

NEWSLETTER OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES, NEW MILTON

8TH SEPTEMBER
2024
23RD SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME,
YEAR B



PARISH BARBECUE: TODAY, FOOD SERVED FROM 3.00pm. Tickets £5 per adult (children free). Donations of pre-cooked food welcome: we'll supply the burgers. Please bring your own drinks. There will be the customary RAFFLE so please bring some coins with you. See you there!

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TONY HILL: Tony's Funeral Service will take place on Friday 27th September at 1.00pm followed by Committal at Stem Lane Crematorium at 2.00pm. May Tony rest in peace. We continue to hold Anne in our prayers.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Recommences next Sunday. All children aged 5-8 welcome but please make sure they have a completed registration form, available at the back of the church.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE: Second Collection this weekend. Please visit <https://catholiceducation.org.uk> for more info.

HOME MISSIONS: Second Collection next weekend. Please visit <https://cbcew.org.uk> and follow "Evangelii Gaudium" link for more information.

NEW TERM: We wish all our school and college students and staff a great start to the new academic year.

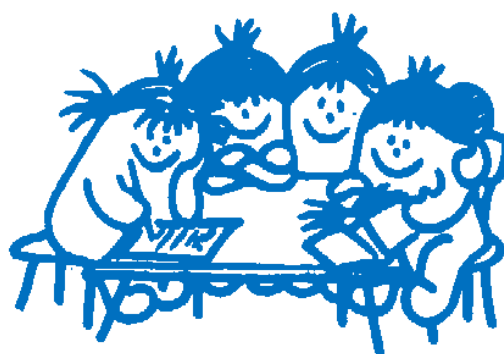


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OAKHAVEN HOSPICE: Invites us to take part in an open evening about end of life care in our area. 2nd October, 4.00pm-6.00pm, New Milton Community Centre.



LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS/SERVICE TIMES, AND PRIEST'S INTENTIONS
 CONFESSIONS — 5.30PM SATURDAY, (OR AFTER WEEKDAY MASS ON REQUEST)
 TEA/COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MORNING MASS IN PARISH HALL

SUN 18 SEPTEMBER	TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B	VIGIL (SAT) MASS	6.00PM 10.00AM	Harry (Thanksgiving) The Gordon Family (Int.)
Mon 9	St Peter Claver	No Mass		
Tues 10	Feria, week 23	Mass	10.00am	+Tony Hill
Wed 11	Feria, week 23	Mass	10.00am	+Philip Stephen Shanaghy
Thurs 12	Most Holy Name of Mary	Mass	10.00am	+Tony Hill
Fri 13	St John Chrysostom	Mass	10.00am	People of the Parish
Sat 14	Exaltation of the Holy Cross	No AM Mass		
SUN 15 SEPTEMBER	TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B	VIGIL (SAT) MASS	6.00PM 10.00AM	Holy Souls World Peace

7/8 Sept	Reader	EMHC	14/15 Sept	Reader	EMHC
Vigil (Sat)	BD	KD,BD,MH	Vigil (Sat)	SD	MH,KD,Cd'E
10.00am	MP	SS,LD,JK	10.00am	OB	JP,SS,JN

A warm welcome to all our visitors today. Please make yourselves known to one of our Meet & Greet Team, who will be happy to help you.

Light refreshments will be served. This is a very important topic for all of us. Please see oakhavenhospice.co.uk/future-plans for more info.

SEASON OF CREATION: Lasts until 4th October. This is a time to reconsider our relationship with Planet Earth and to take steps to enhance rather than destroy our local and global environment. For info please visit: <https://seasonofcreation.org>. We can also access articles from last year's parish newsletters for September by going to the archive section of the newsletter page of our parish website, ourladyoflourdes.co.uk

NEW MILTON COMMUNITY GARDEN PROJECT: Help needed Saturday 14th September, 10.00am-1.00pm to clear away weeds and grass. Please contact newmiltoncommunitygarden@gmail.com if you would like to help. Garden is at Fawcett's Field. Thank you.

SPONSORED WALK FOR PARKINSON'S UK: Lizzie and Isabelle are walking the Test Way on 29th September to raise money for Parkinson's UK. If you'd like to contribute, please see Lizzie or email her via the parish office.

PARISH INFO-BAR

The Presbytery, 15 Mount Avenue, New Milton. Hampshire. BH25 6NT

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TO HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION
 SEASON OF CREATION 2024

The firstfruits of hope
 (Rom 8:19-25)

PRAYER CORNER: Our prayers are asked for the following who are sick and/or housebound: T Steeles, Madelaine Newland, Robin Hockey, Dave Youngman, Barbara Williams, Joan Miller, Malcolm Davies, Nicholas Donnelly, Churcher Family, Elouise Sargent, Evelyn Merifield, John Allen, Marie Doolan, Paul Gordellier, Mary Tanner, Dcn. Anthony Cairns, Oliver, Gill Norris, Mary Dene.