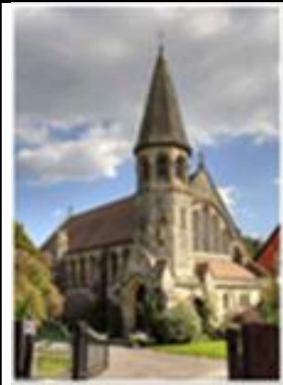




St. Theresa of the Child Jesus
Totton

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Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary time Year A Psalter week 1	Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary time Year A Psalter week 2
Sat 26 th Aug. Mass St. Theresa's 6.00pm	Sat 2 nd Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 6.00pm
Sun 27 th Aug. Mass Our Lady's 9.00am Tony McCormack RIP	Sun 3 rd Sept. Mass Our Lady's 9.00am
Sun 27 th Aug. Mass St. Theresa's 10.30am	Sun 3 rd Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 10.30am
Mon 28 th Aug. NO MASS	Mon 4 th Sept. NO MASS
Tue 29 th Aug. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am The Passion of St John the Baptist	Tue 5 th Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am
Wed 30 th Aug. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am Ss Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line & Margaret Ward Rosa Pacheo (Birthday)	Wed 6 th Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am
Thu 31 st Aug. Mass Our Lady's 10.00am St Aidan Adoration & Rosary at 5pm Mass St. Theresa's 6.00pm	Thu 7 th Sept. Mass Our Lady's 10.00am Adoration & Rosary at 5pm Mass St. Theresa's 6.00pm
Fri. 1 st Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am	Fri. 8 th Sept. Mass St. Theresa's 9.30am The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Please pray for Clara Nolan, Max Durham, Marie Duffy, Deacon Anthony Cairns, Annette Hazel, and Malcolm Davies, and all those in nursing homes or hospital and other Parish Family members who are ill or in need of our prayer.

Thursday Holy Hour St Theresa's, Totton, every Thursday at 5.00pm, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed and adored. Holy Rosary prayed and Benediction, concluding with Mass at 6.00pm.

*******Please note that Fr. Henry's day off is now Monday*******

CONFESSIONS There is confession every Saturday at St Theresa's Church, Totton, from 5.20pm until 5.50pm.

100 club – Anyone wishing to join the 100 Club Draw can pick up a Standing Order form at the back of the church or contact Peter on 0238029205

CONGRATULATIONS to Theresa and Bob Hounsborne who will be celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary, after 50 years of marriage on 1st September. They were married at St Boniface Catholic Church, Shirley on 1st September 1973. May God continue to bless your marriage and family.

Lyndhurst Parish death. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Tony McCormack who sadly passed away recently. Please also pray healing and consolation for the family and friends and this sad time, may Tony Rest in Peace, and rise in Glory.

Gift Aid If you are a UK Taxpayer, you can boost your generous offering by 25p for every pound you give at no cost to yourself. This is a simple way in which we can as a parish raise much needed funds. If you can help, please collect a form from the back of church and return it to Jenny Burnett (Totton). Thank you for your generous support of the parish. All Gift Aid Declarations (GADs), Standing Orders and Direct Debits from 1st January 2023 **must** be in the correct name of **Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth (CDP)**. Any GADs sent to us in the old name will not be processed and will be returned to the parish with a request for a correct form to be completed. New Gift Aid forms are available at the back of Church.

This Sunday 27th August is the Twenty First Sunday of the Year: Scott Hahn reflects: "Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!" Paul exclaims in today's Epistle. Today's Psalm, too, takes up the triumphant note of joy and thanksgiving. Why? Because in the Gospel, the heavenly Father reveals the mystery of His kingdom to Peter. With Peter, we rejoice that Jesus is the anointed Son promised to David, the one prophesied to build God's temple and reign over an everlasting kingdom.

March for Life Fr Peter Codd draws our attention to 'March for Life' in London on Saturday 2nd September. This year's March for Life will be held in London on Saturday 2nd September. The day begins at 10.30am with Mass at Westminster Cathedral, followed by assembly in The Emmanuel Centre where the March for Life begins at 1.30pm from the Emmanuel Centre to Parliament Square. The event concludes 4.30pm. For more information, visit www.marchforlife.co.uk.

CAFOD **The importance of farmer seed systems** – Agriculture is a vital sector for many countries in the Global South, both for providing sustenance and as an engine for reducing poverty. With 80% of the people living in extreme poverty based in rural areas, and the vast majority of those depending on agriculture for their livelihoods, empowering farmers is vital for tackling poverty. **How the World Bank harms poor farmers** – Rather than supporting these farmer – led seed systems, the World Bank has been pushing an agricultural model which benefits big agribusiness at the expense of small farmers. This model forces farmers and poor countries to purchase and subsidise patented seeds owned by large agribusinesses. These seeds are more expensive, demand more chemical inputs (further increasing the cost) and limit the ability of farmers to make the best choices for their own conditions, leaving them more vulnerable to the results of our changing climate.

Diocesan Day for Catechists. Fr Mark Hogan and the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph invite you to join them on Saturday, 30th September for a day for fellowship, formation, and prayer for the Catechists of Portsmouth Diocese to be encouraged and strengthened in faith. Join Fr Mark Hogan and the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph for a day of thanksgiving, prayer, fellowship, and formation in Winchester Catholic Pastoral Centre. The day is free to attend. Please bring a packed lunch. Register at [Diocesan Day for Catechists Registration, Sat 30 Sep 2023 at 10:00 | Eventbrite](#)