

Catholic Church of the Immaculate Conception of our Lady, Edith Avenue, Peacehaven

Newsletter Saturday/Sunday 15/16 March 2008

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Intention at Mass</u>	<u>Liturgical Day</u>
Sat 15	6.30 pm	Gordon Stretch RIP (anniversary)	Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
Sun 16	10.30 am	People of the Parish	Blessing and Procession of Palms
Mon 17	9.30 am	Patrick White RIP	of Holy Week (Com. St Patrick)
Tue 18	9.30 am	Patricia Leach RIP	of Holy Week
Wed 19	9.30 am <i>Note</i>	Sean Duffy RIP	of Holy Week
Thu 20	7.30 pm	Paulina & Bernard Shields RIP	Holy Thursday
Fri 21	12 noon	Stations of the Cross	Good Friday Fast & Abstinence
	3 pm	Good Friday Liturgy	<i>Collection for the Holy Places</i>
Sat 22	6.30 pm	Danny Collard RIP	Holy Saturday (Vigil & First Mass)

Confessions Saturday 5.45—6.20 pm and any time by arrangement
Please see notice in porch about extra activities in Church and Hall

Easter Collections (next Saturday/Sunday) **are given to Fr Tom** in appreciation for all he does for us.

Chrism Mass at Arundel Cathedral –Wednesday 6 pm

We pray for the sick: Dennis Peacock, Phyllis Panerio, Eileen Foy, Cosmin Reid, Thomas Durrell, Gwen Davey, Eileen Weaver, Audrey Pereira, Fr Christopher

We pray for our dear dead: especially those who have died recently and those with anniversaries this week.

Collections last weekend: £ 463.88. 2nd: £171.72.

St Patrick's Night £320.00.

Thank you for your generosity.

Counters: Anne Gillard/Carole Winch

Next weekend: Michael Barwick/Martin Klust

Attendance last weekend: 248

Rota Reader—Saturday: Cathy Gregan

Ministers—Saturday: Aiden Moore/Martin Klust

Readers—Sunday: Ian Hodgson/Jessica Newman

Ministers—Sunday: Karen Welsh/Anne Farncombe/
Margaret Smyth/Sarah Dook/Steve Prodger

Rota for Holy Week

Readers—including extra readers,

Will Eucharistic Ministers and those taking part in the Holy Thursday *Washing of Feet* please make sure they see the notice in the porch and take their own copy.

Holy Week (Sacred Triduum) Celebrations

Holy (Maundy) Thursday Mass at 7.30 pm the Lord's Supper & Watch of Prayer.

Good Friday 12 noon Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday 6.30 pm **Easter Vigil & First Mass of Easter** with a joyful welcome to those being received into the Church on this holy night.

After the 10.30 am **Mass on Easter morning** the newly commissioned **Resurrection Mosaic** in the Garden of Remembrance will be blessed.

Meridian Centre Coffee morning this **Tuesday**.

Brenda Gorbitt's **Cake Raffle** draw today, last chance to buy tickets—proceeds for Church funds. Thank you.

ROMA Club Winners: G Bazire, M.Klust, M.Peacock, M. Lefkaridi.

1st Station Jesus is condemned to death The message I bring you is that of Jesus Christ our Crucified Lord. God's power, not our wisdom, is the foundation of our faith.

2nd Station Jesus receives his Cross If you would follow me take up the Cross, and come after me. If you would save your life, you must lose it, and if you lose your life for my sake you will find it.

3rd Station Jesus falls for the First Time Jesus said 'Come, follow me; cast your nets for a human harvest.'

4th Station Jesus meets his Mother When Jesus saw his Mother and the disciple he loved standing near, he said to his Mother 'Mother this is your son.' Then he said to the disciple 'This is your Mother.'

5th Station Simon of Cyrene carries the Cross Bear one another's burdens and so fulfil Christ's law.

6th Station St Veronica wipes the face of Jesus If you did it to the least of my brothers and sisters you did it to me.

7th Station Jesus fall for the Second time From the dust God lifts up the lowly. From the ashes he raises the poor to give them a glorious throne.

8th Station Jesus meets the women of Jerusalem Jesus turned to the women and said 'Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me, but weep for yourselves and for your children'.

9th Station Jesus falls for the third time My grace is sufficient for you; my power is made perfect in weakness. The foolishness of God is wiser than human understanding.

10th Station Jesus is stripped of his clothes Jesus emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, and being born in our human likeness, he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even death on a Cross.

11th Station Jesus is nailed to the Cross With Christ I am nailed to the Cross. I am living here and now this mortal life, but my real life is the faith I have in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself up for me.

12th Station Jesus dies on the Cross Jesus bowed his head and said 'It is finished. It is accomplished.'

13th Station Jesus is taken down from the Cross A grain of wheat must fall on the ground and die, or else it remains a single grain; but if it dies it yields a rich harvest.

14th Station Jesus is laid in the tomb All of us who have been baptised into Christ were baptised into his death. We were buried therefore by baptism into his death, so that we too might walk in newness of life.

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