter *Acts 4:32-35 I John 5:1-6 John 20:19-31*
 (P.132 in Parish Mass Book) **Lord, I believe, please help my unbelief.**

2nd Week of Easter Year 1 Sunday 19th to Saturday 25th April 2009 Psalter week 2

Please pray for Bill Street and Lysbeth Wagstaff who both died recently, also Maureen & Peter Kearney and Vera Peters who are ill
Mass Intentions: Sat 18th April 6pm, Donor's Intention; Sun 19th 9.15am, Monica Rea (anniversary); Sun 19th 11am, John Beattie R.I.P; Tues.21st 10am, John Beattie R.I.P; Thurs 23rd 6pm, Lysbeth Wagstaff R.I.P; Sat 25th 6pm, Patrick Sweeney (anniversary).
Anniversaries: Edward Holliday (1970); Margaret Boodell (1981); Thomas Naylor (1961); Charles Gregory (1979); Anne Kelly (1986); Stefan Kempen (2006); Alexander Jerome (1992); Alan Nash (2002); Ricky Tyroke (2007); Mary Slater (1971); Patrick Stanton (1990). **R.I.P.**

SCRIPTURE EACH DAY		EVENTS AND MEETINGS
Put your trust in God and do not fear. <i>Acts 4:23-31</i>	Mon	
Be united, heart and soul. <i>Acts 4:32-37</i>	Tues	Mass 10am at St Andrew's & 6pm at St Joseph's Meditation, 2.15pm, contact Pat on 01794 512006 Rosary, 7.30pm, Marie Louise House Oratory PPC meeting, 7pm, St Andrew's Church
No one who believes in the Son will be condemned. <i>Acts 5:17-26</i>	Wed	CaFE12.30pm, Parish Centre.
Solemnity of St George <i>Apocalypse 21:5-7</i>	Thur	Mass 6pm at St Joseph's Church Welcomers' Party, 7.30pm, St Andrew's Church.
We do not live on bread alone but on God's word. <i>Acts 5:34-42</i>	Fri	10am, Service of the Word with Communion with Morning Prayer, St Andrew's Church
Feast of St Mark <i>1 Peter 5:5-14</i>	Sat	Mass 6pm at St Joseph's Church Ministers of Communion day at Ashurst.

Sr Mary Joseph thanks everyone for their prayers, good wishes, cards and gifts. She is recovering slowly.

Funeral of Bill Street, exparishioner of St Andrews, St Teresa's Church, Totton, Mon 20th April, 11.30am

Rosary & CaFE both groups resume this week.

Please remember that a PPC representative is available at all weekend Masses.

Weekend 25th / 26th April 2009

Preparing 25 / 26 April	Cleaning St Joseph's Church: Janet Cooke, Eileen Patrick	Cleaning St Andrew's Church: Teresa	Flowers at St Andrew's Church: Carmel
	Ministers of Communion	Ministers of the Word	Welcomers
Sat 6pm St J	Patrick Coughlan	Michael Fielder, Jean Prescott	Helen Walton, Elizabeth Lapage
Sun 9.15am St A	Malcolm & Teresa Rayment	Jim Sweeney, Ann Heslop	Teresa H
Sun 11.00am St J	Sr Catherine	Sarah & David Coggon	Marie Johnson, Miriam Eve

HELPING HANDS -- Don't feel alone during a crisis -- RING ANGELA on 01794 340403 --

