



The Sacred Heart Church, Petworth
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July 5th 2009 Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)

Saturday	4 th	5.30pm	Mass	Sandra Macé RIP
Sunday	5 th	8.30am (Duncton)	Mass	The People of the Parish
		10.30am	Mass	Fr Peter's intentions
Monday	6 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Tuesday	7 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Wednesday	8 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Thursday	9 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Friday	10 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Saturday	11 th	12.00Noon	Mass	
		5.30pm	Mass	
Sunday	12 th	8.30am (Duncton)	Mass	The People of the Parish
		10.30am	Mass	

Confessions: Saturdays at 5.00pm or by appointment

THIS WEEK

This Sunday there will be coffee after the 10.30am Mass.

This week Fr Peter will be away from Monday to Friday.

Next Sunday will be Sea Sunday, and there will be a second collection for The Apostleship of The Sea.

Congratulations to Graham & Susan Seymore (Rolph) who were married at Petworth on Saturday.

Some Forthcoming Dates

Sunday July 5th There will be coffee after the 10.30am Mass

Sunday July 12th Parish Council Meeting after the 10.30am Mass.

Thursday July 16th Petworth Festival Service in St. Mary's Church at 7.00pm.

Sunday July 26th The choir will be singing at the 10.30am Mass.

Saturday August 1st 4.30pm Holy Hour to pray for priests (Year for Priests)

✂ **Village masses** Many thanks to those who hosted the four masses in various villages over the last few weeks- they were all extremely successful, and we will be arranging more fairly soon.

Parish Council Meeting There will be a parish council meeting on Sunday July 12th. If you have any matters that you would like raised at the meeting please speak to Gill Wilkinson or to Fr Peter by Sunday July 5th.



Year for Priests In this year for priests we are being encouraged to pray for our priests. There will be a holy hour of prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament on Saturday August 1st from

4.30pm until the evening mass.

✂ **Petworth Festival Service** This will take

place at 7.00pm on Thursday July 16th at St. Mary's Church, with the theme 'Rejoicing in Creativity'. The speaker will be Philip Jackson. Refreshments follow the service, all are welcome.

✂**CAFOD** Enter CAFOD's summer raffle, give a winning chance to poor communities around the world - because, whether you win or not, your money really makes a difference to people living in poverty. You can call our ticket hotline on 0845 601 6936 or just go to: <http://www.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/summer-affle>. Thank you very much for your support of CAFOD.

✂**Mass times Questionnaire** We are making preliminary plans for the day when we will move from three weekend masses in the parish to two (which may be a year

or more away). At the end of mass this weekend you will be handed a sheet of notes, and a questionnaire. Please take time to read this carefully, fill in the questionnaire and return it. *It is extremely important that as many people as possible take part, to help us make the best decisions about the future.* If you have any questions please speak to Fr Peter or to Martin Hall.

Last Sunday's collection amounted to £450.83. Thank you for your generosity.

The second collection for Peter's Pence raised £206.45. Thank you.

Last Sunday's Homily Copies are available at the back of the church.

"When there are not enough Saints in a nation, night falls in the minds of men, and people do not see the way they must go"

Blessed Bronislaw Markiewicz

Memories of Cardinal Basil Hume

On Saturday 18th July William Charles, nephew of the late Cardinal Hume, will be selling and signing copies of his recently published book of essays by friends, family and colleagues of the Cardinal. All royalties from the sale of the book go to charities for the homeless. Anyone is welcome to come and meet William, have a glass of wine, hear more about the book - and buy copies!

Date: Saturday July 18th

Time: 6.30pm

Place: Guntersbridge Farm, Petworth, GU28 9JJ

(Just to the north of Petworth turn off the A283 on the road signposted to Balls Cross and Kirdford; Guntersbridge Farm is on the left after about half a mile)

From Ruth Gledhill's blog

"William Charles' book made a big impact on me because it reveals the Cardinal in a complementary light to the one some of us of necessity saw him in. Charles writes of him, not chiefly as an Archbishop called with some reluctance perhaps, albeit with enormous grace, into a socio-religio-political role as the leading Catholic cleric of England and Wales, but as a pastor, teacher and, above all, friend."

The Lamp in the Lady Chapel burns this week in honour of Our Lady and in thanksgiving

Welcome to anyone who may be visiting our church, or if you have recently arrived in the area. We hope that you will enjoy being with us for our worship. There is a very brief history of the Sacred Heart Church by the doorway – please help yourself to a copy.

If you are putting money in the collection (for which we are always very grateful) you might like to use one of the yellow envelopes at the back of the church labeled 'Gift Aid Declaration'. These allow us to reclaim the tax paid on the gift, increasing its value to us by 28% (at no cost to you).