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St John's Catholic Cathedral: New Website

St John's Catholic Cathedral (Portsmouth) has just launched its new website: www.PortsmouthCatholicCathedral.org. The new site incorporates a wide range of features for those interested in enquiring about the Christian faith in general and the activities of the Cathedral in particular.

As Canon David Hopgood, Parish Priest and Cathedral Dean, pointed out: 'A growing number of people have been showing interest in the scope of activity at the Cathedral, in the history of the Cathedral and our Diocese and in the role of the Church in Portsmouth. We have been thinking how best to respond. So, as part of that response,' continued Canon Hopgood, 'we set to work to rebuild and re-launch our website'.

The new website (www.PortsmouthCatholicCathedral.org) carries details of all regular services throughout the week and the new weekend programming: following wide consultation, the revised 2005 week-end schedule came into effect on 12 February with Mass on Saturdays at 1800 hrs and on Sundays at 1000 hrs, 1200 hrs and, to accommodate the need for a Sunday afternoon Mass in the locality, also at 1800 hrs. The new website also offers information about the Cathedral and the many activities from services to room/venue hire for which the Cathedral is responsible.

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