



PARISH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Churches of the Holy Redeemer and
St. Thomas of Canterbury & the English Martyrs
Parish Priest : Father Míceál Beatty
Deacon : Ian Moon



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle C)

The Sanctuary Lamps this week has been donated for peace in the Ukraine at St Thomas' & Holy Redeemer. Please pray for this intention.

Saturday 17 September

St Thomas' 6pm Vigil Mass - Pro Populo

Sunday 18 September

Holy Redeemer 9am Peter Connor RIP

St Thomas' 11am Julia Luret RIP

Second Collection: **Evangelii Gaudium Sunday (Mission Sunday)**

Monday 19 September No Holy Mass

Tuesday 20 September No Holy Mass

Wednesday 21 September No Holy Mass

Thursday 22 September No Holy Mass

Friday 23 September No Holy Mass

Saturday 24 September No Holy Mass

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle C)

The Sanctuary Lamps this week has been donated for peace in the Ukraine at St Thomas' & Holy Redeemer. Please pray for this intention

St Thomas' 6pm Vigil Mass - Deacon Stuart Geary RIP

Sunday 25 September

Holy Redeemer 9am Pro Populo

St Thomas' 11am Cecilia Okoliko RIP

Monday 26 September

Holy Redeemer 10.45am Funeral Mass Eileen Mahoney RIP

Tuesday 27 September No Holy Mass

Wednesday 28 September No Holy Mass

Thursday 29 September No Holy Mass

Friday 30 September Memorial, St Jerome, Priest, Doctor

St Thomas' 10am Fr Desmond Baker RIP

Saturday 1 October

Holy Redeemer 10am Bill Gadd RIP

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle C)

The Sanctuary Lamps this week has been donated for peace in the Ukraine at St Thomas' & Holy Redeemer. Please pray for this intention

St Thomas' 6pm Vigil Mass - Pro Populo

Sunday 2 October

Holy Redeemer 9am Mary & John McCarthy RIP

St Thomas' 11am Anastasija Skangale RIP

Monday 3 October

Holy Redeemer 9.45am Divine Mercy Chaplet

Holy Redeemer 10am Fr Edward Hill RIP

Tuesday 4 October Memorial, St Francis of Assisi

Holy Redeemer 9.30am Holy Rosary

Holy Redeemer 10am Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II RIP followed by

Adoration until 11.30am

Wednesday 5 October NO HOLY MASS

Thursday 6 October

St Thomas' 10am Ena Schaffner RIP followed by Adoration until

11.30am

Friday 7 October

St Thomas' 10am Sr Margaret Mary McCullough RIP

Saturday 8 October

Holy Redeemer 10am Florence Eden (F)

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle C)

The Sanctuary Lamps this week has been donated for peace in the Ukraine at St Thomas' & Holy Redeemer. Please pray for this intention

St Thomas' 6pm Vigil Mass - Rita & Ken Gilbert Diamond Wedding

Sunday 9 October

Holy Redeemer 9am Pro Populo

St Thomas' 11am Francis Moens (F)

Second Collection: CAFOD Harvest Fast Day

Contacts

For booking enquiries, please contact Cathie on 07502482066 and leave a message or email hallbookings@yahoo.co.uk. For further details regarding our halls go to Hall Bookings at www.parishofthegoodshepherd.net

The Presbytery

31c Magdalen Road

Open - Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9am until 3pm Phone : 01424 420 815

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www.parishofthegoodshepherd.net

Parish Office Email Address:

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St. Leonards-on-Sea,
East Sussex. TN37 6ET

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24 Upper Church Road,
St. Leonards on Sea,
East Sussex, TN37 7AS

Conquest Hospital Chaplaincy:

The Ridge, Hastings

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Poor Clare Community:

22 Upper Church Road, St Leonards on Sea,
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St. Richards Catholic College

Principal : Miss Doreen Cronin 01424 731070

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Newsletter: Items should be submitted by Wednesday, 12 noon & if you would like to be sent a paper copy or email copy please contact the parish office.

LOCAL NOTICES

*Please pray for all our parishioners who are sick, in hospital or housebound, including Kirsty O'Reilly, Alan Turner, Shelagh Rowland & Patricia Burns and for those who have died recently.
May they rest in peace.*

The parish office will be closed on Tuesday, 20th September.

Second Collection: Celebrating the beauty of our Faith. This Sunday is Evangelii Gaudium Sunday when we are called to be joyous in proclaiming our faith. "Evangelii Gaudium" is Latin for "Joy of the Gospel". The day supports the work carried out by the Mission Directorate at the Bishops' Conference in supporting our bishops in important areas. Please support the Mission Directorate through prayer and giving to the second collection. However much you give, big or small, it will go directly to support these three important areas of work. Thank you. More information can be found at: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/what-is-evangelii-gaudium-sunday/>

CAFOD's Family Fast Day is coming up on Friday 7 October. This Harvest, we are responding to the World Food Crisis. East Africa is in the midst of a terrible food crisis affecting millions of people. Across Kenya, Ethiopia, South Sudan and in Somalia, families are facing extreme levels of hunger and malnutrition. Four years of drought have food and existing food and water shortages in the region worse and tragically, famine is now looming in some areas. Please pick up an envelope which will be available at both churches over the weekend of 1/2 October.

Rosary Reflections: You are invited to join us in praying the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary after the 10.00 am Mass on Saturday October 1st at Holy Redeemer Church. We will be using the CAFOD Reflections focusing on the global food crisis.

Missio Red Boxes: Thank you for your contributions. The total collected was £1,202.52. God Bless. Theresa

Children's Liturgy: We are hoping to restart Children's Liturgy on Sunday mornings at both churches. So far at St Thomas' it will be on the first Sunday of the month. Parents/carers who would like their child (5 to 8 yrs old) to attend please collect a consent form after 11am Holy Masses in September and return to the Parish Office ASAP. Diocesan regulations are that children can only attend if a completed form has been received. Thanks.

Hastings Foodbank: We have an opportunity to give help to our local neighbours in need. Please bring non-perishable items of food and anything needed for daily life. Our next collection is at St. Thomas' Church and will be prior to both weekend Masses 1/2 October 2022. Please contact Fidelis Okoliko on 07946689934 for further details. Your continued generosity is much appreciated.

LOCAL NOTICES CONTD.

Weekly Offertory Collections:

Sunday 4 September £446.86 (GAD:£144.00)
Sunday 11 September £725.88 (GAD:£130.00)

August Standing Orders: £1793.50

Welcomers and those interested in Welcoming:

You are warmly invited to a time of reflection and formation for the Ministry of Welcome on Sat 15th October, 11am -3.30 pm, in Holy Redeemer Church hall, Upper Church Road, Hollington, TN37 7AS. We will consider how we can enable our parish communities to reach out and include everyone. Please bring your own packed lunch. This will be led by Margaret Fraher, Diocesan Inclusion Adviser and member of the Diocesan Formation Team. Please contact Margaret Guye at m.guyeland@yahoo.com for further information and to book a place. N.B. This is the Welcoming Day that has been postponed since July.

St Richards Application SIF Signing: There will be two sessions when I will be signing SIF for September 2023 applications. Please come to the Presbytery on Tuesday, 11th October from 3 until 4pm and Thursday, 13th October from 6 until 7pm.

ADVICE REGARDING SACRAMENTS

To find out more about the Sacraments please contact the Parish Office on 01424 420185 or email stleonards@abdiocese.org.uk and if necessary arrange an appointment. You could also go to our website www.parihofthegoodshepherd.net.

First Holy Communion Programme: Registration for our 2023 First Holy Communion will start on the weekend of 1/2nd October for three weekends. So if your child is in Year 3 or above, please see me after all the Holy Masses during that time.

Confirmation Programme: Are you in Year 10 or above and wish to make your Confirmation in 2023? If so, we are doing things a little differently again this year. We will be joining with Hastings Parish, St Mary Star of the Sea and the programme will be led by Deacon Duncan Brown. If you are interested registering, please see me after Holy Mass to pick up a registration form for Parish of the Good Shepherd or see Fr Eammon at St Mary of the Star of the Sea. Registration is open from Sunday, 2nd October 2022 until Sunday, 16th October.

Marriage: Please contact the Parish Office to arrange an appointment to see me. At least one year's notice is required.

Anointing of the Sick: If you are going into Hospital for any medical reason and wish to be anointed, please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office. The anointing of the sick is also administered to bring spiritual and even physical strength during an illness.