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ST JOHN'S CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL, PORTSMOUTH

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This week sees the exhibition *Credo* by Pierre Bamin at St John's Catholic Cathedral, Edinburgh Road, Portsmouth. The exhibition, open daily between 10 am and 5 pm, portrays the journey undertaken by the human spirit. Pierre Bamin will be present and painting during the time the exhibition is open.

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Expo: Artist at Work

Credo (Latin 'I believe') is the name of an unusual exhibition running until 30th September at St John's Cathedral in Portsmouth.

The exhibition, open daily from 10 am until 5 pm, is unusual in that it portrays visually the journey of the human spirit as seen through the eyes of the artist Pierre Bamin.

Five years in the making, this exhibition is also unusual in that during its showing the artist will be present, working on another painting for his fast-growing and impressive portfolio.

Born in Brighton and brought up in Sierra Leone, Pierre, whose work has been featured in the Mall Galleries (London) and in numerous publications, lives in Brighton with his wife, Christina and their two children.

'We are delighted,' commented Canon David Hopgood, Cathedral Dean, 'to be hosting such a fascinating and inspiring exhibition as we continue to celebrate 125 years since the establishment of the Catholic Diocese of Portsmouth. We hope as many people as possible will find the time this week to visit us here in the centre of Portsmouth to marvel at Pierre's work'.

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