



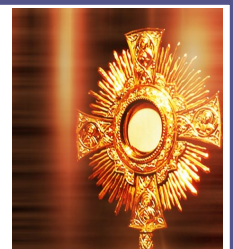
PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

Millbrook



Parish Vacancy

Job Title: Permanent Adorer of Our Blessed Lord
Hours of Work: Saturdays 1 am until 2 am (very early morning)
Salary: Innumerable graces
Job description: Watch for one hour, wrapped in His love.
Contact: ministry@holyfamilysouthampton.org.uk or the office



June is the Month of the Sacred Heart

Please make an extra effort this month to make acts of reparation to the Sacred Heart for our sins and the sins of the world; to offer thanksgiving for our priests and seminarians and to pray for vocations. Perhaps spend an extra hour in Adoration (Thursday evening until Saturday evening)

Rosary, Vespers and Benediction Sunday 4pm

First reading**Genesis 3:9-15****'I was afraid because I was naked, and I hid'**

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden;' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.'

Then the Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, 'Be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts. You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life. I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

Responsorial Psalm**Psalm 129 (130)****With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption****Second reading****2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1****We are being trained to carry the weight of eternal glory**

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture – I believed, and therefore I spoke – we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

Gospel**Mark 3:20-35****A kingdom divided against itself cannot stand**

Jesus went home with his disciples, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind.

The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying, 'Beelzebul is in him' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So he called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he cannot stand either – it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house.

'I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies; but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.'

His mother and brothers now arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK 16TH JUNE**DAY FOR LIFE**



Parish Notices

Outdoor Rosary Mondays and Tuesdays

As well as our Sunday afternoon Rosary at 4pm we will pray the Holy Rosary outside the Church on Mondays at 9am and Tuesdays after Mass at approximately 10am. Please join us.

Deeper In Faith (16-18 year old group) Monday 20 June 6-7pm

Fr Benjamin guides this group of young people wanting to look deeper into their Faith, perhaps filling in gaps in their knowledge and understanding and for those looking to be received into the Church in due course. We next meet this Monday **20th June** from 6-7pm in the Louis Suite. For more details please get in touch with Angela ministry@holyfamilysouthampton.org.uk

Gardening with Father

Gardening Saturday 8th June from 10am until 12 noon to continue to clear the grounds in front of the Church and to weed the Sacred Heart rose garden for the Month of the Sacred Heart. If you have any spare time do come along.

Government Consultation on Catholic Schools

The Government has opened a consultation on lifting the cap that, for the last 14 years, has limited the number of Catholic children who can be admitted into any new Catholic school. Please open the link and respond to the consultation (only name and email address are required). Responses are crucial if Catholic families throughout the country are not to continue to be deprived of a Catholic education. <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/lifting-the-faith-schools-cap/>

You Will Be My Witnesses

On Saturday, June 22nd at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall there will be a day for the people of our Pastoral Area to receive feedback on the work that has been taking place and to hear about the process of implementation of the Plan in the coming months. We hope to see a good number of parishioners in attendance. The day will be from 12:30pm until 4:00pm beginning with a bring and share lunch.

Corpus Christi Procession

Enormous thanks to everybody who supported our Corpus Christi procession, bearing Witness to our Faith and bringing Millbrook Closer to Christ! If you have any photographs or video which you are willing for us to put on the website please contact the office.

Save the date for next year 22nd June 2025

Sacramental Preparation - First Reconciliation and Holy Communion 2025

The application process for our Parish First Reconciliation and Holy Communion programme for 2024/2025 will be open until Monday 3rd September 2024.

Please note the following information:

Your child or children will need to be in Year 4 or above from September 2024

You need to live in our parish and must be registered parishioners.

You must attend Mass regularly.

To apply we ask that you simply complete an interest form found on our website -

<https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=aXEQD-Bnr06EKJ6fBel0q0RDA7fhXIFBgmL3mg71BmxURVkiR0dTOjJXSVAXV0dQVVFJMIc3SEk4My4u>

Job vacancies in the Diocese <https://www.portsmouthdiocese.org.uk/about-us/other/jobs>

THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY



Holy Mass OF = Ordinary Form, EF = Extraordinary Form

9 June	Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am (EF) 10.30 am (OF)	Adam Tegetmeier People of the Parish
10 June	Feria	7.30 pm (OF)	Alex Stewart (RIP)
11 June	St Barnabus	9.15 am (OF)	Phero le Van Vong & Maria Nyuyen Thi Sui (RIP)
13 June	St Anthony of Padua	7.30 pm (EF)	Tobin Family & Bates Family
14 June	Feria	9.15 am (OF)	Luis, Rolando & Jaime Bunao (RIP)
15 June	Our Lady on Saturday	9.15 am (OF) 6.30 pm (OF)	Pamela & Michael Humphrey (RIP) Gerry O'Brien (RIP)
16 June	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am (EF) 10.30 am (OF)	Marie Therese L'Enfant People of the Parish

Please hand Mass intentions to Fr Benjamin, to Catherine, or place in the collection basket. We are currently booking Mass intentions for **July** (EF Masses for September) Thank you.

lease note changes to Mass times this week. Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

June

7th SACRED HEART (procession before evening Mass)
8th Gardening with Father
10th Outdoor Rosary 9am
11th Outdoor Rosary 10am
20th Deeper in Faith (16-18yrs) 6-7pm
29th **STS PETER AND PAUL**
29th Bring a Plate of Food to Share Social
30th First Holy Communion

July

7th First Holy Communion
14th First Holy Communion
27th Parish BBQ

THE CHURCH WILL REMAIN OPEN FROM 9AM UNTIL 7PM EACH DAY

Confessions (when there is Mass)

Saturday: 5.30—6.20 pm
Monday & Thursday: 6.45—7.20 pm
Tuesday & Friday: 8.30—9.10 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 8.00 pm to Saturday 6.00 pm

Rosary, Vespers & Benediction for Vocations

Sunday: 4.00 pm

Groups/Activities in the Louis Suite

Sewing Group - Tuesdays at 10.00am
Gardening Club - Tuesdays 10am until 12 noon
Mother's Prayers Wednesdays at 2.00 pm
Lunch Group Fridays, fortnightly at 12.00 noon:
NEXT LUNCH: TBC
Youth Group 1st Saturdays 3.00-6.00 pm
Catholic Men's Group 1st Saturdays at 7:30 pm

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