

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

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Lent Week 4th – 11.03.2018

Saturday 10th 6pm Mass at Totton St. Theresa , For our Parish Family

Sunday 11th 9am Mass at Lyndhurst

Sunday 11th 10.30am Mass at Totton St. Theresa , Fr. John McGrath O.M.I - R.I.P

Monday 12th Mass at 9.30am

Tuesday 13th Mass at 9.30am

Wednesday 14th Mass at 9.30am

Thursday 15th Communion Service at 10am Lyndhurst

Fr. Innaiah will be at Conference – Marwell

Friday 16th NO SERVICE

Lent Week 5th – 18.03.2018

Saturday 17th 6pm Mass at Totton St. Theresa

Sunday 18th 9am Mass at Lyndhurst

Sunday 18th 10.30am Mass at Totton St. Theresa

Lyndhurst: Please collect your Gift Aid Boxes for the Year 2018-19 from the back of the Church. They are marked with Names and Numbers. Further Please speak to Peter. Thank you Peter for all the Support you give.

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.

Hospital: 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: totton@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk. Deacon Stephen and myself will organise a visit. Please don't hesitate to write or ring us .

Please pray for the following members: Please pray for Bella Calder, Claire Sorrell, Tony Wright, 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.

Stations of the Cross in Lent: During Lent, Stations of the Cross will be prayed and said at Totton St. Theresa's every Friday at 7pm. Every Thursday after 10am Mass at Our Lady Lyndhurst.

Parish Renewal: 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 .

The dates for Anchoring you in Happiness (Reconciliation) : Wednesday , 14th , 21st , 28th March , starting at 7.00pm till 8.30pm . 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	Living the Faith	
	The Human Person	Confession	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

St. Theresa's Youth Group: Sr. Veronica and Parish Team will re-commence Youth Group on following Friday's of Lent. March 9, 16, 23, - 5 to 6.30pm. All parents are encouraged to stay. Children will enjoy Games and Puzzles based on following Sunday's Gospel. Refreshments are available. The teaching is related to Lent and Reconciliation.

CAFOD Lyndhurst : Thank you for your generous donation of £403.70 given to CAFOD . Gift Aided £ 213.00 + Plate £ 190.70

St Patrick's Night: Please join us on next 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. www.nfwp.org.uk

World Day of Prayer of Women: World Day of Prayer by women to be taken place on Friday 16th March at 10.30am, St. Theresa's Church, followed by Refreshments in the Hall. All are welcome.

Clergy Assistance Fund: There will be a retiring Collection on 10/11 towards Clergy Assistance Thank you for your generosity over the years.

Holy Week & Easter Services at Totton

Palm Sunday: March 24th - Vigil Mass at 6pm Saturday

March 25th - Procession with Palms – Hall to Church & Holy Mass at 10.30am

Holy Thursday, March 29th - Lord's Supper with Washing of the Feet 8pm

Good Friday, March 30th - Stations of the Cross at 11am & Passion of the Lord at 3pm

Holy Saturday, March 31st - Easter Vigil Holy Mass at 7pm

Sunday, April 1 Easter - Resurrection of the Lord - Holy Mass at 10.30am

Holy Week & Easter Services at Lyndhurst

Palm Sunday, March 25th - Procession with Palms & Holy Mass at 9am

Good Friday, March 30th - Good Friday - Passion of the Lord at 3pm

Sunday, April 1 - Easter - Resurrection of the Lord - Holy Mass at 9am

100 Club : The February 100 Club draw winners were: Bryony Burch, Peter Read, Cheryl Robinson. Congratulations.

Celebrate Weekend in September: www.celebrateconference.org/southampton Full details are on the website where it is also possible to download a booking form and a poster advertising the event. We have been fully booked for the past few years, so early booking is advisable. Thank you for your help. Peter & Lynda.

Confirmation 2018 : I am happy to bring to your kind attention and seeking for your prayers that we have 4 candidates training to be confirmed on Sunday 29th April 2018 at St. John's Cathedral, Portsmouth. Confirmation Classes on Wednesdays 5pm till 6.30pm.