

St. Swithun & St. Thomas More



A Parish in the North East Hampshire Pastoral Area of the Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth

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WEEKLY NEWS 5th & 6th Sunday of the Year 4th & 11th February 2024 Year B

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Sun 4th

5th Sunday of the Year (Missal 845/846)

6pm (Sat) Peggy Brennan RIP 8.45am(STM)People of the Parish 10.45am Paul Harding RIP

7pm

Tues 6th St Paul Miki & Companions

Wed 7th

Feria

Tony McGuoven RIP 9.30am

Thu 8th 9.30am

Feria

Fri 9th Feria

Brother Vincent Gill GE 9.30am

Sun 11th

4th Sunday of the Year (Missal 849/850)

6pm (Sat) Tony McGuoven RIP 8.45am(STM)People of the Parish Roy Thomson RIP 10.45am

Tues 13th Feria

In Honour of our Lords Holy 7pm Face

Wed 14th Ash Wednesday Mass with distribution of Ashes 10am SS Tony McGuoven RIP 12noon STM

Thu 15th 9.30am

after Ash Wednesday Joan Manton RIP

Fri 16th 9.30am

after Ash Wednesday

LECTIO DIVINA

Will take place on Thursdays, 7pm, Parish Centre, Yateley.

COFFEE MORNINGS

Every Sunday after 10.45am Mass at St Swithun's. Please join



UCM

6/02: UCM Meeting 20/02: UCM AGM



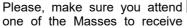
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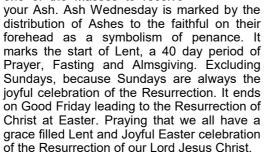
Sunday 11th February

The Mass that day will be celebrated for all the sick from both our parishes. You are invited to join us to receive the "sacrament of the sick", everyone is welcome.

ASH WEDNESDAY

St Swithun's - 10am St Thomas More - 12Noon.





PRAYERS NEEDED

Please remember to pray for peace in our world, and all the innocent people who have lost loved ones through those wars.

CRAFT-GAMES & NATTER CLUB

Join our club, bring your own crafts, games or just come for a "natter". We will be meeting on Sat 10th Feb at 10.30am for 2hrs. Every one welcome.

YATELEY CHORAL CONCERT

Concert in St Swithun's Church, Yateley.Sat 16th March 7.45pm. Mozart - Coronation Mass. Purcell. Elgar. Bruckner, Haydn. Tickets on sale soon."

THANK YOU

To everyone who contributed to the Christmas card fund, a total of £134 was raised, and sent to the Cafod War Appeal.

FUTURE EVENT-PARISH PICNIC

Sunday 19th May, after 10.45am Mass, we will have a parish picnic and also celebrate Father Wojciech



30th Anniversary of priesthood. Please not the date in your diary.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING FOR LIFE

Sat 10th Feb. the Vigil of the Feast Our Lady of Lourdes, please pray and fast for the end of abortion in this Country. Through God's grace we have seen thousands of Mothers in our counselling centre continue their pregnancies in very difficult circumstances. Please help us to help save lives with your prayers, fasting and support.

www.GoodCounselNetwork.com

YOUR OFFERTORY MONEY

Your Offering to the Parish is very important to us, and we thank everyone who are supporting the parish. We ask you to consider setting up a Standing Order, or do an online Bank Transfer.

PARISH BANK ACCOUNT NAME **CDP YATELEY ST SWITHUN**

Account: 00892220, sort code 30-93-04 **CDP HARTLEY WINTNEY STM**

Account: 01785711, sort code 30-93-04

Please put your surname 'offertory' in the transaction reference text so we can identify the purpose of the donation.

If you are a UK taxpaver please consider joining our Gift Aid Scheme. Forms are available in the porch or the Parish Office.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Anne Wardle, Pauline Doyle, Tim Driscoll, Rose O'Halloran, Peggy Fennel, Jean Warner, John Harris, Bob Fernandez.



FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We remember at this special time of year, our loved ones who have died. May the light of God's love shine eternally upon them.



Confessions

Saturdays 5.30pm-5.50pm St Swithun, Yateley



14/01: SS: £117.50 STM: £90 28/01: SS:£101.95; STM:£91.35 SECOND COLLECTIONS:

25/02: Cafod

Many thanks for all your contributions



PRAYER FOR PEACE

Father we look around your fragile world and we see so much unhappiness and sadness. We see the tears of children and adults who have had their love for life taken away by war or violence against them. I ask myself "What can I do?" If only I could wave a magic wand and make peace all over the world. But life's not like that I tell myself. I need to make a difference another way. I know what I'll do I'll start with myself and be kind and loving with family and loved ones. And I'll pray that the peace which Jesus gives us will rest in the hearts of all who cannot find peace. Father as we remember the birth of Jesus, the prince of peace. Give us the strength to live a life of peace and to support all those who work for peace by what we can give.