



Sacred Heart Parish, Bordon

A HUGE thank you to all the children and their parents for working so hard to produce a very professional performance last weekend.

Our Parish Nativity was a tremendous success thanks to so many who worked very hard behind the scenes.

A particular word of thanks to all those who came out to support the children with your presence. There was a lovely atmosphere with a full church supporting the youth, who are our future!

We have a wonderful parish here – we are very fortunate, and thanks be to God for it!

Mass times this weekend:

4th Sunday of Advent:
Christmas Eve:

Christmas Day:








Saturday Vigil 6pm and **Sunday** 10am
5:30pm Family Mass
11:30pm Carols by Candlelight
Midnight Mass (at Midnight!)
10:00am



Parish Mission Statement:

“We are here to make Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament better known, loved, honoured, worshiped and adored. All of our efforts in this parish will be geared towards helping every individual to discover the Lord waiting for them to approach Him in the tabernacle”.

Sacramental Preparation in the Parish

						
Baptism preparation: The next Preparation course begins in the New Year.	Confession: Available 30mins before every Mass and: 5pm Sat 6pm Tues 11am Fri	First Confession and Holy Communion: Saturday 13th January at 10am	Confirmation class: Sunday 21st January 11:15am	Marriage Preparation: It takes approx. 1 year to prepare for Marriage. Catholics must be Confirmed before Marriage.	Holy Orders: If you have ever considered a Vocation to the Priesthood / Deaconate, please speak to Fr John.	Last Rites: If there is ever the danger of death, please contact Fr John immediately.



Confession Times:
30mins before every Mass &
 5pm on Saturdays
 6pm on Tuesday
 11.00am on Fridays
 Or by appointment



Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:
 Tuesday 6pm
 Friday 11.00am
 Saturday 5pm
 Benediction: 5:45pm on Saturdays



Devotions:
 Holy Rosary: Wed after Mass
 Fri 11:30am
 First Friday: Every first Friday



Family Catechesis:
 Learn about our faith as a family.... Every two weeks at 10am on Saturday mornings



EVERY TUESDAY

Adult Formation

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Tuesday evenings are given over to Adult formation.

The homily during Mass is in an extended form (looking more closely at the previous Sunday's Gospel) and then after Mass there is a formation session aimed at exploring the fundamental elements of our Catholic faith.

Opposite is an overview of the topics that we will be covering.

EVERYONE is welcome to attend as much or as little as they like.

The session after Mass begins at 7:45pm and ends at 8:30pm.

Even if you cannot make a weekly commitment, come along when you can!

October

- ~~What is God?~~
- ~~What is Man?~~
- ~~Original Sin: The separation between God and Man~~
- ~~Covenants between God and Man~~
- ~~Jesus Christ – True God and True Man~~

November

- ~~The Immaculate Conception~~
- ~~Two types of Grace~~
- ~~The Saints~~
- ~~Purgatory~~

December

- ~~Advent: What is it?~~
- ~~The Eucharistic Prayer~~
- ~~Transubstantiation~~
- The Sacraments

January

- The Epiphany and Christmastide
- The presentation of the Lord
- Jesus' Public Ministry

February

- The Church
- Membership and Precepts
- Lent: what is it?
- Repentance and Penance

March

- The Sacrament of Confession
- Virtues and Vices
- The 10 Commandments and an examination of conscience
- The Sacred Triduum – Easter and Eastertide

Parish Bank Details:

Account Name:

PRCDTR BORDON SACRED HEART

Sort Code:







30-93-04

Account Number:

01755138

Month dedicated to the Holy Name of Jesus

JANUARY 2024

S	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	New Year's Day: Mary Mother of God 10am	Mass at 10am	Mass at 10am		First Friday Sacred Heart Devotion	Feast of the Epiphany
Feast of the Epiphany	Fortnightly Bible Study begins	First Adult Formation of 2024				First Holy Communion session
		Adult Formation				New baptism preparation sessions
Confirmation Session	Fortnightly Bible Study	Adult Formation				First Holy Communion session
		Adult Formation			Candlemas / Presentation of the Lord	



The Season of Christmastide

'Times' and 'Seasons'

Although in the Liturgy we begin 'Ordinary Time' on the Sunday after the feast of Epiphany we actually remain in the season of 'Christmastide' until Candlemas (Or the Presentation of the Lord) which is celebrated on 2nd February. During this Mass all the candles used in the church throughout the year will be blessed and made holy. We process into the church carrying the Light of Christ into His temple, just as He was carried in and presented by St Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary to God the Father. The Nativity Scene / Crib and decorations will remain in the church until the end of Christmastide, 2nd February.

Saturday 23rd Dec

4th Sunday of Advent

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration: 5:00pm – 5:45pm

Confessions: 5:00pm – 5:45pm

Holy Mass: 6:00pm

Ingeborg and Rudolf Mansel RIP [N]

Confessions: after Mass

Sunday 24th Dec

4th Sunday of Advent

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Resurrection

Holy Mass: 10:00am

People of the Parish

Christmas Mass times

Christmas Eve:

Family Mass	5:30pm
Carols by candlelight	11:30pm
Midnight Mass	Midnight

Christmas Day:

26 th Dec	Holy Mass	10:00am
27 th Dec	St Stephen's Day	10:00am
28 th Dec	St John's Day	10:00am
29 th Dec	Holy Innocents	10:00am
30 th Dec	St Thomas Becket	10:00am
31 st Dec	Holy Family	6:00pm
1 st Jan	Holy Family	10:00am
2 nd Jan	Mary, Mother of God	10:00am
3 rd Jan	St Basil the Great	10:00am
5 th Jan	Most Holy Name of Jesus	10:00am
6 th Jan	twelfth night	10:00am
7 th Jan	Feast of the Epiphany	6:00pm
	Feast of the Epiphany	10:00am

Father John and Deacon Kim wish you and your families a very happy Christmas and every blessing in the New Year 2024!

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