

## St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Church. Totton Our Lady of the Assumption & St. Edward the

### **Confessor Church. Lyndhurst**

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### 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time –Psalter week 3.

Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov. Mass. St. Theresa's All Souls	6.00.pm.	4
Sun. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov. Mass. Our Lady`s	9.00.am.	4
Sun. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov. Mass. St. Theresa's	10.30.am.	4
Mon. 4 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30.am. <b>St Charles Borromeo</b>		ſ
Tue. 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's	9.30.am.	-
Wed. 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's	9.30.am.	`
Thu. 7 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass. Our Lady`s <b>St Willibrord</b> Fri. 8 <sup>th</sup> Nov No Mass.	10.00am.	-
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+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, Eve Barry. For all those in nursing homes or hospital and other Parish Family members who are ill or need our prayers.

**MSP APPEAL:** There will be Mission Awareness and Appeal on 16/17<sup>th</sup> November 2019 by Fr Mark Odion, MSP, for the Missionary Society of St Paul. Your prayerful support and generous giving is for the training of Seminarians for the Missionary Priesthood. Fr Gerry Onyejuluwa, MSP, your parish priest is a member of the Missionary Society of St. Paul. May God reward your continued support and prayers for the Missionary Society of Saint Paul.

#### 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time –Psalter week 4.

Sat. 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass. St. Theresa's	6.00.pm.
Sun. 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass. Our Lady`s	9.00.am.
Sun. 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass. St. Theresa's	10.30.am.
Mon. 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30.am. St Martin de Tours	
Tue. 12 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's	9.30.am.
St Josaphat	
Wed. 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass St. Theresa's	9.30.am.
Thu. 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov. Mass. Our Lady`s	10.00am.
Fri. 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov No Mass.	

Collection next week for The Missionary Society of St Paul

## Pope Francis' Intentions Nov 2019

**Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East** That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together. **Pope's Tweets:** The protagonist of the Church's mission, is the Holy Spirit, who guides the path of evangelizers, showing them the way to follow. Let us ask the Holy Spirit for an open heart, sensitive to God and hospitable towards our brothers and sisters.

#### November visit to Lyndhurst Cemetery and Blessing

of the graves: You are invited you to visit to Lyndhurst cemetery on Sunday, 3rd November. We shall meet in the cemetery chapel at 2.30 p.m. for a short service, remembering our loved ones who have died and especially those buried at Bolton's Bench. We will follow this by a prayerful visit and blessing of the graves.

#### BAMENDA SUNDAY SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS

**WEEKEND**. Please remember our brothers and sisters in your prayers this weekend and be as generous as you can in your donation for the projects we support in our troubled twinned diocese in Cameroon. For an update please see your copy of the **Bamenda Newsletter** or visit our website: www.bamendaandportsmouth.com **PRAYER FOR BAMENDA**; Heavenly Father, Bless the Bamendan priests serving us. Pour out your Spirit on the people of Cameroon to fill the hearts and minds of all parties so that peace and justice may be restored to the region and all peoples live in harmony with each other. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

#### **Remembrance Sunday 10th November**

Next Sunday we remember all who have died due to war, especially the two World Wars. We pray for them and the families they left behind. We also thank God for the freedom we experience due to the sacrifice of others. The 'silence' will be incorporated into the Intercessions.

#### **NOVEMBER-MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE:**

A month of remembrance and prayer for those who have died and gone before us marked with the sign of faith.

Mass will be offered for the happy repose of their souls. We will keep the intentions before the Altar and pray for them.

# <u>VOCATIONS</u> Our Seminarian to keep in your prayers this month: James Lewis

James is in his 4th year of Formation at Allen Hall Seminary, Chelsea. He writes: "Last year, I completed an extended pastoral placement at St. Peters and the Parish in Winchester under the guidance of Fr. Mark Hogan. This gave me the experience of seeing 'firsthand' for one whole year the living reality of priesthood; not how I imagined, or thought it would be in an abstract sort of way, but what it was really like, living in a presbytery and working closely with the priests and the people in the Parish. This was an invaluable year for me. As the year progressed and I threw myself into Parish life, I was able to question, pray and discern more fully; is this way of life what God is calling me to? Could I serve as a priest for the Church in the service of others? Do my gifts and talents from the Lord lend themselves to this way of life? Could I ultimately find happiness and fulfilment and peace living out this vocation? I think, through the grace of God, I could. To find out more about vocations visit www.portsmouthvocations.org.uk. Why not sign up for the Monthly Prayer Vocations Newsletter? See Copy on the noticeboard.

#### St Theresa's Parish Christmas Bazaar

The parish bazaar will be held in the Church Hall on Saturday  $7^{th}$  December 12 – 2pm. Further information to follow soon.

#### <u>World Day of the Poor 17th November</u> Saint Peter's Catholic Church, Winchester <u>1.00pm – 5.30pm</u>

Join us on the 17th November for an opportunity for parishes and groups to gather together and share knowledge and experiences. About this Event 'The hope of the poor shall not perish for ever' On World Day of the Poor we are called to ensure that we are both hearing and responding to the voice of the poor.

Caritas Portsmouth are holding an afternoon in Winchester where parishes and groups can come together to review current projects, share experiences and encourage new ideas.

It is recommended that you speak to those involved in groups/projects already established in your parishes, so that you can come prepared with any questions or concerns you might have with starting or maintaining a project. It is also helpful to share experiences which have been fruitful, as this can be really encouraging for any groups who are a little reluctant to start a project!

There is an opportunity closer to the end of the afternoon for you to network with others, so please come prepared! It doesn't need to be physical resources, verbal discussions and personal experience are just as valuable.

# Would you be interested in becoming a CAFOD School Volunteer?

Schools Volunteers are a vital part of our work bringing Catholic social teaching to the next generation – but there is a shortage in this area, and we need your help. By becoming a <u>CAFOD School</u> <u>Volunteer</u> you will have the opportunity to be part of a global movement building a fairer world, inspiring young people to get involved. It only takes a few hours a week to visit schools, and with that time, you can help make an impact on future generations. If you would like to find out more please contact Jo Lewry on 01252 329385 or email portsmouth@cafod.org.uk