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*Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the hour of battle,
be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil*

SECOND, 'LOW', SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

23/24 APRIL 2022

Mass Times and Intentions for the week:

Saturday	6.00pm	People of Parish	
Sunday	9.30am 4.00pm	Frank Krolikowski RIP (EK) Exposition & Benediction	Divine Mercy Sunday <i>Please join us for coffee after Mass</i>
Monday	9.30am	No Mass this morning	St Mark, Evangelist
Tuesday	9.30am 11.30am	Holy Communion Service Funeral Service of Edward Clarke	St George, Martyr, Patron of England
Wednesday	9.30am	No Mass this morning	
Thursday	9.30am 10-11am	No Mass this morning Adoration	
Friday	9.30am	No Mass this morning	St Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor, Patron of Europe
Saturday	6.00pm	People of Parish	

Reconciliation: Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm, Wednesday after Mass and on request.

Please pray for parishioners and loved ones who are sick: Clara Grace Liley, Pat Fitzpatrick, Ted Denyer, Claire, Fr Dominic O'Hara, Robert Gibson, Kate Hutcheson, Tom Harley, Bob Hutchison, Peter Bone, Neil Thomas, Seamus Lardner, Joan Nixon, Gerard Duarte Buades, Andrea McManus, Helen Gair, Barbara Wakefield, Teresa B, Peter Goldsworthy, Anne Jewson, Len Argent, Simon Moora, Jo-Ann Hudson, David McDonald, David Ryan, Ann O'Toole, Joan Worthington, John McGrath, Val Romanchek, Bill Romanchek, Mary Wilson, Chris Clark, Janet Stephens, Terry Kilgallon.



For those who have died recently: Fr Jude CJ, Jim White, June Porritt, Dr Peter Gillett, **and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Rev Robert Tollemache, Marcella Hands, Richard McCarthy, Hannah Egan, Catherine O'Toole, Helen & Duncan Millar, Susan Dyers, Frank Krolikowski, Gilbert Pollard, Owen O'Malley.

Thank you for your generosity last weekend

Good Friday Holy Places: £306.40 RTU: £31.20

LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

Our regular weekday and weekend Masses are being Live Streamed and Recorded. These are available for 7 days on our YouTube channel [St Michael's Catholic Church Worthing](#). Please note that you will appear in the live stream/recording if you are

serving on or stand on the sanctuary/altar at any time or sit in the benches behind the reader's lectern. Please ensure you give consent for any children visible in the recording by signing a parental consent form which can be found in the entrance foyer and on our [website](#). Please hand completed forms to Father Chris. (*Communion not recorded*)

WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

When visiting St Michael's we continue to ask you to use the hand sanitizer as you enter and leave the church. Those who wish to wear a face covering may do so during the celebration of Mass. If you are feeling unwell or displaying symptoms of Covid-19, please stay at home. The screens between the church and hall remain open for the time being.

We have a car park at the rear of our church which you are encouraged to use, to keep good traffic access in Hayling Rise for our neighbours, buses, and emergency vehicles. Thank you.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

A very Happy Easter as we continue our Easter Celebrations. Thank you so much for all your support over Easter.

THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we warmly welcome Fr Alan Sharpe who will kindly be supplying our Masses.

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION AND DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Exposition and Benediction with Divine Mercy Devotions this **Sunday 24th April**, 4-5pm.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME

Our next Confirmation meeting is on **Sunday 1st May** from 5pm to 6.30pm in the Hall. We also warmly invite all our young people preparing for Confirmation from the Deanery and from St Michael's to the Confirmation/Retreat which is on Saturday 14th May at St Oscar Romero School from 10am to 4pm. The full Confirmation Programme can be viewed on our website [here](#).

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The next session of preparation for the children will be on **Saturday 7th May** at 10am in the Hall.

DEACON MARK SPONSORED WALK

Deacon Mark has now completed his 200km for Lent. Anybody who hasn't yet donated or paid up are welcome to do so this weekend and next at the end of Mass with Deacon Mark. Once all the money has been collected he will let you know the final monies raised for Prostate Cancer UK and CAFOD.

NEWS FROM FR PETER

Fr Peter has been in contact with us to say that the well which is being financed by the parish men's group has now been dug, water has been reached and bricks are being made to solidly line it. Currently there is drought in his region so the well will be very useful. Recent donations from parish groups have included money to buy a sewing machine, which will be used for parish projects, as well as sums of money to help Fr Peter in his work of feeding the hungry. The drought has made the growing of crops difficult so there are real problems in this regard which the £129 sent recently from the '£ a week' collection will help with. To this we have added £250 from The Kimilili Trust, a bank account to which some very generous parishioners, among others, regularly contribute and we hope that altogether this will help Fr Peter's parish council deal with the current situation. Fr Peter is most grateful for all this and regularly remembers the parish in his prayers. With thanks to all, Jan and John.

ST MICHAEL'S MEN

The next breakfast meeting of our Group will be held on **Saturday 14 May 2022**, gathering at 8.30 for breakfast at 9.00 and finishing between 10.30 and 11.00. We will be joined by a special guest speaker, Fr Stephen Ortiger, formerly of Worth Abbey.

Anyone who has not previously attended one of our meetings but is interested in joining us should contact John McGrath on 07940 521881 for further details.

PARISH EASTER RAFFLE

Our Easter Raffle and sale of Easter Chickens raised £600 towards Parish Projects. Many thanks to all who bought raffle tickets and chickens. A huge thanks to members of the Craft Club who helped to sell tickets and knitted the chickens and to Jo who put together all the lovely Raffle items.

A SLIDE PRESENTATION OF MARIAN APPARITIONS IN THREE COUNTRIES BY DR DOMINIC RAJKUMAR

We warmly welcome Dr Dominic Rajkumar and his family. Dr Dominic has recently joined the Lime Tree Surgery as a GP and has very kindly offered to make a slide presentation of the Marian Apparitions in three countries at coffee time after the 9.30am Mass on **Sunday 8th May**. Slideshow on 3 Marian apparition sites, located in France, Portugal and India. The presenter has been to these sights, and will deliver the slideshow with photos and other useful information... Adults as well as Children will find the slideshow useful.

APPEAL FOR HELPERS - LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2022

We have received several applications from Pilgrims who will require assistance to join this year's Lourdes Pilgrimage, **but at this point we are short of Helpers**. After two 'grace years' dictated by the pandemic we are conscious of people's wellbeing, and we are having to look for more helpers than usual who are fit and well to support others. Subsidies are available for helpers to go towards them meeting the costs of the pilgrimage. As we currently stand, we will have to turn down some pilgrims who require assistance, if we do not get a significant number of fit helpers applying in the next few weeks, so please do apply if you can spare the time to help those in need.

The Pilgrimage Office is happy to answer any questions anyone has prior to applying 01403 740110, office@ablourdes.org
Helpers Apply now lourdes.abdiocese.org.uk

INVICTA VOICES AT ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL on 14th May at 7.30

This is a very special concert in aid of Turning Tides and St Barnabas. The A Capella choir, is led by grandson no 2, Matt. It is a group of talented young singers many of whom have been together since their university days in Canterbury. They have sung in many London venues, to much acclaim, but for this event they are travelling from London, in their free time, to sing for us. The High Sheriff will be supporting the event along with other civic dignitaries. French fizz and delicious canapes (all prepared and served by local volunteers), will be served in the interval and with time to talk to friends and members of the choir, all in the magnificent setting of the Cathedral. Please do come if you can. Tickets available from:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/invicta-voices-at-arundel-cathedral-tickets-301432070437>, or from Margaret (873737)

Please do support us.

INVITED: SEASON II - GROWING IN FAITH

Season II of Invited, the Diocesan Mission, arrived on Easter Monday, 18 April with Diocese-wide zooms happening each Thursday evening. For more information, please visit W: <https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/invited>

RETIRING COLLECTION

There is no retiring collection this weekend or next weekend.