



The Parish of St Mary, Portsea  
With St Faith's and St Wilfrid's

Weekly notes- Jan 15<sup>th</sup> 2023  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Epiphany

If you have any suggestions as to what you would like to see included on these notices please let us know.

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- Today** 4pm Panto Rehearsal at St Mary's
- Monday Jan 16<sup>th</sup>** Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)  
*Epiphany Season Week 2*
- Tuesday Jan 17<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am Mass at St Faith's  
*S Anthony* 11.15am Funeral Service at St Mary's  
6pm Social Justice Group meets at St Faith's
- Wednesday Jan 18<sup>th</sup>** Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)  
*Epiphany Season Week 2*
- Thursday Jan 19<sup>th</sup>** 10.30am Mass at St Faith's and coffee and chat  
*S Wulstan* 7.30pm Royal Marine School of Music concert  
At St Mary's
- Friday Jan 20<sup>th</sup>** 11am Coffee and Chat at St Mary's  
*S Sebastian* Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)
- Saturday Jan 21<sup>st</sup>** 9am Epiphany Breakfast at St Mary's  
*S Agnes* 10am Just Ask at St Mary's  
*come and enquire about Christenings, Weddings etc  
or simply 'just ask' something for the clergy*
- Next Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>** 8am BCP Eucharist at St Mary's  
*3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Epiphany* 9.30am Mass at St Faith's  
10am Mass at St Mary's  
4pm Baptism Service at St Mary's  
5pm Panto Rehearsal at St Mary's

**Jean Godfrey Funeral** Jean's Funeral will be at St Mary's on **Wednesday January 25<sup>th</sup> at 11am** (followed by refreshments). If you would like to make a donation in memory of Jean please do so in a clearly marked envelope or by BACS (ref 'In Mem Jean')

also on that day at **12.45 Fellowship meets** to hear about **the work of the Elizabeth Foundation** – all welcome to join them

**Monday Men** will meet with Fr Rajiv on **Monday Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm**

**Sunday Jan 29<sup>th</sup> at 3pm A service of Music And Readings for the Epiphany** at St Mary's – a very special service to mark the season.

**Music Foundation 100 Club** – is a simple scheme whereby you pay £1 a month to have a number entered into a draw. It is possible to pay for a number of months in advance and can do so by BACS or cash. If you would like to support our work with young people and music then please consider joining. If you wish to do so either ask one of the Ministry team or email Matt Dixon [music.foundation@portseaparish.co.uk](mailto:music.foundation@portseaparish.co.uk)

**Exploring Faith ....** We are beginning to put together a group for people to explore their faith and consider Confirmation later in the year. If you would like to join such a group or would like more information please contact one of the Ministry Team.

**Little Red Riding Hood ....** As you may be aware we have started our rehearsals for this year's Parish Panto and are looking forward to entertaining you (within that is the right description!). Please book the dates in your diary : **2.30 or 7pm on Saturday February 18<sup>th</sup>** at St Faith's Church

**Servers at St Mary's** Thank you to the team of servers who support our worship week by week – we could do with some more joining the team – if you would like to learn more (or help with Refreshments, Reading or leading prayers as well!) then please talk to Fr Bob or Fr Rajiv.

**Admin Team news** ... it is with mixed emotions that we share the news that Claire, one of our Admin team, and Ali, our bookkeeper, are moving on to new jobs. Claire has been appointed part-time Operations Manager at St Luke's and will leave our office on Jan 19<sup>th</sup>. Ali will hand over to a new bookkeeper once one has been appointed as she develops her work as a Non-Teaching Assistant. We are delighted for both of them in their new roles but will miss them and their work for us. We are however also glad that they will remain members of our worshipping community. Thank you to them for all they have contributed to our Parish life