



ST MICHAEL & ST GEORGE
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Sunday, 2nd September 2018
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B
Mass Intention: Denis Mark Howard RIP

Hymns:

Entrance Hymn: 726
Offertory Hymn: 609
Communion Hymn: 643
Recessional Hymn: 721

Mass Settings:

Kyrie: M13 **Acclamation: M51**
Gloria: M14 **Great Amen: M53**
Sanctus: M49 **Agnus Dei: M11**

WELCOME

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

There will be a Children's Liturgy today. Activity bags, containing appropriate books and other materials, may be found hanging on the chairs at the back of church to be borrowed to keep children engaged during Mass. Please replace after use.

After Mass refreshments are served at the back of the Cathedral.

COLLECTIONS

The plate collection that for last Sunday was **£231.58**.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Readers: Mrs N Francis-Crerar; Mrs E Haddon
Extraordinary Ministers: Mr D Beal; Mrs P Brooks;
Mr A Howard; Mrs P Rossiter
Welcome Team: Mrs O Beattie; Mrs P Ryan
Children's Liturgy: Mrs Y Spreadborough

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Wed 5th Sept: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 22*
1145hrs – Midday Prayer & Angelus
1200hrs – Holy Mass
Liz Hunt (recovering from illness)
Sat 8th Sept: *The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
1300hrs – Holy Baptism: Florence Anne Ostler

MINISTRIES FOR SUNDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER 2018

Readers: Maj N Fitzsimmons; Col P Rossiter
Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs P Beal; Col A Gillham;
Mrs E Haddon; Mr j Thompson
Welcome Team: Mrs A Gosnell; Mrs G Hyman
Children's Liturgy: Mrs P Rossiter

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, in your personal intercessions.

TODAY'S CELEBRATION

We offer Mass this morning for the repose of the soul of the father of Alan Howard, who was killed in an aircraft crash while carrying out duties as the flight engineer on this day 60 years ago.

PAPAL COMMUNICATION

At the General Audience with pilgrims in St Peter's Square last week, Pope Francis reflected on his recent visit to Ireland. Details may be found at: www.indcatholicnews.com/news/35535

CHRISTIAN SUPPORT

As the new school year looms, pressure is once more mounting on those in our community who are financially disadvantaged to provide for the needs of their children. We continue to support the local Food Bank by purchasing items they require. Please pass on your financial donations to Mary Casey. Thank you.

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITY

St Joan's Church, Farnham, will be hosting an Evening of Renewal and Healing this Wednesday, 5th September at 2000hrs, with Adoration from 1930hrs. Further details on the noticeboard.

PRAYER INVITATION

The Apostleship of the Sea is organising a Mass in honour of its patron, Stella Maris, Our Lady, Star of the Sea to pray for the work of seafarers in St John's Cathedral, Portsmouth at 1215hrs on Tuesday, 18th September. A reception will follow and all are welcome. RSVP to: salvina@apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

EXPLORING HOPE

The next Alton Day of Renewal is on Saturday, 22nd September, in Alton School, Ansty Lane. GU34 2NG when a talk entitled 'New sight for the blind' emphasising the role of healing in Mission will be on offer. The full programme and details are on the noticeboard and at: www.altonrenewal.com

KEEPING FAITH

'Friends of the Holy Land' will host a national day of Christian solidarity on Saturday, 22nd September from 1030hrs to 1600hrs at the Parish Centre, St Francis of Assisi Church, Kenilworth, CV8 1HL. The event is free to attend, includes lunch and an ecumenical service to give thanks for the work of FHL, its supporters and volunteers. Pre-registration is required; booking form at: www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk/nat--gathering

ENHANCING LIFE

Are you interested in making connections between your work and your faith, or thinking about changing your work, or making changes at work, or just looking for some inspiration? Several courses at Boarbank Hall aim to support people in living out their faith in their working lives. Details of the place and what's available may be seen at: www.boarbankhall.org.uk

AND FINALLY ...

... heroes are made by the paths they choose, not the powers they are graced with.

With every blessing
Fr Nick