



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

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The Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time Psalter week 4.

Sat. 2nd February. Mass. St. Theresa's 6.00.pm.
Presentation of the Lord
Sun. 3rd February. Mass. Our Lady's 9.00.am.
Patrick Sharpe RIP
Sun. 3rd February. Mass. St. Theresa's 10.30.am.
John Ingels RIP
Mon. 4th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30.am.
Tue. 5th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30am.
St Agatha
Wed. 6th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30.am.
St Paul Miki & Companions
Thu. 7th February. Mass. Our Lady's 10.00.am.
Fri. 8th February. No Service.

The Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time Psalter week 1.

Sat. 9th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 6.00.pm.
Sun. 10th February. Mass. Our Lady's 9.00.am.
Sun. 10th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 10.30.am.
Mon. 11th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30.am.
Tue. 12th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30am.
Wed. 13th February. Mass. St. Theresa's 9.30.am.
Thu. 14th February. Mass. Our Lady's 10.00.am.
St Cyril & St Methodius
Fri. 15th February. No Service.

+Please pray for the following members of our community who are ill or housebound: Bella Calder, Claire Sorrell, Tony Wright, John Tobin, Christopher Brown, Peggy Crooke, Greg Borkowski, Jay Dosanjh, John Vidal, Clara Nolan, Nula Rosenvinge. For all those in nursing homes or hospital and other Parish Family members who are ill or need our prayers.

100 CLUB

The winners of the January draw are:

1. Liz Cutler
2. John Mills
3. Brian Arthur

The draw took place at the Mothers' Prayers Meeting on 30th January.

Thank you for your support

Catenian Bursary Fund

Are you a young Catholic between the ages of 16 and your 25th birthday? Do you intend to volunteer with a project to help the needy and less fortunate in the world or help with a Diocesan or HCPT organised pilgrimage to Lourdes. If so, the Catenian Bursary Fund could help you. Over recent years we have given over £1.25m to over 10,000 applicants and we want to continue our support. All you need to do is to complete one of the application forms on our [website](#)

Engaged Couples Event

Saturday 16th February 2019

I wish to make contact with any engaged couples in your parish whom you know and are under instruction preparing for marriage in church in 2019 – either in your church, in another parish or abroad. As I did last year, I would like to invite them to a special Engaged Couples Breakfast and blessing here at the Cathedral on Saturday 16th February 2019, beginning at 9.15 am and finishing at 11.45 am. After breakfast and a chance to meet them, I will ask one of our newly-married couples from last year to tell us about their experience in hopefully an entertaining yet informative way. We'll then go into the Cathedral for a short Service of Blessing, in which each couple will be blessed, individually and also their engagement rings. Everyone is welcome - as long as they are engaged!

Poitiers Care

Volunteers are URGENTLY needed to work with Chris and Tony on a Monday (AM), approx. 9.00 to 10.30 am. The work involves checking food donations, sorting and stacking shelves, storing by date and receiving shop deliveries. All this with "good company" while doing the Lord's work. Please contact:

Christopher Miller 07785 525182 or Brian Arthur 07796 161047

CAFOD

You are invited to a CAFOD meeting on Saturday 9th February from 2:30pm to 4:30pm at St Theresa of the Child Jesus Church, Commercial Road Totton SO40 3AL. Nikki Evans CAFOD's Programme Officer for Bolivia will be talking about CAFOD projects in Bolivia and there will be an opportunity to explore the resources for Lent fast day on 15th March. Everyone is welcome so please book your place by emailing portsmouth@cafod.org.uk or call 01252 329385

Thank you to all Parishioners at St Theresa's for your generous support in 2018 and for the latest donation of £612.07. Through your support more villages like Longora's will have access to clean drinking water. Clean water has power: it can save lives, grow crops and even resolve conflict.

Good Counsel - National Day of Prayer & Fasting for Life

On Saturday 9th February, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia.

Your prayer (a Rosary) and fasting is urgently needed.

VOCATIONS

Please pray for our Seminarians and especially for Kevin Conmee who is in his 2nd year of Formation at the Beda College, Rome.

"There are different forms of service but the same Lord;" is your form of service to become a priest, deacon or consecrated religious?

To explore further, contact Fr. John Cooke.

vocations@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk or call 01329 318 869

Bamenda

When Bishop Michael Bibi, auxiliary bishop of Bamenda, was here last week, I asked him about the deteriorating situation in Cameroon and how the Diocese of Portsmouth might help. There are shortages of food, medicines and clothes. In response, the Archdiocese of Bamenda has set up in every parish an *Ad Hoc Committee* with a coordinating *Ad Hoc Committee* at archdiocesan level. Any donation is welcome. £10 can supply warm clothing, £30 a huge sack of rice, £50 a range of medical supplies such as bandages, antibiotics, pain killers etc. Can you help? It would be fantastic if individuals, communities, parishes and schools from our Diocese of Portsmouth might generously give some help in this simple way. It would make a great Lenten project. You can donate directly on our diocesan Bamenda Committee website:

<https://mydonate.bt.com/charities/bamendacommission>. Or you could send a cheque – mark inside that you wish it to go to the *Ad Hoc Committees* – here to Bishop's Office addressing the envelope to "The Bamenda Committee."

If you have any queries email the Chair:

clennon@bamendaandportsmouth.com or

contact the Committee Treasurer:

gdaily@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

Pope Francis' Intentions February 2019

Human Trafficking - For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

Popes Tweets

The secret to navigating life well is to invite Jesus on board. The helm of life should be given to Him, so that He can direct the route.

Meekness and tenderness: these human virtues seem small, but they can overcome the most difficult conflicts.