



**CATHOLIC CHURCH  
OF  
OUR LADY & ST. PETER  
LEATHERHEAD**




THE SPIRIT OF CATHOLICISM: CONTEMPLATION & COMPASSION,  
COURTESY & COURAGE


'Act justly, love mercy, walk humbly with your God'. Micah 6:8  
Ever seeking a Grace-filled culture of love & thoughtful awareness.


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**30TH JUNE 2024 — ST PETER AND ST PAUL**

**WHAT IS PETER'S PENCE?**  
Peter's Pence is the Holy Father's charity. Our second collection today expresses the sense of belonging to the Church and **love and trust for the Holy Father**. It is a tangible sign of communion with Him, as Peter's Successor, and also of attention to the needs of the most disadvantaged, for whom the Pope always cares.  
*'Let us live in joyful hope of reciprocating in our brothers and sisters, through the little we can, the abundance we receive from God each day.'* Pope Francis

**IT IS GRACE THAT HOLDS IT TOGETHER**  
  
'Whatever else St Peter may be, he is not the model of a wise and noble hero. He walks on the water, but then panics and starts to sink. He makes the first profession of faith, and moments later blunders into error and is called Satan by the Lord. He refuses to be washed, and then, when the purpose is explained to him, demands to be washed all over; and he betrays his master soon after having been warned that he will, and having sworn not to.  
The choosing of Peter teaches us a lesson: the Church is not just for saints: it is for confused, impetuous, cowardly people like us – or St Peter. In the end, it was grace that gave the coward the courage to bear witness when it counted, grace that gave the fool the wisdom he needed to set the infant Church on her way, grace that taught the impetuous man patience and forbearance.  
As for **St Paul**, his mind did shape the early Church, and without him things would have been different. St Paul does *have* a mind, and that raises problems in an age that doesn't, that uses "clever" as a term of abuse. However, we are commanded to love the Lord our God with all our heart, with all our soul, *with all our mind*, and with all our strength. The Church believes that God called Saul because God needed him, and that the renamed Saul did and said what needed to be said and done. Let us pray for the grace to love God with our minds, as St Paul did.  
*Extracts from Universalis*

**HEALING MASS**  
Thursday, 11th July  
10:00 am  
With Anointing of the Sick 

**MINISTRIES OF SERVICE**  
We need more parishioners to minister the chalice and to welcome people when they arrive, especially at 6pm Mass. Could this be you? Please let the parish office know, so that you can be added to the rota.  
*'Many hands make light work!'* 

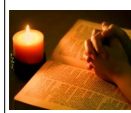
**NEW HYMNALS**  
 If you have missed the opportunity to sponsor a Hymnal, but would like to have a book dedicated to a loved one, please contact the parish office. As a guide for a donation to the parish, each book costs £8.


**PILGRIMAGE OF REPARATION & CONSECRATION**  
 **Date:** Saturday, 13th July  
**Time:** 12-4pm  
**Venue:** Church of Our Lady of Consolation & St Francis, West Grinstead RH13 8LT

The day includes Mass, the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary, Exposition, Adoration and Benediction. No need to book, to find out more contact: Linda C-Dominguez T: 01273 463463 M: 07944 377252 or Jayne Locke E: : [jaynelock1@gmail.com](mailto:jaynelock1@gmail.com)

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**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**  
Sara Zad will run the next First Holy Communion programme 2024/2025 for the last time. She has run the programme now for 5 years. We need someone to replace Sara; ideally by 2 or 3 people.  
If the volunteers could work with Sara for this, her final programme, "to learn the ropes", that would be really marvellous. Please get in touch with the Presbytery if you would be willing to undertake this most important ministry, and chat to Sara about the task. 

**LECTIO DIVINA**  
 Every Friday during school term-time, at 8 pm in the Church Hall.  
Prayer, Scripture, reflection. All welcome!

**BIBLE STUDY**  
The Bible study group will take a break until September. 

	<b>Divine Office: Week 1</b>	<b>SS PETER &amp; PAUL</b>	<b>Readings: Cycle B</b> 
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SACRED LITURGY		Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Exposition of The Most Blessed Sacrament		Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Saturdays 10.30-11.00am		Saturdays 10.30 - 11.00 am	
Day	Saint/Feast	Time	Intentions etc.
<b>SUN 30TH JUN</b>	<b>SS PETER &amp; PAUL Apostles</b>	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Gregory Prescott RIP Wellbeing of Diana Solitro Richard O'Shea RIP
MON 1ST	CONSECRATION OF ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Julia Packham
TUE 2ND	ST OLIVER PLUNKETT Bishop, Martyr	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Simon Jones & Jade Soon
WED 3RD	ST THOMAS Apostle	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Paddy Chubb RIP
THUR 4TH	ST ELIZABETH OF PORTUGAL	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Nick Brizee
FRI 5TH	ST ANTONY MARY ZACCARIA Priest <i>Day of Abstinence</i>	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Wellbeing of Matthew Huray & family
SAT 6TH	ST MARIA GORETTI Virgin, Martyr	9.45 am 10.00 am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> Thomas Gordon Hensler RIP
<b>SUN 7TH JUL</b>	<b>FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	8.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Wellbeing of Dan Jewell Maureen Millard RIP Michael Pinkerton RIP

MINISTRIES OF SERVICE - 7TH JUL			
	8.30 am	10.00 am	6.00 pm
<b>Reader</b>	Jim Lowther	Denise Dempsey	Tina Beale
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Allister & Marisa Piggott	Ruth Hall Christopher Delve	Bill Mayor Adrian Ajadalu
<b>Welcomer</b>	Katie Wildash Veronique	Nick Banks	Joanna & Robert Wojcik

COFFEE AFTER MASS		CHILDREN'S LITURGY	
<b>7th Jul</b>	Karen D'Souza & Alyne Oshiro	<b>7th Jul</b>	Robert Pace
<b>14th Jul</b>	Jackie Williams & Katie Wildash	<b>14th Jul</b>	Julie McLarnon

COUNTERS		CLEANING	
<b>7th Jul</b>	Matteo & Domenico	<b>7th Jul</b>	Helen Keen & Hannah Murphy
<b>14th Jul</b>	Adrian Lloyd	<b>14th Jul</b>	Val Ellis

**Mass Attendance last Sunday:** 376  
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**Offertory:**  
16th June = Cash £759.53 + Dona £112.00  
Day for Life = Cash £372.32 + Dona £5.00  
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23rd June = Cash £858.42 + Dona £93.00  
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**Second Collection Today:** Peter's Pence  
This collection is not eligible through the Parish Gift Aid scheme.

**FROM THE FATHERS**  
**You Are The Christ**  
**Christ, The Son Of The Living God.** Did the Lord not know what people called him? But by questioning he brought forth the conviction of the apostle Peter and left for us in the future a strong affirmation of faith. For the Lord questioned not only Peter but all the apostles when he said, "Who do you say that I am?" Yet one on behalf of all answered the King, who is in due time to judge the whole world. He is God, both God and man. How miserable does this make those who are false teachers and strangers now, and to be judged in eternity. If Christ is the Son of God, by all means he is also God. If he is not God, he is not the Son of God. But since he himself is the Son, and as the Son takes up all things from the Father, let us hold this same one inseparably in our heart because there is no one who escapes his hand.  
Epiphanius The Latin (5th/6th Century)  
*Interpretation Of The Gospels*

**Please pray for those who are sick or housebound**  
Myna Hazlehurst, Bryony Milner, Louise Smedmor, Lesley French, Maria Gomes, Mariela Palacios, Christopher Browne, Pat Brown, Carmel, Helen ("Jilli"), Veronica Evans and Pat Harris.

**Prayfully remember our dead/Anniversaries at this time**  
John Lane, Alice Spoale, Margaret Eaton, Margaret Croxford, Edith Keighley, Violet Pickelt, Vincent Pearson, John Cahalane, Fadeusz Wegrzyn, Leslie Creasey, Minnie Giles, Mary Morris, William Baker, Mary Slydel, Robert Evans, Kathleen Morrow-Smith, Vincent Amicucci, Julia Peters, Kathleen Berresford, Therese Walsh, John Price, Cecilia May Sauls, Patricia Jenns, Hazel Neal, Paul John Parish, Charles Victor Miller and John O'Toole.