



# WATERSIDE PARISH OF ST BERNARD'S & ST MICHAEL'S

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## Easter Sunday until 1st week of Easter 31st March to 7th April

Date	Weekday	Where	Time	Proper	Intentions-Prayers
30.03.24	Saturday	St Bernard's	7.30pm	Holy Saturday	People of the Parish
31.03.24	EASTER SUNDAY	St Bernard's	9am	Easter Sunday	People of the Parish
		St Michael's	11am	Easter Sunday	People of the Parish
01.04.24	Monday	St Bernard's	9am	Weekday Mass	People of the Parish
02.04.24	Tuesday	St Michael's	9am	Weekday Mass	People of the Parish
03.04.24	Wednesday	St Bernard's	9am	Weekday Mass	People of the Parish
04.04.24	Thursday	St Michael's	1pm	Requiem Mass	Peter Cocker R.I.P
05.04.24	Friday	St Bernard's	9am	Weekday Mass	People of the Parish
06.04.24	Saturday	St Michael's	9am	Weekday Mass	People of the Parish
07.04.24	Divine Mercy Sunday	St Bernard's	9am	Divine Mercy Sunday	People of the Parish
		St Michael's	11am	Divine Mercy Sunday	Anthony & Violet Baddour R.I.P

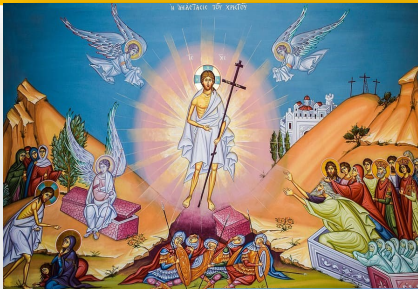
**Peter Cocker R.I.P:** Peter on 2nd March 2024 aged 89 years. The Service has been Arranged as follows: Reception into Church – St Michael's Hythe – Wednesday 3rd April at 4pm. Service – St Michael's Church Hythe – Thursday 4th April at 1pm ..Committal – Blackfield Cemetery 2pm. Please keep Mrs Joan Cocker (Wife) and Peter's family in your prayers.

**Confession—Every Saturday St Michael's at 9.30am to 10am .**

**CLOCKS GO FORWARD Easter Sunday**

**1am SUNDAY 31st March 2024**

Don't be late for Mass on Easter Day!! 9am & 11am



**Easter Greetings :** Deacon Ian ,Father Innaiah and all Parish Family wish you Happy & Glorious Easter Celebration. Many thanks to all of you for Faith, Dedication, Creativity and support given during Lent and Easter celebrations.



**"He effected a wonderful exchange with us through mutual sharing: we gave him the power to die; he will give us the power to live" (St. Augustine)**

**Pope Francis General Intention April 2024 :** We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world. **Alleluia Alleluia**



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK



**New Life  
Joy**

**Our Prayers for our brothers/sisters/friends in the parish community : We keep in our prayers the sick and housebound members of the parish: John Allen, Pauline Moore, Mike Slipper, Paola McCarthy and Hugh Kelly .**

(To comply with GDPR legislation, the express permission of the sick parishioner is needed before inclusion in this part of the Parish newsletter registration forms are available at both churches).



**IN MEMORIAM :** We pray for the repose of the souls of the dear departed of the parish community and for those whose anniversaries occur this week. Please have a look at the names of the faithful departed in the book of remembrance .Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let Perpetual Light shine upon them. May their souls rest in peace.

**Parking at St Michael's :** May I request parishioners not to block the garage and front door access at St Michael's Presbytery.

**World Children's Day :** In 2023, Pope

Francis declared that the Catholic Church's first World Children's Day would take place on **25-26 May, 2024**. The event focus will take place in Rome, but the Pope calls on Catholics around the globe to celebrate this special day in their own Diocese too. World Children's Day invites children from around the globe, including those of other faiths, to join together in friendship and prayer.



"Like Jesus, we want to put children at the centre and care for them."

### Prayer for the Renewal of our Diocese



Please pray each day the following prayer for the spiritual renewal of all the members of our Diocese of Portsmouth, bishop, clergy, religious and people:

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, we beg you

to change us, to convert us and to make us holy. Fill us with a deeper faith, hope and love for you. Send into our hearts the cleansing fire of the Holy Spirit and powerfully renew all the clergy, religious and laity of our Diocese. Unite us in love and respect for one another and unify us as your one, holy people. Grant us a new passion and zeal for our Catholic Faith, for mission, outreach and service.

Help us to proclaim your Gospel generously to the poor and needy that many more souls may be saved by finding their way to you in your Church. May Mary Immaculate help us.

May St Edmund of Abingdon and Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati pray for us. Amen.

Holy Michael the Archangel defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the wicked spirits, who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.



## Cooking with Fe :

**April 13, 2024 (Saturday)** In addition to this we are thinking to prepare a Easter lunch on the 13th of April (Saturday)

Main course :Beef wellington

Dessert: chocolate cake (demonstration baked)

Kind regards, **Fe**

## Collection—24.03.2024

**Sunday Envelopes £ 132.50—2 Masses**

Plate : St Bernard ` s £ 64.86

Plate : St Michael ` s £ 95.00

**Many thanks for your generosity.**

**Newsletter Items :** Please send any newsletter items by Thursday 6pm each week in order to be considered to be appear in the weekend bulletin. Many Thanks. Email : office@watersideparish.org.uk.

**Easter Collection:** by custom, the offertory collection given at Easter is gifted to our Priest Fr. Innaiah

## CLERGY TRAINING FUND

**WEEKEND OF 20th/21st April**

The Clergy Training Fund supports our Ten seminarians currently in formation for the priesthood. Each seminarian participates in a comprehensive programme of formation pastorally, intellectually, humanly and spiritually. These are the men who will baptise and catechise the coming generations, and care for us on our pilgrim way: our generosity today is a legacy to the Church of tomorrow.

Ref for online giving via parish bank accounts is: CT

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes :** The Portsmouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place this year from Monday 22 July until Friday 26 July departing from Gatwick Airport to Toulouse and then by coach transfer to Lourdes and staying at Hotel La Solitude. Contact: lourdes@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk.

## Easter Blessings

