

**Today**

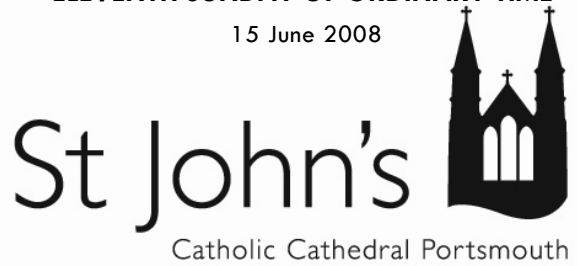
**Ordinations to the Permanent Diaconate:** 1430  
Celebrated by Bishop Crispian Hollis.

**Forthcoming Events**

- 16/06 CWL Monthly Meeting:** 1315-1530 Cathedral Hall. Members and visitors are always welcome.
- 16/06 Christian Meditation Group:** 1915-2015 St John's Room. All welcome.
- 20/06 Head Teachers' Day of Reflection:** 0930 Cathedral Centre.
- 21/06 Memorial Mass for Anthony Minghella:** 1200.
- 21/06 - and every Saturday - Meditation Group:** 1700-1730 St John's Chapel. A time of quiet reflection and silent prayer. All welcome.
- 22/06 Ecumenical Day & Family Picnic:** 1200 Victoria Park. Bring a packed lunch. All welcome.
- 28/06 Wedding of Cheryl Holmes and Mark McGahey:** 1400
- 28/06 Blessing of the Marriage of Stephanie McGee and Colin Colwell:** 1530
- 29/06 Youth Justice & Peace Meeting:** 1600-1800 Cathedral Centre. Parishioners who would like to join in the planning of the Summer Fete are welcome to this meeting.
- 29/06 Healing Prayer Time:** 1700-1745 St John's Chapel. An opportunity to receive individual prayer and anointing. All are welcome.
- 29/06 Portsmouth Baroque Choir:** 1930 Cathedral.
- 08/06 Hatha Yoga:** 1830-2000 Cathedral Centre.
- 10/07 Liturgy Group Meeting:** 1800 Bishop's House.
- 11/07 End-of-the-Year Mass St John's School:** 0930 Cathedral. All welcome to join the entire school.

Cathedral Priests:

- Canon David Hopgood and Father Steven Restori
- Mrs Lily Peach, Parish Secretary: 023 9282 6170
- Sister Rita, FMDM, Pastoral Assistant: 023 9296 0376
- Mr Peter Newman, Director of Music: 07811205729
- Mr Oliver Bailey-Green, Cathedral Organist: 07849 872010
- Mr Dave Yates, Cathedral Verger: 023 9287 0348
- Hospital Chaplaincy: 023 9228 6000
- St John's Cathedral Primary School: 023 9282 1055
- St Edmund's Secondary School: 023 9282 3766
- Discovery Centre: 023 9287 0348
- Jordan James, University Chaplain: 023 9284 8484
- Mary Ellen Donnelly, Deanery Youth Worker: 0781 446 7102



Thought of the Week *Father Steven Restori*

**We are a priestly, holy and healing people**

In this Sunday's gospel Jesus calls the twelve disciples and sends them out as labourers into the harvest. We are reminded that these simple acts of daily service are all part of God's divine plan to bring about salvation.

Both the first reading and the gospel make it clear that God's call is for the sake of mission. In the first reading Israel is called to be God's people in order to serve God as a "kingdom of priests" and as "a holy nation." In the gospel the twelve are called to be apostles sent by Jesus to continue his preaching and healing ministry – the word "apostle" means to be sent.

Mission, at its deepest meaning, confers and reveals identity: we are a priestly, holy, preaching, healing people. As we learn through experience, mission is one way we deepen our appreciation of who we are; it is in the 'doing' that we discover who we are. Reaching out to others is nothing less than an expression of who we are because our very baptismal identity rests in relationship – we are members of the one body of Christ. As well as sharing a common identity, we also share a common responsibility for the good of others. Even caring for ourselves is caring for others since anything that builds up one member of the body builds up the whole body.

Jesus' call reminds us to reflect on who we are – disciples sent by Jesus – and so even our simple deeds for the sake of others flow from our relationship to Jesus as disciples. Even these simple deeds, then, are preaching and healing in the name of Jesus.

Today is Father's Day. We ask God to bless and strengthen them; that their example of faith and love may shine forth; and we, their sons and daughters, may always honour them with a spirit of profound respect.

Music			
1800	877	643	825
1000	466	869	825
1200	877	869	871 967
1800	877	643	825

Mass Intentions
Please see the Verger or the priests if you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a particular intention.

**Liturgical Calendar**

**& Mass Times**

**Sunday 15 June**  
**ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

1000 Trevor Family RIP (F)

1200 John Bolger RIP

1800 People of the Parish

**Monday 16 June Op Mem**

**St Richard of Chichester**, Bishop Richard de Wych, born at Drowitch, studied under St Edmund of Abingdon. He was considered a model diocesan Bishop. He died at Dover on 3 April 1253, was canonised in 1262 and his body translated to a shrine behind the high altar of Chichester Cathedral in 1276 where it remained until 1528 before being buried secretly.

0730

1215 Mary Wallace Intention

**Tuesday 17 June Feria**

0730

1215Krispino&Pawlina Michallel †

**Wednesday 18 June**

0730

1215 Nula Davis Intention

**Thursday 19 June Feria**

0730

1215 James Walsh & Nella Keser  
RIP (F)

**Friday 20 June Feria**

0730 Gilbertson Family (F)

1215 Peter Macloone RIP

**Saturday 21 June Memorial**

**St Aloysius Gonzaga**, Religious St Aloysius was born into an Italian family of nobility and joined the Jesuits at the age of 18. While nursing plague victims he contracted the disease and died at the age of 23 with the name of Jesus on his lips.

1200 Memorial Mass of Anthony

Minghella RIP

1700 Meditation in St John's Chapel

1800 Roseanna Audizwartha (F)

**Sunday 22 June**  
**TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

1000 Bill & Anya Fisher RIP

1200 Lila Rosemary Flynn RIP

1800 People of the Parish

**Gift Aid Appeal**

Thank you to all those who responded to the appeal to join the Gift Aid Scheme in the parish. To anyone who had been away and would like to join, please contact Joe McGannan or David Shaw in the Parish Office.

**Anthony Minghella Memorial Mass**

The Bishop will be celebrating a Memorial Mass for the soul of Anthony Minghella on Saturday 21 June at 1200.

Anthony grew up as a Catholic in the Isle of Wight. His mother, Gloria, is on the committee of the 'Friends' of our Cathedral. The family have always been very supportive over the years. If you are able, please make an effort to come along.

**Ecumenical Service and Family Picnic**

The Churches Together in Central Portsmouth is organising this event on Sunday 22 June in Victoria Park at 1200. The Salvation Army Band will lead a short service. Bring a packed lunch. For details please contact Karina 9283 8713.

**Annual Mission Mass**

The APF-Mill Hill Annual Mission Mass on Wednesday 16 July at 1930 celebrated by Fr Frank Thompson, will be offered for all the members. After Mass, a 22-minute film from the "Field Afar" series about a Korean Missionary working in Japan will be shown in the Cathedral Centre, with light refreshments. All welcome.

**Newsletters**

To help cut down on the use of paper, those with email who can be sent the Newsletter and other circulars electronically, are asked to hand their email address to a Priest, the Verger or the Parish Office.

**Rotas for Readers and Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

To help with the compilation of the rotas for the third quarter of 2008, those who are not on email are asked to collect a non-availability form from the usual dispenser and return it duly completed no later than 21 June.

**Welcome**

To all relatives, friends and visitors to the Cathedral and the city of Portsmouth.

**Visitors:** You are invited to register in the Visitor's Book at the west end of the Cathedral.

**New Parishioners:** Please introduce yourselves after Mass to the priest (and to other parishioners) so that he (and we) can get to know you.

**Cathedral Summer Fete, Saturday 12 July at the Discovery Centre**

You are invited to join in this truly 'Parish' event with friends and family and have fun with fellow parishioners. This year, funds raised at the Summer Fete will go towards sending young parishioners as helpers to Lourdes, and to support the work of the Roberts Centre, Portsmouth.

We would be grateful for donations of new items for the tombola: gifts, bottles, bric-a-brac, DVDs, and CDs. We also need plants and cakes. Helpers and volunteers are also needed on the day. If you know of a company or individual who may be able to donate a substantial prize for the Grand Raffle, please contact Neil Galbraith on 9236 2971.

**Hatha Yoga**

A new course of ten consecutive classes will start on Tuesday 8 July in the Cathedral Hall and places are still available. It is suitable for beginners as well as those with experience. If you are interested please put your name down in the sign-up sheet in the Hall and come every Tuesday from 1830-2200.

**Vacancy for a Cook**

A vacancy has arisen for a part-time cook for Bishop's House. We are looking for an experienced caterer who is willing to work on a flexible basis, with hours to be arranged. Deadline for receipt of completed application is 19 June. For further information and an application form please contact Mrs Archer on 023 9282 0894.

**Oaklands Catholic School and Sixth Form College**

Oaklands will be open to visitors on Wednesday 2 July from 1130-1300. All interested parents are invited to come along and see the school in action.

**Staff Vacancies at Oaklands**

There are a number of teaching vacancies to fill for Sept 08: Mathematics, Science, Art (part time) and R.E. For details please contact the Head on 9224 8043.

**Please pray for those who are ill, especially:**

Philip Doherty, Christine Millham, Geoff & Roger Obermaier, Carol Taylor, Elizabeth Small, John Cotter, Maria Makin, Carole Winsor, Fr Peter Sprague, Albert Hider, Dan & Elish Cregan, Laurie Payne, Brenda Hamilton, Adelaide de Battista, Caroline Moran, Maisie Hider, Jenny Edwards, Doreen Yates and Pat Wright.

*If any parishioner is ill at home or in hospital and would like to receive Communion, even on a regular basis, please let the priests know.*

**As well as for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:**

John Leo Mooney †  
William O'Driscoll †  
Doreen Paine † Kathleen  
Gaston † Mary King †  
Charles Stanley † Carmel  
Hynes † Phyllis Kelly †  
Dominic Caruana † Thomas  
Basker † Winifred Lister †  
Carol Condron †  
Christopher Murray †  
**May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen**

**Confession this Week**

Saturday 1100-1200  
1630-1730

**Devotions**

**Midday Prayer**

Monday-Saturday 1200

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

Friday 1100 - 1200

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Rosary after 1215 Mass

Tuesday and Thursday

**We acknowledge with thanks:**

Last weekend's collection, including Standing Orders, amounted to £2005.51 of which £ 1081.90 (54%) was gift-aided.