



## St Hugh of Lincoln Catholic Church

Parish Newsletter - 19th June 2022

When someone asked Napoleon what was the happiest time in a man's life he replied:  
"The time of his First Holy Communion".

### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

My Dear Friends,

After consultation with the Bishop, and with his permission, I will be taking on new pastoral responsibilities elsewhere, outside my beloved Surrey and outside the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton. For some time now, since I was in recovery after my illness, I have been discerning a call within a call from the Lord, and in response to this discernment process, the Lord sent a fellow priest to discern with; as you know the Lord himself called his disciples to go out in pairs. After reading, study and prayers, the Archbishop of St Andrew's and Edinburgh, His Grace, Leo Cushley, has invited myself and another priest to form an Oratory in the Parish of St Teresa of Lisieux in Craigmillar, Edinburgh. Yes you heard it right, it's in Scotland! This Oratory will be a community of secular priests living by a common rule and way of life. There will be an initial period of probation, corresponding with a leave of absence from the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton. If this meets with success, grows in numbers and continues with the Archdiocese's approval, then the leave of absence will be extended accordingly.

At the Bishop's request I've only been able to tell you this now, because the permission given for my departure here ultimately involves other clerical moves in two places.

Bishop Richard has asked Fr Rob Esdaile, the new parish priest of St Dunstan's Woking, to look after St Hugh of Lincoln. It is very sad there will not be a parish priest to look after you, but this reflects the Church in England. But, I am hopeful that you as a community have the talents needed to grow as members of Christ and His Holy Church here in Knaphill, supported by an excellent priest.

Thank you for your prayers and support for the time I've been with you as your parish priest. I'm grateful for your many kindnesses, in so many ways. Your fidelity, especially during these last two years of challenges and uncertainty, has been marked by many generous sacrifices, and it has been a blessing to shepherd such a flock. There would be too many individual acts of gratitude to be acknowledged here and now, but know they have all been very much appreciated.

Change is never easy, so in the first place I ask you to pray for each other, to support each other, to persevere with each other in that prayer. Secondly, please pray for our Bishop as he makes pastoral provision for the whole Diocese. He will visit this Wednesday evening with some of the parish who have roles in the life of St Hugh's; if you have any questions to ask him, please email us via the Parish Office [knaphill@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:knaphill@abdiocese.org.uk). Pray too for Frs Rob and Nick and Deacon Rob. Finally, for me, please spare a prayer too. Since I arrived you've all been in my daily prayers, and that will most certainly continue.

My last Masses in the Parish will be on Sunday 14th of August and I begin as Priest in Charge at St Teresa's, Craigmillar on the first Sunday of September, from the 15th of August I will stay with a community of priests to learn first hand, over a number of weeks, the lessons of priestly fraternity, and the apostolate in common within a pastoral setting.

I hope to have a farewell Celebration with the Rosary and a party.

God bless you all with every grace necessary and much love.....Fr Gerard.

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## Easy Fundraising

Turn your everyday shopping into FREE donations for St Hugh's Church when you shop online via #easyfundraising. Whether it's your weekly food shop, household supplies or clothing purchases, you can make a difference at no extra cost to you. Over 6,000 retailers are ready to make a donation! It's quick and easy to sign up! Start raising today: [https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?invite=25EYUB&char=252616&referral-campaign=s2s&utm\\_source=swupsharebox](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?invite=25EYUB&char=252616&referral-campaign=s2s&utm_source=swupsharebox). To date we have raised £416.33 from the 15 parishioners who have signed up! Come and join us.

## The Living and the Dead

*'Brookwood Cemetery and the Roots of Multi Culture in the UK'*. A film showing on **22nd & 26th June** at the Nova Cinema, Woking. Tickets £5. Also an exhibition entitled *'Minority Burial Grounds at Brookwood Cemetery'* from 11 June-10 July at The Lightbox, Chobham Road, Woking.  
Free entry, but a suggested £3 donation.

## Refugee Crisis Coffee Morning with Bishop Richard

**On Saturday 25 June at 11.30am.** Bishop Richard will be hosting an informal coffee morning to discuss our response to the refugee crisis, at St Gabriel's Hall, Billingshurst, RH14 9QH.

Everyone is very welcome, to reserve your free place

please sign up here: <https://abdiocese.churchsuite.com/events/an04uoxn>

**The Diocese would like to find out what our Catholic community is doing to support refugees here and abroad.** The following short questionnaire will enable Bishop Richard and our Central Office teams to build a picture of the wonderful work being undertaken across our community, as well as highlighting possible areas of need: <https://forms.office.com/r/mEwnrp9bgw>

## World Meeting of Families

happens every 3 years celebrating the wonder that lies within family life. Traditionally the event has been held in different locations across the world, but with an eye to conserving the planet's resources, this year we have been invited to celebrate this in our own local parishes **22nd-26th June 2022**. To see what is on offer please visit: [www.romefamily2022.com/en](http://www.romefamily2022.com/en). The Diocese has distributed prayer cards with a special prayer for families to pray together at home but there are lots of ways to get involved, to share your ideas for celebrating or find out more please E: [Katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:Katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk)

**Helping Ukranian Refugees:** The Diocese continues to promote CAFOD's **Ukraine Appeal** to parishes and people wishing to give financially. You can give to CAFOD's Appeal [here](#). You can access **Reset's website** at: <https://www.homesforukraine.org.uk> with the site also available in Ukrainian.

You can find out more about the Government's **Homes for Ukraine** initiative [here](#).

To find out about the **Family Scheme Visa** click on [this link](#).

## Prayers

We offer our prayers for the people of Ukraine, for their safety and also for the people in Russia and an end to this devastating conflict. Keep also in your prayers the housebound, those who are in the Hospice and for those who are suffering and we commend them all to our Blessed Mother.

## Summer Fayre

**Saturday 25th June at St Hugh's School, Five Oaks Close - 12 noon - 3.00pm**

Next Saturday is our joint venture between the Parish and School and is one of the main fundraising events in our calendar. However, we cannot do it without your assistance.

We would welcome your help in the following areas:

- See separate sheet for Silent Auction bids.
- Manning a stall on a rota basis.
- Gazebo or umbrella & base loan.
- Setting up and clearing away - the former is particularly key to getting everything in place for the start of the Fayre. If you are available from 9.00am for an hour or so and able to lift heavy items, please come forward; we could really do with you!
- Bottles (soft drinks, beers, wines, spirits) for the Bottle Tombola - desperately needed we are particularly short this year! Box in the porch to receive donations. Please NO clothing, bric-a-brac, books, foodstuffs or electrical items.
- Grand Draw tickets on sale after all Masses **THIS** weekend at £1 a book.
- Cakes will be needed on the day! Please deliver direct to the school.
- Please note only blue badge holders and stallholder parking available at the school.
- If you can help, please contact Parish Office, Anne [am.rushton@btopenworld.com](mailto:am.rushton@btopenworld.com) or sign up on the list in the porch.
- More importantly, please come along on the day for lunch and a drink and all the fun of the Fayre! Meet up with your fellow parishioners - all very welcome.

## Returning to Mass at Pentecost

The Bishops of England and Wales have issued a statement about the restoration of the Sunday Obligation at Pentecost. "We thank God that this situation has now changed. The pressing challenges of the pandemic have lessened significantly. Most people have resumed the wide range of normal activities, no longer restricted by the previous Covid measures. We therefore believe that the reasons which have prevented Catholics from attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation no longer apply. We understand there will still be some members of our congregations who, for reasons of health, do not feel safe enough to return to Mass. It has always been the understanding of the Church that when the freedom of any Catholic to attend Mass in person is impeded for a serious reason, because of situations such as ill health, care for the sick or legitimate fear, this is not a breach of the Sunday Obligation."

## Annual Pilgrimage of Reparation & Consecration at Our Lady of Consolation,

West Grinstead, **Saturday 16th July**, 12.15pm - 4.15pm. The day includes Mass celebrated by Canon Tim Madeley, and a personal Consecration to Our Lady. No need to book, to find out more contact Linda C-Dominguez T: 01273 463463 or Jayne Lock E: [jayne.lock1@gmail.com](mailto:jayne.lock1@gmail.com)

## Counters and Bankers

The Parish urgently needs volunteers to help with counting the cash received by the Parish during the previous week, training will be given but you must be happy with counting money. The Parish also needs volunteers to prepare the counted cash for banking which takes place at the Post Office in Knaphill, again training will be provided. If you feel you can assist with this important ministry for the Parish, please provide your details to the Parish Office.

## Dates for your Diary

Retiring Collection **Next Sunday** is for Peter's Pence.

**Saturday 16th July** - Knaphill Village Show at Mizens Miniature Railway, Barrs Lane from 1.00pm to 5.00pm. St Hugh's will be having a stall and help will be required. Details to follow.

**Friday 21st October**, Pilgrimage of the relics of St Bernadette at St Dunstan's Church, Woking.

Retiring Collection **This Sunday** is for Day for Life.

### First Holy Communion

Please pray for all our children who received the Blessed Eucharist for the first time this Saturday, here at St Hugh's. May the Lord bless them and their families.

**Mass Intentions:** Mass Intentions available for the months of **August and September 2022** and can be booked via email to the Parish Office or telephone 01483 472404.

### MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS

**Sunday and weekday Masses will be livestreamed via You Tube or Facebook.**

**\*Saturday 18th June - \*Our Lady on Saturday\***

6.00pm Vigil Mass

For the intentions of Philip Moore

**\*SUNDAY 19TH JUNE - \*THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST\* - YEAR C 2022**

8.00am Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Intentions of Emily and Megan Farnfield

9.30am Holy Mass

Intentions of The Gilbert Family

11.30am Holy Mass

People of the Parish

**\*Monday 20th June - \*St Alban, Protomartyr of England\***

10.00am Holy Mass

Peter Kearsay RIP

**\*Tuesday 21st June - \*St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious\***

10.00am Holy Mass

Robert & Jean Pegley RIP

**\*Wednesday 22nd June - \*Ss John Fisher and Thomas More, Martyrs\***

Private Holy Mass

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**\*Thursday 23rd June - \*Feria IV\***

7.00pm Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Bernadette Keating RIP

**\*Friday 24th June - \*The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus\***

10.00am Holy Mass

Jan Dethick RIP

7pm EF Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Margaret Chapman RIP

**\*Saturday 25th June - \*The Immaculate Heart of Mary\***

6.00pm Vigil Mass

Mick Jones RIP

**\*SUNDAY 26TH JUNE - \*THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME\* - YEAR C 2022**

8.00am Latin Mass (Extraordinary Form)

People of the Parish

9.30am Holy Mass

In thanksgiving to St Anthony

11.30am Holy Mass

Antonio Coppola RIP



### The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart

O most Holy Heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing,  
I adore You, I love You, and with a lively sorrow for my sins,  
I offer You this poor heart of mine. Make me humble,  
patient, pure and completely obedient to your Will. Grant,  
good Jesus, that I may live in You and for You. Protect me  
in the midst of danger, comfort me in all afflictions,  
give me health of mind, body and soul, assistance  
in my temporal needs, Your Blessings on all that I do,  
and the Grace of a holy death. Amen.

*Let me know via the Parish Office if you would like your house  
enthroned with your family image of the Sacred Heart.*