

# Worshipping Community of Our Lady in Fleet



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## Feast of Ss Peter & Paul (Year B) - 28 June 2009

One night in the middle of July in the year 64A.D. a fire started in Rome. The fire spread rapidly and burnt for a week. By the time it was stopped it had destroyed half the imperial city. There was little doubt in people's minds that the emperor Nero was responsible, and in response to the public outcry Nero set up a commission which quickly found that a new religious minority was responsible for the arson: the Christians. There started a series of terrible persecutions. To be a Christian was to be an outlaw; to profess the name of Jesus was to incur the penalty of death. Two leading outlaws were executed under Nero's persecution, two men we celebrate this weekend as Saint Peter and Saint Paul.

Peter is the first to be called by Jesus. Although Jesus is from Nazareth in Galilee he centres his early mission in the town of Capernaum, beside the lake. And the address of his first mission centre is the house of Peter, the same house where he cures Peter's mother-in-law. Peter's boat serves as Jesus' earliest pulpit. Even Peter's name is given to him by Jesus.

Unlike Peter, Paul never met Jesus of Nazareth. Paul never had the experience of seeing Jesus, hearing him preach, witnessing his greatest deeds. Instead, Paul was dedicated to the elimination of Jesus' followers. As he admits himself, he was so bent on suppressing the Jesus movement that he would pursue Christians into foreign cities to track them down. He was an accomplished fanatic.

In celebrating Saints Peter and Paul we bless God for gracing them for their mission in the life of the Church. Today the Church still needs their different gifts and their shared commitment. Christians throughout the world still need a Petrine figure to unite the different factions in the community and be a source of unity and strength. Christians still need apostles like Paul, people on fire with the love of Christ who can reach out to all people with a faith that is energetic.

Neither Peter nor Paul put a torch to Nero's city of Rome. But they did light a fire that has not gone out. For that we praise God.

**2nd Collection** *PETER'S PENCE* offerings sent to the Pope as a token of England's traditional devotion to St Peter's successor.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2009-2010

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### DOMESTIC ABUSE & THE CHURCH

Sat 11 July 10am-3pm at St Bede's, Basingstoke. Practical advice on recognising domestic abuse and on supporting the victims. More info: poster in porch/Keith Chappell 01329 835583/[kchappell@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:kchappell@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk). *No charge*

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st Reading: Acts 12: 1-11

Psalm 33

*Resp: The angel of the Lord rescues those who revere him.*

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times.  
His praise always on my lips;  
in the lord my soul shall makes its boast.  
The humble shall hear and be glad.
- 2 Glorify the Lord with me.  
Together let us praise his name.  
I sought the Lord and he answered me;  
from all my terrors he set me free.
- 3 Look towards him and be radiant;  
let your face not be abashed.  
This poor may called; the Lord heard him  
and rescues him from all distress.
- 4 The angel of the Lord is encamped  
around those who revere him, to rescue them.  
Taste and see that the Lord is good.  
He is happy who seeks refuge in him. *Resp...*

2nd Reading: 1 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18

## PHILIPPINE COMMUNITY FUND

Thank you to all who supported last weekend's visit by Jane Walker. 'Big teddy' raised £300 but whose ticket was 202 as yet unidentified - come forward quickly? Items sold came to £638.40. In due course we will be able to identify a total sum to send to continue this work.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** 'Thank you' to children and helpers "Activity party" after 10.30am Mass Sun 19 July 11.30am-1.30pm in hall. (Children's liturgy closes until 6 Sept.)

**CHURCH HALL CHARGES** are being revised with effect from 1 September 2009, the beginning of new Diocesan financial year:

Hall or Hall + kitchen £15 p/hour;

Harry Sheppard & Sydney Quick rooms £12 p/hr

(Tidy up, put away chairs and tables & take rubbish home please)

## ST THERESE OF LISIEUX: RELICS IN UK

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**BIBLE ALIVE** for July £1.95 at the back of church

## PARISH CALENDAR

**Rosary** is prayed after 9.30am on Mon, Tues, & Thurs.

Sat 27th	9.30am Mass for John & Maureen Spelman(Sheehan) 5.30pm Reconciliation *6.30pm Vigil Mass for Betty Coakley(rip)(Coakley)
Sun 28th	*10.30am Mass, Children's Liturgy, for the People 12.30pm Baptism (Cair) *2nd collection Peter's Pence
Mon 29th	9.30am Liturgy of the Word
Tues 30th	No service (9.30am Mass at Holy Trinity) 7.30pm 2009-10 FHC parents' meeting - hall
Wed 1st	9.30am Mass for John Brockman(rip)(Parsons) afterwards Mothers' Prayers
Thurs 2nd	No service (9.30am Mass at Holy Trinity)
Fri 3rd	S Thomas 9.30am Mass for Betty Mallins(Sheehan) afterwards Prayer group
Sat 4th	No Mass 10am-4pm "Safeguarding" - hall 5.30pm Reconciliation
Sun 5th	6.30pm Vigil Mass for Frank Finigan(rip) 10.30am Mass, Children's Liturgy, for the People of the Parish

**Ss Peter & Paul**  
Prayer of the Church week 1



**14th Sunday in Ordinary**  
Prayer of the Church week 2



A warm welcome to all visitors! Please join us for coffee etc after 10.30am Mass Sunday and meet the regulars!

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** met 23 June:

\*Chair Martyn Flanagan & v/chair Michael Gallagher

\*Adopted a pattern of 'watching briefs'/liaison:

Liturgy; Education; Youth; Mission; Outreach; Church(HT); Church(OL); Social; Stewardship; Associations

\*Recognised revisions with knowledge of ultimate changes both in development of projects and ultimately a new parish encompassing NE Hampshire pastoral area.

\*Developing Mass times in line wef Saturday 5 September bring forward Mass at Our Lady's to 6pm.

### NEW ROTAS

Please pick up for Readers & Extra Ordinary Ministers

**MISSION TODAY** (summer edition) at back of church to collect for APF (Red Box) supporters. If you would like to contribute through a Red Box please contact Paul Brinck 01252 621932

**APF Boxholders** Annual Mass times notice at back of church

**Annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 21st—28th August.** For information contact Dcn Peter Lattey on 01252 621295 or Fr Vincent Harvey on 01256 465241. This pilgrimage is always in need of young people (minimum 17 years) to help. Could you? Please contact Dcn Peter or Fr Vincent for the appropriate forms.

### How can the church help people in debt?

Explore problem, discuss practical solutions Monday 6 July 7.45-9.45pm at the Church on the Heath. See notice board.

### Odiham Jazz Weekend 29 & 30 August

Sat eve-Jazz Party & Picnic; Sun lunch-BBQ & Traditional Jazz In aid of **Odiham Cottage Hosp & Neurofibromatosis Assn** More info: odihamjazz.org.uk or telephone (01256) 709903

7.30pm Sat 4 July **Hart Voices' Summer Concert** with Hart Young Musician of the Year, harpist Oliver White, at the Victoria Hall, Hartley Wintney. Tickets: £10/£8, under 16's £2, Livingstone's / Bargain Bookshop / 844153.

**All Hallows School** are looking for **HOST FAMILIES** for Italian students studying A-levels (Aug09-June10). Please contact Mrs Bingham on 01252 319211 / k.bingham@allhallows.net.

Please remember in your prayers sick & housebound people: Dick Anderson, Nancy Byrne, Michael Cross, Eva Johnson, Rita Lewis, Rosaleen Martin, Derek McSweeney, Margaret Sheehan & Christine Wildsmith.

### YEAR FOR PRIESTS

Pope Benedict XVI has declared this year which started 19 June, both the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart and the world day of prayer for Sanctification of Priests. It also celebrates the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the death of the patron for priests, the Cure d' Ars, St John Mary Vianney. The Pope has said that the year-long event is meant 'to encourage priests in striving for spiritual perfection on which, above all, the effectiveness of their ministry depends.

### John's Gospel - a Magic Pool

10.30am-3pm Tues 7 July at St Bede's Church, Popley Way, Basingstoke. £12.50 includes sandwich lunch. Booking form at back of church.



### SAFEGUARDING all people in our parish

**Saturday 4 July: Awareness Raising** sessions in our hall:  
10.00am-12.30pm - Child protection  
1.30-4.00pm - Vulnerable Adults

All catechists, ministers and any people involved directly in parish work please contact Anne Slimming 659286 or Mary Cattell 613904.

All volunteers letter from Diocesan Co-ordinator at back of church

### Worth Abbey - The Open Cloister. 01342 710318

10-12 July Rediscovering Catholicism

31 July-2 Aug Justice & Peace Retreat

Aug 10-17 Summer Activities Week - youth Aug 29-31 Young Adults

**Douai Abbey - 0118 971 5300 douaiabbey.org.uk**

20-24 July Come to the quiet, individually guided retreat

24-28 July Coping with Transitions

Aug 29-31 Silent Retreat

### School Volunteers - CAFOD Portsmouth

-to visit Catholic schools with lively presentations on CAFOD's work. Ongoing support given. Requires essentially the ability to communicate with young people of all ages. For more info please contact CAFOD on 01252 329385 or portsmouth@cafod.org.uk

### Diocesan Advisor for Marriage & Family Life

committed Catholic needed to continue the diocese's 'Celebrating Family' initiative. 21 hours a week for two years based at Park Place, Wickham. Please contact Eileen Stephenson 01329 835583 (estephenon@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk) Notice in porch

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Parish Secretary: Mrs Imelda Pua, Parish Office, Hall Bookings etc Tues Wed Thurs 10am-1pm Tel. 01252 616063

## WORSHIPPING COMMUNITY OF HOLY TRINITY

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<b>Parish Secretary</b>	Kim Hasty		htcc@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

<b>Sunday 28th June</b>	9.00 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	SS PETER & PAUL / People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m. MASS	Our Lady's	
<b>Monday 29th June</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	Nora Evan's Intentions
	9.30 a.m. LITURGY OF THE WORD	Our Lady's	
<b>Tuesday 30th June</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	Margaret Devine's Birthday
<b>Wednesday 1st July</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Our Lady's	St Oliver Plunkett
<b>Thursday 2nd July</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	Sister Kathleen McDonald R.I.P.
<b>Friday 3rd July</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Our Lady's	St Thomas
<b>Saturday 4th July</b>	9.30 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	Kevin Hennessy R.I.P.
	10.15 a.m. RECONCILIATION/ CONFESSION	Holy Trinity	
	6.00 p.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	1st Mass of 14th Sun of Ord Time/ James & Elizabeth Hanrahan R.I.P.
	6.30 p.m. MASS	Our Lady's	
<b>Sunday 5th July</b>	9.00 a.m. MASS	Holy Trinity	14th Sunday of Ordinary Time/ People of the parish
	10.30 a.m. MASS	Our Lady's	

Rosary is prayed after Mass at 9.30a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday at Holy Trinity

**WE ARE DELIGHTED TO WELCOME YOU TODAY -** New parishioners please pick up a Welcome leaflet.  
**Quiet room is available for people with small children.** Teas and Coffee in the Hall after Sunday Mass

**ANNIVERSARIES** occurring this week - Francis Hunt, Maude Hillman, Arthur Goodman, Sheila Tinsley, Margaret Eccles, Hilda Horsman and Stanislaw Harries.

**SICK IN THE PARISH:** Rosaleen Martin, Josephine Walton, Margaret Broad, Wyn Horner, Betty Hopkin Stuart Neal, Stan Wharf, Fred Helme, Mary Bourne and Father Paddy.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** - Renewal of Commitment weekend of 27th and 28th June at 6.00 pm and 9.00 am Masses. (Feast of St. Peter & Paul).

**SAFEGUARDING REMINDER** Saturday 4th July at Our Lady's Church, Fleet. 10.00a.m. - 12.30p.m. Child Protection Awareness, 1.30p.m. - 4.00p.m. Vulnerable Adult Awareness. A packed lunch is needed for all day attendees. Enquiries to Caroline on 01252 678528

**PRAYER FOR HEALING.** Teams will be available after Masses this weekend to pray for healing of your body or spirit.

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**TRANSPORT TO SATURDAY EVENING MASS** We need more drivers to bring parishioners to Saturday evening Mass. Could you help occasionally? Please phone Jenny on Fleet 614031.

**PHYLLIS TUCKWELL HOSPICE Sunday 28th June 3-5p.m.** Traditional Tea and Bubbly at Highfield Park Hotel in the village of Heckfield. Tickets £12.00 each from Sheilagh on 621727 or the Hospice Shop in Fleet, Tel:- 624724.

**BIBLE STUDY.** An ecumenical group will be meeting in the Methodist church, Reading Road South for a 34 week course covering in depth Old Testament "writings" and John's Gospel, 1, 2 & 3 John, James, Jude and Revelation. The course will start in September and advance booking is requested as handbooks have to be ordered. Please contact Lindsey on 622600.

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**SECOND COLLECTION** There will be a second collection the weekend of 27th/28th June for Peter's Pence.

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