

# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF WORTHING & LANCING

**St Mary of the Angels, Worthing & Holy Family, Lancing**

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Times of Holy Mass

**SEASON OF EASTER**

Month of Mary

Date	Day	Time	Liturgy/Venue	Intention
<b>SUNDAY</b> 28 <sup>th</sup> <b>APRIL</b>	<b>FIFTH</b> <b>SUNDAY</b> <b>OF</b> <b>EASTER</b>	09.30am	Holy Mass/Worthing	Sr Catherine ( <i>Intentions</i> )
		11.15am	Holy Mass/Lancing	Bernadette ( <i>Intentions</i> )
		5.30pm	Holy Mass/Worthing	People of the Parish
		7.00pm	Holy Mass/Worthing	<i>Italian Mass</i>
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	St Catherine of Siena	<b><u>NO MASS TODAY</u></b>		
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Pope St Pius V	10.00am	Holy Mass/Worthing	Jeslin James ( <i>Birthday</i> )
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	St Joseph the Worker	10.00am	Holy Mass/Lancing	Lise & Gerard Duffy ( <i>Intentions</i> )
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	St Athanasius	10.00am	Holy Mass/Worthing	Emmanuel Nobin ( <i>1<sup>st</sup> Birthday</i> )
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Ss Philip & James	10.00am	Holy Mass/Worthing	Mark Osborne ( <i>RIP</i> )
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	The English Martyrs	<b><u>NO MASS TODAY</u></b>		
<b>SUNDAY</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> <b>MAY</b>	<b>SIXTH</b> <b>SUNDAY</b> <b>OF</b> <b>EASTER</b>	09.30am	Holy Mass/Worthing	Kate Hayes ( <i>RIP</i> )
		11.15am	Holy Mass/Lancing	People of the Parish
		5.30pm	Holy Mass/Worthing	Chris Hodnett ( <i>RIP</i> )
		7.00pm	Holy Mass/Worthing	<i>Italian Mass</i>

*All contact information, Mass details etc are correct at time of going to print.*

**“O eternal Trinity, you are a deep sea in which the more I seek the more I find, and the more I find, the more I seek to know you”**

*St Catherine of Siena*

## **Sick and Housebound**

We continue to keep in our prayers all those throughout the parish who are sick, or who are suffering in any way. We remember, too, their loved ones and those who care for them.

## **GENERAL NOTICES**

**ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS CAR PARK ENTRANCE DOORS** Please note the car park entrance doors will be open during Mass times only.

**FR TERRY'S SILVER JUBILEE MASS** This celebration Mass will take place on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 11.30am at St Mary of the Angels, Worthing, followed by a party at St Mary's School. If you are able to help with **VEGAN** refreshments for the party, please speak to Cindy the Sacristan. There is also a list at the entrances of both churches for people to confirm what they are able to bring, please add your name and contact details. If you have a garden gazebo/marquee which you are able to lone for the day, or know of someone who does, then please again kindly speak to Cindy, Frances or any staff member in the church shop. All parishioners are welcome. Thank you.

**ROSARY AT ST MARY OF THE ANGELS** There will be a recitation of the Rosary at St Mary of the Angels on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May, beginning at 10.00am. All are welcome to attend.

**ECUMENICAL BIBLE STUDY GROUP** A reminder that the next meeting is on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April at Holy Family, Lancing from 2.00pm to 3.00pm. Please prepare at home Matthew chapter 27 and bring your notes from the reading and your Bible. For any enquiries, please contact Maria-Jose de Arriba, dearriba@hotmail.co.uk. All welcome.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNICANTS - PRAYER FRIENDS** Each of our First Holy Communicants would like a Prayer Friend - a parishioner who will pray for them and their families as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time on 15<sup>th</sup> June. If you would like to do this, please sign your name on a child's name badge on their special board in the Lady Chapel. Thank you.

**KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA RACE NIGHT** The Knights of St. Columba are holding a Race Night on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May at Oscar Romero School at 7:15pm. Raising funds for pupils of the school to be "Red Shirts" on this year's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Their aims will be to serve others, to explore their faith, to develop skills, to value other people and to be valued for who they are. Please help us to support these young people in this worthy cause. Tickets are £9.50 which includes a fish and chip supper and can be obtained from John Finch on 01903 200369 or 07983641845.

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP** The group will meet on Friday evenings at 7.00pm in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at St Mary of the Angels. There is the Prayer of the Chaplet followed by a short reading from the diary of Sister Faustina. All welcome.

**ROSARY FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE IN THE HOLY LAND – ENGLISH MARTYRS** The Rosary will be prayed on the second Saturday of every month at 5.00pm at English Martyrs Church, Goring. The next one is on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May. Please put the future dates in your diary and make a special effort to come and pray for justice and peace. All welcome.

**HOW TO BOOK AND PAY FOR A MASS INTENTION** Please email Clare Collington on [clarecollington@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:clarecollington@hotmail.co.uk) with the date you hope to have the intention, along with the full name of who it is for, and what it is, for example, “repose of the soul” or personal intentions such as “birthday”, “anniversary”, “thanksgiving”. If a donation is being made for the Mass intention, it can be paid by card at either entrance/exit of the church (Worthing), by cash or cheque (made payable to “St Mary of the Angels”), placed in an envelope with “Mass Intention” written on the front and handed in to the Sacristy or placed in the collection basket during Mass. How much you donate is entirely up to you. It is advisable to donate around the date of the booked Mass intention, just in case it becomes necessary for it to be rescheduled. If this situation arises the Mass intention can be rescheduled.

**CAKE AND PLANT SALE** On Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May from 10.00am to 11.00am at St Richard’s Catholic Church, Top Road, Slindon, BN18 0RH there will be a cake and plant sale in support of Pro Life causes. Everyone welcome, also donations. Please contact Maria on 01903 413606 for further details etc.

**NATIONAL JUSTICE AND PEACE NETWORK CONFERENCE** The conference this year is being held at Swanwick, Derbyshire, from 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> July. The theme for the weekend is “Just Politics”. The aim is to explore the need for truth and integrity in public life. Details and how to book a place can be found at [www.justice-and-peace.org.uk/conference/](http://www.justice-and-peace.org.uk/conference/)

**EASY ACCESS ENGLISH CLASSES FOR REFUGEES AND ASSYLUM SEEKERS** On Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May English classes for refugees and asylum seekers are starting at the Maybridge Community Church (The Strand, Worthing, BN12 6DR). The lessons are free for refugees; however, all are welcome to attend for a small charge of £1.50 per class. The classes will be held every Wednesday from 1.00pm to 2.30pm. There is no need to register, just come along.

**LIVE SIMPLY TIP OF THE WEEK** No mow May. This is a national campaign to encourage people not to mow their lawns until the end of May, in order to boost the flowers, and nectar, available to pollinating insects such as bees, butterflies and moths.

**ST ATHANASIUS** St Athanasius was a five-times exiled Bishop of Alexandria. He opposed the heresy of “Arianism” and strongly defended the Council of Nicaea. Famous for his theological writings, Athanasius clarified the notion of the Trinity. He underlined the full divinity of the Holy Spirit, equal to that of the Son. He died c.373 and his feast day is on 2<sup>nd</sup> May.



***Know someone needing help?  
Wondering how you can help?***



The SVP offers friendly practical help to whoever needs it. For someone in a crisis situation, help with the cost of something essential can make a big difference – or a housebound person may simply need a friend to chat, or help with a small task. If we can’t provide the particular help needed, we may be able to find out who can. Please pray for our work and ...

for SVP help, or if you are thinking of joining us, please contact

**Sue:** mobile: 07913 873 115 or email: [sueelizabethw@hotmail.com](mailto:sueelizabethw@hotmail.com)  
**or Patrick:** mobile: 07929 080 025

### Useful information

**Baptism Preparation:** Diana Thorn (01903 211744)

**First Holy Communion Details:** Mary Murphy (07827 774810)

**Confirmation:** Deacon Phil (07543 638050)

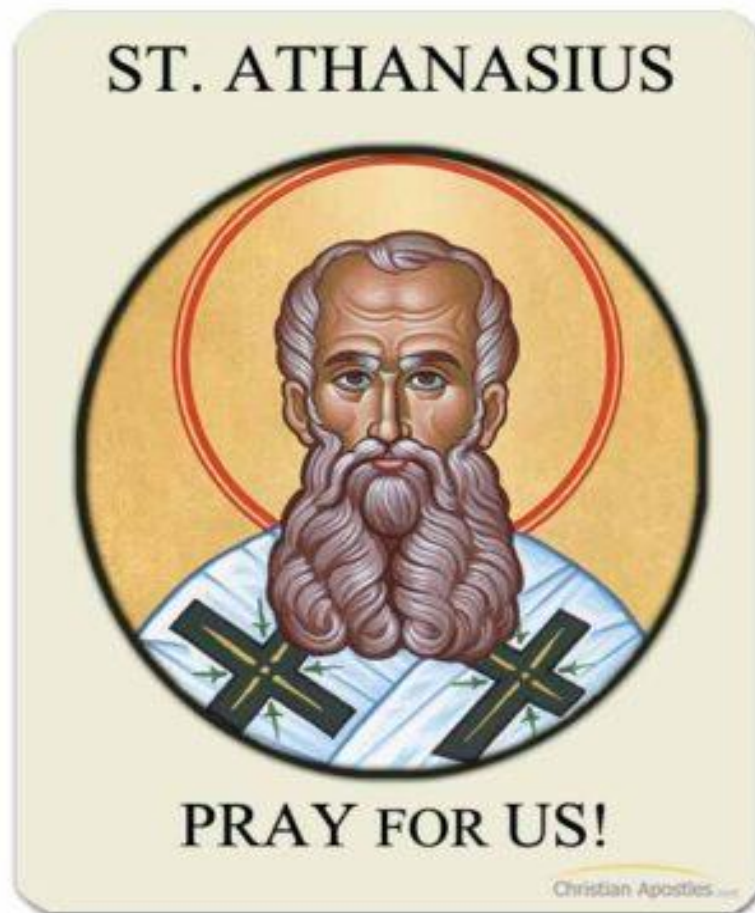
**Marriage:** Deacon John (01903 762038)

**Funeral Arrangements:** Deacon John (01903 762038)

**Safeguarding:** Alex Laperuta: lapster71@outlook.com (*Worthing*)  
and Deacon Phil: philip.richardson@abdiocese.org.uk (*Lancing*)

*All Masses and Liturgies at St. Mary's are broadcast on the internet (see parish web page)*

**MASS INTENTIONS:** To arrange Mass Intentions at either church, kindly contact Clare Collington on: clare.collington@hotmail.co.uk or 01903 535737. When booking an intention please ensure that you leave your name and contact details with Clare Collington.



“Almighty ever-living God, who raised up the Bishop Saint Athanasius as an outstanding champion of your Son’s divinity, mercifully grant, that, rejoicing in his teaching and his protection, we may never cease to grow in knowledge and love of you.”