



The Sacred Heart Church, Petworth
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September 6th 2009 Twenty Third Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)

September 13th 2009 Twenty Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)

Saturday	5 th	5.30pm	Mass	Dec'd relatives & friends (Gabriel)
Sunday	6 th	8.30am (Duncton)	Mass	The People of the Parish
		10.30am	Mass	
Monday	7 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Tuesday	8 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Wednesday	9 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Thursday	10 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Friday	11 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Saturday	12 th	12.00Noon	No Mass	
		5.30pm	Mass	Maureen McGovern's intentions
Sunday	13 th	8.30am (Duncton)	Mass	The People of the Parish
		10.30am	Mass	
Monday	14 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Tuesday	15 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Wednesday	16 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Thursday	17 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Friday	18 th	10.00am	Eucharistic Service	
Saturday	19 th	12.00Noon	Mass	
		5.30pm	Mass	
Sunday	20 th	8.30am (Duncton)	Mass	
		10.30am	Mass	

Confessions: Saturdays at 5.00pm or by appointment

Mass Times

Please note, there will be no weekday messes between Monday 7th and Friday 18th September.

Congratulations To

Simon and Suzanne Spells (Kirkham)
married on Saturday 5th in Petworth.

Some Forthcoming Dates

Sunday September 6th Coffee after the 10.30am Mass at Petworth.

Saturday September 19th Churchyard tidy at Duncton, 10am onwards.

Sunday September 20th Finance Committee meeting after the 10.30am Mass.

Sunday September 27th Parish Council meeting after the 10.30am Mass. [PTO]

Sunday September 27th Choir singing at 10.30am Mass.

Duncton Churchyard Volunteers needed to help tidy the churchyard on Saturday September 19th from 10am onwards.

I Believe

A series of meetings for people considering the possibility of becoming Catholics

These meetings will offer you a chance to explore the Catholic faith

Meeting 1 'The Meaning of Life'

Tuesday October 6th

7.30pm at The Presbytery

All welcome

Village Mass in Northchapel The last of our 'season' of masses in the villages of the parish will take place on Tuesday September 29th at 7pm in Northchapel at Aldworth, London Road, the home of Garry and Ellen Duguid, with a simple meal to follow. More details shortly, but if you live in Northchapel, please make a note of the date.

✂**Friends of Holy Cross Hospital** The Occam Singers will be performing Haydn's Great Organ Mass and *Insanae et Vanae Curae* at Holy Trinity Church Guildford on Saturday October 17th. This should be an

excellent concert to raise funds for Holy Cross. More details from Charles Sommer or at <http://www.occamsingers.co.uk/>

'**God's Covenant with You**' is aimed at children of Junior School Age, and would be an excellent book for children to work through with their parents. Copies are available at the back of church at £4.

Year for Priests Will you help support our priests by praying for them? Please take a sheet of prayers for priests from the back of the church, and the name of one (or more) of our diocesan priests.

Afrikids Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church if you would like to receive the monthly email newsletter.

Mass in Honour of the Birthday of Our Lady at Our Lady of England, Storrington, at 7.30pm on Tuesday September 8th, followed by a torchlight procession to the outdoor shrine.

Last Sunday's offertory The average weekly amount given by standing order is £375.00. Last Sunday's collection was £599.19, of which £334.00 was in envelopes and £265.19 was loose cash.

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

Sacramental Preparation

Children going into school year 3 or above are eligible for preparation for **First Holy Communion**.

Young people going into school year 10 or above are eligible for preparation for **Confirmation**.

If you, or your child, would like to be prepared for one of these sacraments please contact Fr Peter by post or email.

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).