St Theresa of Child Jesus Church, Totton Our Lady of the Assumption & St.Edward the Confessor, Lyndhurst

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6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 11.02.2018

Saturday 10th 6pm Mass at Totton St. Theresa, Private Intention, Saint Scholastica, Virgin Sunday 11th 9am Mass at Lyndhurst, Our Lady of Lourdes, For all the Sick – For good Health Sunday 11th 10.30am Mass at Totton St. Theresa, Our Lady of Lourdes, for all the sick – For good Health Monday 12th Mass at 9.30am Tuesday 13th Mass at 9.30am, Sylvia Smyth R.I.P 2nd Anniversary Mass by Gerry, Anthony and Poppy

Wednesday 14th Mass at 10am Lyndhurst,Louis James Valentine Sharpe R.I.P , Mass at St.Theresa`s at 7.30am, Thursday 15th Mass at 10am Lyndhurst

Friday 16th NO SERVICE

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Saturday 17th Feb 6pm Mass at Totton St.Theresa Sunday 18th Feb 9am Mass at Lyndhurst Sunday 18th Feb 10.30am Mass at Totton St. Theresa

For All Sacraments (Baptisms, Reconciliation, Confirmation, Weddings, First Holy Communion, Visit to the Sick &

Anointing of the Sick): If you want your child to be baptised, want to make confession, and ready to be confirmed ,if you are planning to get married or you need a visit – Parishioners of Totton and Lyndhurst , Please talk to Father Innaiah ONLY after Masses or Call on 023 80862270. Or write E-mail: totton@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk. Please help me to get to know you and your spiritual needs. Please speak to father before or after mass or make a visit, ring or e-mail.

<u>Hospital</u>: What if I am taken into hospital as an emergency? Remember to let your relatives know your wishes concerning visits from a chaplain . They can then notify the Chaplaincy Department if that happens. Tell the nursing staff on the ward know that you are Catholic and would like a visit from the chaplain. Please also let Fr. Innaiah know you are in hospital. Tel: 023 8086 2270. E-mail: <u>totton@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk</u>. Deacon Stephen and myself will organise a visit. Please don`t hesitate to write or ring us .

<u>Please pray for the following members:</u> Please pray for Bella Calder, Claire Sorrell, Tony Wright, Jean Taplan. John Tobin. Linda Hayes, Christopher Brown and other Parish Family members.

KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE LATEST NEWS! The Diocese of Portsmouth now issues **a weekly e-news. Go to www.portsmouthdiocese.org**.uk and add your email address to receive these updates.

John Patrick Tree R.I.P: John's funeral will be on Friday 16th February at 11.00 am in Our Lady of the Assumption & St Edward the Confessor church followed by an interment in Lyndhurst cemetery at 12.00 Noon

As Wednesday 14th February: Lent begins from Ash Wednesday on 14th February. There will be Mass celebrated at Lyndhurst at 10am and St.Theresa`s Totton at 7.30pm. At both the masses there will be distribution of Ashes.

<u>Parish Renewal :</u> We have initiated the process of renewal spiritually and renewal to our buildings in 2013. We had Our Bishop's Visit in June 2013, May 2015 visit of Relics of St.Theresa's Parents, Called and Gifted Program...ANCHOR ANF ECHOS programs etc. I am hoping to undertake few jobs inside and outside Church and Hall. If you have any ideas please let me know.

Church Hall Renovation: Please let me know if you have any ideas regarding the proposed Renovation or Refurbishment of Church and Hall. Lighting, Heating, seating, carpet etc....

Youth Group: During Lent 2018, Sr.Vernica will help Youth Group and Parishioners on Fri evenings. Please watch this space as we will have more details. Youth group on a Lenten Project on the Friday's of Lent starting 23rd February until 23rd March .Sr.Veronica will speak at Masses on 27th & 28th January .

100 Club: The result of the January 100 Club Draw was: 1. Bryony Burch, 2. Janina Mcilroy, 3.

Margaret Jarvis, The 4th quarter parish cheque for £500 was received . Thank you for your continued support.

The dates for Anchoring you in Happiness (Reconciliation) : Wed 21st Feb, 28th Feb, 7th March, 14th March, 21st March, 28th March, starting at 7.30pm till 9.00pm . Basically we shall be examining the Moral life and the Sacrament of Reconciliation through the story of the Prodigal Son .Below is an outline of how the programme runs.

	Sessions	Professing the Faith	Celebrating Confession	Living the Faith
		The Human Person		The Prodigal Son
	1	Created	Names of the Sacrament	Natural Law 21 st Feb
	2	Adopted	Examination of conscience 1	Human Freedom 28 th Feb
	3	Lost	Examination of conscience 2	Effects of Sin 7 th March
	4	Saved	Act of Contrition	Conscience 14 th March
	5	Called	Penance	Virtues 21 st March
	6	Blessed	Absolution	4 Last Things 28 th March

YOUNG CATHOLICS aged 16 to 24: The *Catenian Association*, which is very active in this Diocese and city, offers Bursaries to young Catholics within this age range for projects associated with their Christian faith; within this Diocese £30,000 has recently been so offered. Projects include assisting with the disabled young people's Easter pilgrimage to Lourdes, and other initiatives to help those in need, at home and abroad. If you are contemplating a summer holiday project, or taking a gap year, do not hesitate to approach them if you have some faith-based initiative in mind. Go to www.thecatenians.com/bursary/and you will find more information and details of how to apply.

Red Mission Boxes Appeal: The Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF) : Thank you for your support given to Red Mission Appeal when Stephen Davies . I am sure there are 15 people signed up for the Box besides the existing supporters. Thank you.

Freya Rose Patterson will be baptised next Saturday 17th February at Lyndhurst at 11.30am. Please support Freya and her family by your prayers. We warmly welcome Freya into our Faith Community.

Hugo James Hughes will be baptised on Sunday 25th February at 12pm at Lyndhurst. Let us pray for Hugo and his family and let us welcome them into our faith Community.

CAFOD : Family Fast Day is Friday 23 February. This year the UK Government will match every £1 donated up to £5 million, this is a great testament to the incredible generosity of Catholic communities across England and Wales. Next weekend 1/18 Feb envelops will be distributed after each mass as you leave and CAFOD team member in the parish will give short talk. There will be a collection at the weekend of the 24/25 February. Please fast, pray and give.

Confirmation Program: During the week I will be writing to all the candidates who applied to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in April .If your son or daughter is thinking to join a program please drop me an e-mail during the week and get enrolled.

St Patrick's Night: Please join us on Saturday 17th March at 7pm after the mass in St.Theresa`s Church Hall, there will be a buffet supper and the Forest Folk playing music. Please speak to Theresa Hounsome.

Pastoral Area Website: Did you know that the Catholic churches in the New Forest have a joint website? Why not visit it sometime and find out what is going on around the area. <u>www.nfwp.org.uk</u>