

## St Joan of Arc, Farnham

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### FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

22<sup>nd</sup> April 2018 Cycle B Year II Psalter Week 4  
We gather to worship God in union with Francis I, Our Pope  
and Richard, Our Bishop

<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	
9.30am	Mass: Skip & Brigid Powers
10.00am	Confession & Adoration
11.00am	Baptism: Luke Marshall
<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER St Anselm</b>	
4.45pm	Baptism: Oscar Klotz
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday	Confession Mass: Kevin Roche RIP
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	
<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
9.15am	Mass: People of the Parish
11.15am	Mass: Marie Taylor RIP (anniv)
<b>During Mass</b>	Baptism: Amelie Freeston-Smith
12.15pm	Baptism: Teddy Beames
6.00pm	Youth Mass: Eileen Mulvin Intentions
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b>	
<b>St George</b>	
9.30am	Adoration
<b>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
9.30am	Adoration
7.00pm	Mass: Ken Gooch RIP (anniv)
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
<b>St Mark</b>	
9.30am	Adoration
3.35pm	Mass: Intentions of Eileen Mulvin
<b>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
9.15am	Mass: In thanksgiving
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
9.30am	Mass: John Henderson RIP (anniv)
<b>Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
9.30am	Mass: Renny Roy RIP
10.00am	Confession & Adoration
11.00am	Baptism: Evelyn Cox
<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
5.30pm	Confession
6.00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday	Mass: Dr Mary Berry RIP
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	
9.15am	Mass: Mr Bones RIP
11.15am	Mass: Mrs Jo Henderson RIP (anniv)
12.15pm	Baptism: Scarlett Jackson
6.00pm	Youth Mass: People of the Parish & Laura (Maria) D'Souza RIP

Thank you very much for your generosity last weekend **£2524.23** (£1379.23 collection, £1145.00 standing order).  
Transformation Project standing orders average **£233pw**.  
2<sup>nd</sup> COLLECTION last weekend for St John's Wonersh **£548.68**  
2<sup>nd</sup> COLLECTION this weekend 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> April Education of Future Priests.  
Gift Aid. World Day of Prayer for Vocations.  
Mass Attendance last weekend: 6pm Sunday Vigil: 157 Sunday  
9.15am: 172 11.15am: 192 6pm: 185 = 706  
**FRIDAY IS A DAY OF FASTING AND ABSTINENCE FROM EATING MEAT**

### ST JOAN'S PARISH OFFICE

St Joan's Parish Office & Centre Bookings 01252 716711  
Tuesday – Friday 9.30am – 11am

**Press 1: For Fr Niven's PA – Patsy**  
Email: [stjoansoffice@btinternet.com](mailto:stjoansoffice@btinternet.com)  
**Press 2: For the Parish Secretary – Cecilia (Wednesday-Friday)**  
Email: [stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com](mailto:stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com) - if you require an appointment with Fr Niven; Baptisms; Mass Intentions; Weekly Newsletter/Arc Magazine.

**Press 3: For Centre Hire – Julie**  
Email: [stjoanscentre@btinternet.com](mailto:stjoanscentre@btinternet.com)

**WEEKLY NEWSLETTER/PARISH MAGAZINE:** Please send articles to Cecilia at [stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com](mailto:stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com) by Tuesday morning.  
**WEBSITE:** Mary Nolan: [mjolanx@gmail.com](mailto:mjolanx@gmail.com) with any website changes.  
**ARCAID:** Funding small charitable projects overseas. If you have a project you would like us to consider, contact Mariola: [mariolaboyd@btinternet.com](mailto:mariolaboyd@btinternet.com)  
**JUSTICE & PEACE:** Jo Ellis Tel: 07932609957: [joanneellisuk@gmail.com](mailto:joanneellisuk@gmail.com)  
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**APF MISSIO RED BOXES:** Sallie Wheeler Tel: 710930  
**SAFEGUARDING/DBS:** Marie O'Donnell Tel: 724169  
**200 CLUB:** Liz Owen Tel: 722765  
**WEDDING ARRANGEMENTS:** To all who are planning weddings at St Joan of Arc contact the Church first before your Reception venue.  
**RADIO STATION:** [www.heavensroadfm.net](http://www.heavensroadfm.net)  
**ST POLYCARP'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:**  
Head: Mrs A. Gunn Tel: 716307  
**ALL HALLOWS CATHOLIC SCHOOL & 6<sup>TH</sup> FORM COLLEGE:**  
Head: Mr P. Doyle Tel: 319211

### PARISH GROUPS

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP:** Mondays 10.30-11.15am in the Centre Foyer.  
**ROSARY GROUP:** Every Tuesday of the month in May 7.30pm in St Joan's Church. 1<sup>st</sup> May  
**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP:** Full information online at [stjoanlits.webstarts.com](http://stjoanlits.webstarts.com) *Wednesdays 8pm in the Centre.*  
**MOTHERS PRAYERS:** Fridays after 9.30am Mass in the Foyer.  
**PRAYER MINISTRY:** Takes place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of every month in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel after Sunday Masses. 13<sup>th</sup> May.  
**PARENT TODDLER GROUP:** Tuesdays 9.00-11.30am in the Centre, during term time. *Returns 24<sup>th</sup> April.*  
**ST JOAN'S YOUTH CLUB:** Fridays 7.00-9.00pm Year 6,7,8's and above  
Further details [stjoansyouthclub@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:stjoansyouthclub@hotmail.co.uk) or contact Clive: 07980177601/Vince: 733876 *Youth Club Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April "Indoor games St Joan's Centre."*  
**THE SECOND MONDAY CLUB (2:2 Club) Second Monday of the month** in the Centre. **All retirees welcome.** Games, chat, songs, tea. 14<sup>th</sup> May.

**Let us pray for those in our families who are unwell at this time and especially for:**

Peter Davies, Brigid Davis, Bob Evans, Eileen Garvey, Joseph Corrigan, Christiane Nangle, Helen Dolan, Walter (Skip) Powers, Brigid Powers, Elinor Scully, Catherine Clifford, Roopa Jayapal, Eileen Mulvin, Anne Gilks, May Rollins, Sara Sundaram, Francis Galliano, Therese Wright, Fergus O'Connor, Barbara Wooster, Carmen Ross, Jurek Ciaglinski, and for all others in our Parish community who are unwell at this time.

**We pray for the recently deceased:**  
Jeremiah Evans RIP, Bernadette Fahy RIP, Laura (Maria) D'Souza RIP  
Laura's Requiem Mass at St Joans on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 11am.**

**And for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:**  
Marie Taylor, Elizabeth Hudson, Robert Fowler, Kenneth Gooch, Lily Whittall, Fiona Mearns, John Henderson, Gabbi Christie, Lorna Hazelhurst, William Devaney, Margaret Stuart Leonard, Paddy Lawson

**May the Lord grant them all a place in His Kingdom**

**Catholics come to Mass every Sunday. Catholics pray every day. Catholics do good at every opportunity.**

### PARISH NEWS

**'WELCOMERS' REQUIRED URGENTLY FOR THE 9.15AM MASS: Welcome our parishioners and their families into Mass and hand out the newsletters. Contact Cecilia [stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com](mailto:stjoansoffice2@btinternet.com) or give your name to Fr Niven.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> COLLECTION:** this weekend 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> April Education of Future Priests. Gift Aid. World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

**THANK YOU:** from Missio Society of St Peter the Apostle (SPA) for giving a generous donation totalling **£1108.95** for the training of much needed priests in the mission dioceses.

**CAFOD:** "Thank you for your support to our Lent Fast Day appeal. Donations to CAFOD until 12 May will be doubled by the UK Government. We have planned a £5 million programme to combat malnutrition - and with it we hope to be able to reach 245,000 people. But we need the full amount of match funding to make it happen. You can help us reach the full amount needed for this crucial programme. We still have some way to go yet. To donate please go to [cafod.org.uk/lent](http://cafod.org.uk/lent)"

**RCIA next session Tuesday 7.30pm 24<sup>th</sup> April.**

**OUR NEXT PARISH WALK:** will be on **MONDAY, 23RD APRIL.** As usual we will meet in St. Joan's car park. The walk will be led by Mr. Tony Burke. He will take us to Lower Puttenham Common via Brittany Wood, Fulbrook Farm. (Further details to be found on the poster in the Church porch). We hope you will join us.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA** –100 years Centenary 2017. We have a small statue of Our Lady of Fatima. Families may sign-up to have Our Lady of Fatima in your home for a week at a time. *Sign-up sheets are in the porch, last few weeks to host the Statue until May 13<sup>th</sup> 2018.*

**MEMORIAL MASS** for Bill Smith on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> May at 10.30am** followed by coffee and cake in the Parish Centre. We will be joined by Bill's widow Cherry and daughter Susie. An opportunity for those who remembered Bill to pay their respects.

**ST CUTHMANS:** Last Themed Retreat 'Listening with the Ear of the Heart' Retreat led by Bishop Richard Moth. **2pm Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April to 2pm Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May** £90 Residential £45 Non-Residential. Contact 01403 741220 [enquiries@stcuthmans.org](mailto:enquiries@stcuthmans.org)

**MARCH FOR LIFE UK/LifeFest18:** **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> May** 9.30am – 1pm LifeFest in Connaught Rooms, Covent Garden. 1.30pm Procession/march. 2.30-4pm Rally in Parliament Square. Full itinerary available at [marchforlife.co.uk](http://marchforlife.co.uk) or see the poster in the Porch.

**THE GREAT ADVENTURE. RETREAT FOR YEAR 7-9 AT WORTH ABBEY:** The Great Adventure is running at Worth Abbey from the **18-20th May** for all those in year 7-9. Over the weekend we are going to be exploring the idea that the journey of discipleship is a great adventure that we are each called to through workshops, input, prayer, worship and a whole lot of fun! The price is £84 but bursaries are available. For more information email: [fcabone@wellspringbrighton.org.uk](mailto:fcabone@wellspringbrighton.org.uk)

**ARUNDEL CATHEDRAL FESTIVAL OF CORPUS CHRISTIE & THE WORLD FAMOUS CARPET OF FLOWERS** Free Entry **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2018** 9.30am to 8.00pm **Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2018** 9.30am to 5.30pm Solemn Mass and procession to Castle 5.30pm. Refreshments follow.

You are warmly invited to "ONE IN THE SPIRIT" an hour of informal Inter-Church PRAISE AND PRAYER FOR FARNHAM **Wednesday 23rd May 8.00-9.00pm** Followed by fellowship over coffee and cakes. Alastair 01252 714809

### PARISH DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

**First Holy Communion Day**  
Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2 Masses  
10am & 12 noon

**Going Forth Celebration**  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May 9.15am

**St Joan of Arc Parish Family Day with Music (Arc Band, Hidden Gem & more):**  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June Mass 12 noon with Confirmation Certificate presentation.  
Bring a picnic

### SUNDAY PARISH LUNCH

**13<sup>th</sup> May at 12.30pm Price per head £7.**

Now taking bookings contact: **Tony Calway 01252 820344** or email [athc@btinternet.com](mailto:athc@btinternet.com) Please state clearly your full name; the number of diners and your telephone number. NUMBERS ARE LIMITED – TO ENSURE YOUR PLACE PLEASE BOOK EARLY!! Last bookings taken on the 7<sup>th</sup> May. **Helpers meeting in the Parish Office area on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm** We are always on the look out for new cooks and helpers! Everyone is warmly welcome to come along to the meeting.  
**We are looking for someone to take over the Sunday Parish Lunches after Christmas 2018 please contact Tony for details.**

### APF Missio RED BOXES

Please bring your Missio Red Box which will be collected after all Sunday Masses on the weekend of 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> April.  
(Sallie Wheeler 01252 710930) Many thanks.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018

**Mass every Sunday 9.15am**  
**Session 5 This Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April**

Child & Parent homework pages 42-48 'Called to His Supper Workbook' needs to be **completed before this last Session.**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DAY – 10AM MASS & 12 NOON MASS ON SATURDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY**  
**GOING FORTH MASS & CERTIFICATES**  
**9.15AM SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

### CONFIRMATION EXPERIENCE

**'Congratulations Confirmati'**

The Confirmation Mass last Friday with Bishop Richard Moth was a very special occasion. A huge 'Thank you' to everyone involved.

**YOUTH MASS**  
**EVERY SUNDAY 6PM**