

**Welcome to A&B eNews with
National and International News**

Rt Rev Richard Moth, Bishop of
Arundel & Brighton

Firstly, congratulations to Deacon Jon Harman and his family who was ordained on Saturday 16th June for St Richard's, Chichester. We wish him many years of faithful and fruitful service.

A further reminder about GDPR and that you can check out the new Data Privacy Policies and other relevant guidance and forms [here](#) in Section D. Parishes should link to those from their websites.

Please do share this eNewsletter with others and invite people to subscribe by signing up [here](#) - you can unsubscribe at any time. Also a



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good faith. Please take up*

reminder that you can also add parish and other events and courses on the [Diocesan Website](#) at any time.

any queries with information from outside the diocese with those who have provided it.

Finally, the National Justice & Peace Conference coming up in July '*In the Shelter of Each Other the People Live*' are keen for more families to attend and have some funding to help with this. See below for further details.

Items marked in red are new additions since the last eNewsletter.

With every prayer and blessing,
Mark Woods - Communications Officer

National & International Events

Rosary Bike Ride - 'Say Yes to New Life': East Grinstead parishioner, Les Whittaker will be riding on a prayer pilgrimage from East Grinstead to Walsingham and back this June to raise money for the Good Counsel Network which offers practical support to mother and babies. You can sponsor him on his [Just Giving page](#) as well as praying the rosary as he travels.

The Great Get Together this year will be celebrated on 22-24 June and is inspired by Jo Cox MP, who was killed on 16 June 2016. We believe there is a groundswell of people who reject divisive politics and simply want to bring our communities together and celebrate all that unites us. For resources and more information see their [website](#).

The Pastoral Review Congress: Saturday 23rd & Sunday 24th June 2018

St Mary's University is hosting the first 'Pastoral Review Congress 2018', a two-day conference of theology and faith at the service of the Gospel in the parish, school, home and workplace. Keynote speakers are David Wells, Prof. Gerald O'Collins SJ and Austen Ivereigh. There will be Expert Workshops on:

Apologetics | Bible | Business and Leadership | Catechesis | Chaplaincy | Catholic Social teaching | Ethics | Mission | Mindfulness.

Weekend ticket £70 | Day Pass £40 – More info & bookings [online](#). Also link to [Facebook event](#).

St Anne's College Reunion: Reunion for St. Anne's College Sanderstead Old Girls at Coloma Convent Girls' School, Croydon on 30 June at 12 Midday. Please e-mail sacoga@hotmail.co.uk or phone Fiona Kemp on 01883 342421 for details.

How should we design a migration policy for the Common Good?: Post-Brexit, *Theos Think Tank* asks 'How should the British state handle migration policy to accommodate the interests of our different communities? How should we approach integration? A panel discussion on the topics above, and more, will include David Goodhart, Head of Demography, Immigration & Integration at Policy Exchange, Kiran Bali MBE JP, the chair of URI (United Religions Initiative), and others. This event is co-hosted with [Together for the Common Good](#) and the [Benedict XVI Centre for Religion and Society](#) and is kindly sponsored by [CCLA](#), one of the UK's largest charity fund managers. This will take place on **2nd July, 6.30pm panel discussion. St Mary's Church, High Street, Putney, London, SW15 1SN**. Please RSVP for free tickets [here](#)

Sea Sunday - 8th July: Sea Sunday is when we have the opportunity to remember and pray for seafarers, their families and all who support them. On Sea Sunday Catholic Churches around the UK take up a second collection with all funds raised going to the Apostleship of the Sea to support our work. It is a day of remembrance, prayer and celebration, and an opportunity to think about and thank those seafarers who work tirelessly throughout the year bringing us

goods we often take for granted. For information and resources see [Apostleship of the Sea website](#).

Living Theology Study Weekend: 'Thy Will be done? - healing God's world'. This Study Weekend at The Bar Convent is on Saturday 14th and Sunday 15th July 2018; it is one of the Jesuit-inspired 'Living Theology' courses held at different venues across the country. The cost for the weekend is £60 (students £30) which includes lunches and refreshments. All are welcome, and - for anyone who cannot come for the whole weekend - attendance for just one of the days is half the price. Booking is essential; the last day for booking is June 30th. For more details see www.jesuit.org.uk/living-theology-york-2018, e-mail Brenda on fazikasbrenda@btinternet.com or phone Patricia on 01642-645732.

Annual Justice & Peace Conference - 'In the Shelter of Each Other the People Live': The Conference is from 20-22 July and is now open for booking. You can get booking forms from NJPN, 39 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1BX. Tel: 020 7901 4864 or email: admin@justice-and-peace.org.uk or or download [here](#). Some assistance may be possible for families. Please contact NJPN to discuss.

Monastic Experience Weekend: The Benedictine monks of Pluscarden Abbey offer a special opportunity to see at first-hand what monastic life is about, during the weekend Friday 3rd to Monday 6th August 2018. The invitation is extended to single young men, Catholics who practise their faith, aged 18-35. There will be no charge for the weekend. Anyone interested in taking part is invited to contact Fr Benedict Hardy OSB: novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org

Bishop Richard invites you to join him for the World Meeting of Families in Dublin with the Holy Father, Pope Francis: 21-26 August 2018 sees the arrival of the World Meeting of Families in Dublin, Ireland. The Diocese is making the most of this wonderful opportunity by organising a pilgrimage for

those who would like to attend. It is open to families of all shapes and sizes, from tiny tots to Grandparents. We will be staying together in Dublin City University accommodation and travelling to events together by coach. A three day congress will be followed by a Festival of Families and a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration with Pope Francis.

If you would like more information about the event visit

www.worldmeeting2018.ie/en/

If you would like to join us on pilgrimage, please speak to your parish priest about how he can support you financially, and for a booking form. Alternatively you can contact Lizzie or Katherine of the Diocesan Pastoral team

wmof2018@dabnet.org

Adoremus - National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress - Liverpool

2018: Adoremus ("let us adore") is the title being given to an initiative of all the bishops of England and Wales to create a special opportunity for us to reflect on the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives.

From 7th to 9th September 2018 there will be a National Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool called Adoremus. Through this event, and all the preparation taking place before it, we seek to rejuvenate Eucharistic adoration in our parishes as the source of strength for our lives and for our mission, that of making present the love and compassion of Jesus in our society.

You can read more about the Eucharistic Congress [here](#). And CTS have some books and resources available [here](#).

A&B Diocesan contact is Canon Tom Treherne whom you can contact via his assistant for the event Liz Fitch on 01424 420815 or by email office.admin@parishofgoodshepherd.co.uk.

120 Year Anniversary September 2018 of Pact - the Prisoners' Charity:

To mark the occasion we are hosting a number of events and producing a publication on our history within the criminal justice system. This includes an anniversary Mass at St Etheldreda's church on **September 20th**, co-celebrated by the Papal Nuncio, Archbishop Joseph Adams and Bishop Richard Moth as the Bishop responsible for Prisons.

The Playtime National Conference: On Saturday 29 September, at Riverside Vineyard Church, Air Park Way, FELTHAM, TW13 7LX, 9.30 to 4.30 pm. It is a fantastic opportunity for toddler group leaders and their teams to come together to be inspired, supported and resourced. The theme is 'Planting Seeds' such that not only are seeds of hope and faith planted within our toddler groups but that those seeds grow. Speakers are Rob Parsons and Katherine Hill.

Encountering our Muslim Neighbours: A retreat with Dom Martin McGee, OSB of Worth Abbey 13th to 23rd October 2018 at the Maison Diocésaine, Viviers, Ardèche, France, where Blessed Charles de Foucauld was ordained priest in 1901. Extending the hand of friendship and love to our Muslim neighbours in Europe today, inspired by the Monks of Tibhirine, made famous by the film *Of Gods and Men*, and Mgr Pierre Claverie, OP – martyrs of Christian-Muslim Encounter. Details from [Retreats Beyond Dover](#). Email: retreatsdover@gmail.com Tel: 0207 379 7273.

Flame 2019 - Join 10,000 Catholic Young People at Wembley Arena next March: Around five hundred people from A&B went to Wembley Arena last March for Flame 2017. The arena was filled, and it was great to be a part of. The good news announced just last week is that it's happening again next March. Specifically Saturday March 2nd, once again at Wembley Arena. Tickets are already on sale and unlike last time they can be booked online. Head to cymfed.org.uk/flame2019 for details.

Flame 2019 boasts an impressive line-up of speakers. More names will follow in the months ahead, but Cardinal Nichols, Robert Madu, Guvna B, and Emma B from 'Girl Got Faith' are already on board. Hurry though - there are only ten thousand seats and (as of the start of May) almost four thousand tickets have already gone!

Calling all those working in healthcare: St Mary's University Twickenham is delighted to offer a unique part time course for people working in healthcare. The Foundation Degree for Practitioners in Healthcare, Ethics, Theology and Care has been designed for healthcare professionals including chaplains, as well as care home workers. The course consists of two evening classes a week in three term blocks over two years. Lectures can also be accessed online. This degree enables you to reflect deeply on those moments that are formative for you as a healthcare practitioner and often life-changing for people you meet on the journey. For further details and how to apply please contact Matthew James (matthew.james@stmarys.ac.uk) or go to the St Mary's website (stmarys.ac.uk/foundation/healthcare-ethics-theology-and-care)

Parish Rosary Programme: The Parish Rosary Programme is so simple it only takes one dedicated person to Our Lady per parish to run it. It is just a matter of downloading, photocopying, and distributing small tear-away calendars to parishioners for them to tally the number of rosaries prayed each two weeks and drop the results in the collection basket. Weekly, year-to-date, and grand totals are published each week in the parish bulletin to remind and encourage everyone to pray the rosary. For more information www.parishprojects.com or email phirzel2003@yahoo.com

Safe Car Wash App: The campaign 'Safe Car Wash App' was launched by the Church of England and the Catholic Church in England and Wales amid growing concerns that some of the estimated 18,000 hand car washes operating around the country are exploiting workers. The app lets drivers punch in their location when arriving at a car wash then flick through a series of slavery indicators such as whether the car wash only accepts cash, evidence of workers living on site or whether the workers seem fearful. If the answers indicate a high likelihood of slavery, users will be directed to a modern slavery helpline. You can download the app for Android and Apple phones. Clergy in particular are asked to raise awareness of the app and the campaign against slavery.

Global Healing - Faith and Building a Common Home: This is a new tv-quality filmed resource for parishes, groups, schools & individuals helping us to engage practically with Pope Francis' passionate challenge for us to shape the future of our planet. It is a free film featuring well known experts, testimonies and beautiful UK locations with full web support produced by CaFE (Catholic Faith Exploration) and commissioned by the Bishops of England & Wales. The film can either be shown in a single evening with a shared 'sustainable supper' or over several sessions that could form a short Advent course. Launch date is Creation Day 2018 (September 1st). For details and short trailer please see www.ourcommonhome.co.uk

One Name and One Future - *helping the children of Syria*: In Syria **one over four children suffers from mental disorders**, almost two millions of them do not go to school and 70% of 458 cases studied, have shown clear signs of **trauma caused by the conflict**.

For this reason the Association pro Terra Sancta, together with the Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land and together with Mons. Abou Khazen, Bishop of Aleppo, the Grand Mufti of Aleppo and the Franciscan Fr. Firas Lufti, have launched the initiative **ONE NAME AND ONE FUTURE**. With this project we want to **help 2,500 of these little orphaned** Syrians of Aleppo who were abandoned by everyone and in need of everything: water, food, but also a psychological and social recovery.

If you would like to help this project then visit [their website](#) for more information and to donate.

Safeguarding Research project: Dr Craig Harper from Nottingham Trent University, along with safeguarding colleagues working in a church context, is conducting some research on how members of various communities make sense of allegations of abuse. The research hopes to establish some of the factors that may affect people's willingness to believe allegations of abuse in various settings. Dr Harper and his colleagues hope that this research, which is the first of its kind in the UK, will shed light on how members of different communities make these decisions. This knowledge will help institutions to

better serve and protect the children and adults they are responsible for. The research involves completing an online questionnaire, which should take approximately 10 minutes. It is completely confidential and you have the right to withdraw at any point. If you would like to take part, please click on [this link](#) which will take you to further information about the research, and to the questionnaire itself.

Click-to-pray app: The Jesuits in the UK have produced this very useful app which you can use to download a daily reflection for use in your prayer life. It is especially helpful for commuters. You can find it on www.clicktopray.org.

All or Nothing: Sr. Clare Crockett - A New Film: Produced by the Foundation EUK Mamie—HM Television, its storyline goes straight to our hearts and beckons us to ask ourselves what we are giving (or not giving) to God. It tells the inspiring story of Sr Clare Crockett who lost her young life in an Ecuadorian earthquake in 2016.

Anyone or any entity—diocesan pastoral delegation, youth group, college, parish, school, apostolic movements, etc.—willing to organize the projection of the documentary film can request it and organize an event for apostolic ends, so that God's love may be proclaimed through Sr. Clare's life. You can request it [online](#) and **download posters** to advertise it through this [link](#). Their [website](#) also offers **questions to guide a discussion** after the projection and thus help go deeper into the message the documentary film gives to each spectator. You can **watch a trailer** [here online](#).

Radio Immaculata - Pro-Life Holy Hour: A religious community based in Gosport is launching a weekly international "pro-life Holy Hour" on Thursdays from 7-8pm to pray for the ending of abortion. The hour will be live-streamed globally on [Radio Immaculata](#).

150th Anniversary of the Catholic Truth Society (CTS): To celebrate this CTS have delved into our archives and re-produced 25 of their best selling and

most fascinating titles. Fascinating due to their content or their authors or both! The Onefifties can be found here: <http://www.onefifties.org/>.

Institutum Liturgicum at Ealing Abbey: They promote liturgical research and post-graduate level education in the UK, based on the licentiate curriculum of the Pontifical Institute of Liturgy, Rome. Individual courses can be taken in July & August independently with the Institutum Liturgicum, or for credit through the KU Leuven - Research Master of Advanced Study in Theology & Religion. For further information see their [website](#).

New Resource from NBCW A Guide to the Annulment Process (4th Edition): The National Board of Catholic Women (NBCW) recently published a revised 4th Edition of A Guide to the Annulment Process, supported by the Marriage and Family Life Office at CBCEW. First issued in 1998, the Guide seeks to de-mystify the annulment process, making it easier to understand, and hopefully less stressful. The 4th Edition also takes into account *Mitis Iudex Dominus Iesus*, 'The Gentle Judge, our Lord Jesus, the Shepherd of Souls', the document published by Pope Francis in 2015 which gives a more streamlined and readily accessible way of proceeding in cases concerning the declaration of the nullity of a marriage. To find out more and order a copy look [here](#).

New App from National Office for Vocations - God Calls: This free App is designed to help you explore your ultimate purpose, and discover your unique path to heaven. To find out more and download the App go to www.godcalls.co.uk

Counting our Blessings is a new, simple scripture-based resource produced by the Department for Christian Responsibility and Citizenship at the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, designed for accompanying families in faith. It aims to help families connect their ordinary, everyday living, giving and caring for life with the sense of being 'blessed' – i.e. that God who is love is present with them, sharing life with them, in and through their love. **Counting our Blessings** aims to help reveal what Pope Francis calls a "shepherding" in

mercy that is going on in family life all the time. (*The Joy of Love* #187).

Parishes can bulk order the book from the [Diocesan Bookshop](#) otherwise individual copies can be obtained from [Matthew James Publishing](#).

Funeral Planning for parishioners: Help parishioners to ensure that their wishes for their funeral are known by friends, family and the parish using the form provided by the Pastoral Care Project. See their [website](#) for more information.

Papal Blessings for weddings, anniversaries etc - These are available not only from the Vatican @ www.elemosineria.va but also within the UK from the Apostolic Nunciature, 54 Parkside, London SW19 5NE or email: nuntius@globalnet.co.uk. The latter is the quickest way to obtain a Papal Blessing.

Boarbank Hall, Cumbria run by Augustinian Canonesses offers courses throughout the year. They have recently published their programme for 2018. See their [website](#) for full details.

The Art of Dying Well website has received a media award for its podcasts. Based in the Catholic tradition but open to all, it features real-life stories about dealing with the final journey. Please add a link to your site – www.artofdyingwell.org – Adding the link will boost how the Art of Dying Well website ranks in Google searches for terms related to death and dying, thereby helping people to easily find the site when they are searching for help with these issues.

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network: Please share the Monthly Intention of the Holy Father www.thepopevideo.org and his new, "Urgent Action" intentions announced each month; there will also be, in some dioceses, a local intention too. There's no cost to join, but there are lots of resources, online and printed – see www.popesglobalprayer.net where you'll also find a reflection on each month's Intentions that can be used in parish bulletins and websites. Fr. David Stewart SJ is ready to visit parishes and Chaplaincies to

promote the network in your Catholic community – just ask him:

dstewart@jesuit.org.uk @jesuitsinbritain

LIFE is unique in the UK, combining positive alternatives to abortion with prolife advocacy work.

Pregnancy Matters™ - supports anyone facing an unexpected pregnancy, pregnancy loss or after abortion. #pregnancymatters – If you or someone you know needs help please send them to our website – lifecharity.org.uk

Life Matters® - inspiring and informing the next generation to value all human life from beginning to end. #lifematters (Media, campaigns and education programmes) – please show your support on our Facebook page /lifecharity

Churchmarketplace is a national collaborative buying group, a not-for-profit organisation, created by the Catholic Church to help our community. They have negotiated contracts you can trust, saving you time and money on all your purchasing needs. To find out more, please visit the website www.churchmarketplace.org.uk

Cinnamon Network aims to make it as easy as possible for local churches to transform their communities by reaching out to those in greatest need. They help churches respond by providing a menu of best-practice Cinnamon Recognised Projects that can easily be replicated. Alongside the projects **they offer advice, funding, support and leadership training**. For more information go to their [website](#).

National Churches Trust: The National Churches Trust have launched an initiative. It is the new maintenance grant. This is a fantastic grant that can/will help those who are in the planning stages of a project to get access to some hard found start up funds. More [here](#) on this and other funding.

Marriage Matters is an online collection of 60-word snippets, adapted from the Sunday Mass Scripture Reading reflections found in ***I Am With You Year A***. These can be placed in a newsletter, bulletin, website or blog. The idea is to

support, encourage, inspire, challenge and motivate couples to deepen their relationship with one another and with God. See [website](#).

Million Minutes - a Catholic Youth organisation inspired by Catholic Social Teaching is offering **small grants** for projects which support youth-led activities linked to Catholic Social Teaching. See their [website](#) for more details and information.

The Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors now has its own [website](#) for you to view. You may also be interested in **The Centre for Child Protection** which is part of the Pontifical Gregorian University which also has a [website](#).

Do support and help promote '[We're all Equal](#)' and '[Don't Screen Us Out](#)' two important campaigns; one to remove disability as a ground for abortion and the other to ensure Down's syndrome babies are not screened out by a new test.

This **Worldpriest website** has one overarching aim – to unite priests and laity so that everyone can come into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ. They want www.worldpriest.com to be a place where you receive answers to questions of faith, where you can find information on church teaching, resources to support our priests, prayers for all occasions and where you can discover the truth of our faith – that God loves us and provides for us on a daily basis, in every situation. You can also sign up for their regular newsletters.

The **Ephatta website** puts in touch people looking for a temporary accommodation with other people willing to open their door and welcome them. Members can list a couch, a private room or an entire home. Hospitality can be provided for any event: holidays, pilgrimages, gatherings, professional trips... They created the [Ephatta website](#) because welcoming and travelling are unique ways to make meaningful encounters and strengthen our faith. As [Ephatta](#) means “be opened”, the website gathers those who want to open to others, whoever they are.

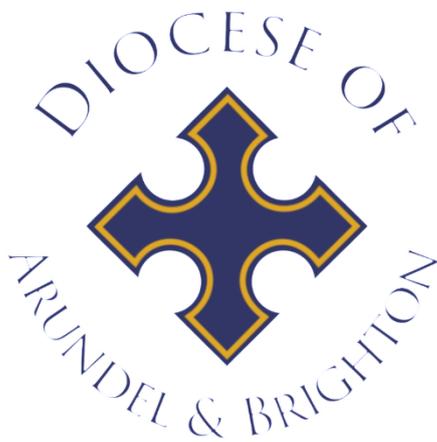
Maryvale Institute: The Institute offers various long-distance formation courses especially in evangelisation and catechetics from ongoing education courses to undergraduate and post graduate degrees including an Ecclesiastical Licence in Catechetics recognised by the Holy See. For more information on all their courses visit their [website](#).

Interreligious Newsletter from the Catholic Bishops' Conference; You can subscribe at <http://eepurl.com/cavnJ9>, It is a newsletter aimed at Catholics who are interested in interreligious matters, and their friends.

Readings in different languages - Handy downloadable (pdf) Sunday readings in about a dozen European languages, for those who have different language groups in their parish. Download [here](#).

Sarum College Courses and Events in Coming Months. [See their website](#). They now have a new brochure for the academic year 2017-18 which you can see [here](#).

Ammerdown Retreat Centre - Various events and retreats. [See their website](#).



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DIOCESAN AND LOCAL
INFORMATION & EVENTS

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Welcome to this A&B eNewsletter on Diocesan and local events for the months ahead.

Firstly, St Cuthman's, the Diocesan Retreat Centre has a final Mass of Celebration with Bishop Richard as it closes on Monday 2nd July at 5pm. All are welcome but see below for further information.

There is a vacancy in the Formation Team for a Pastoral Intern for a period of one year. This is an exciting opportunity for someone to be involved in the work of the Diocese. You can find further information and how to apply below.

GDPR is gone but not forgotten! Information can be found in Section D of the Parish Administration Manual on the [Diocesan website](#). In particular if you are looking at making parish electronic data more secure then you will want to move to using the Diocesan Database. For



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more information on this and how to go about it contact Luke Winstanley at DABCEC in Crawley on 01293 651195 or email database@dabnet.org.

Please note a cycle race event is planning to close 100 miles of road in a large circle in West Sussex for the whole of Sunday 23rd September. For more information [here](#)

Finally, please pray for Jack Lusted who will be ordained to the diaconate on his way to priesthood this coming Saturday 30th June at St John's Seminary, Womersley. We wish him every blessing in his ministry as a deacon.

With every prayer and blessing,

Mark Woods - [Communications Officer](#)



Please pray for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life in the Diocese.

We give thanks for Jon Harman who was ordained Deacon on 16th June at St Richard's, Chichester and we remember Jack Lusted who is to be ordained Deacon at St John's Seminary, Womersley on 30th June and Deacon Tristan Cranfield who is to be ordained a priest on 20th July at Arundel Cathedral.

May they all prove faithful ministers of the Lord.

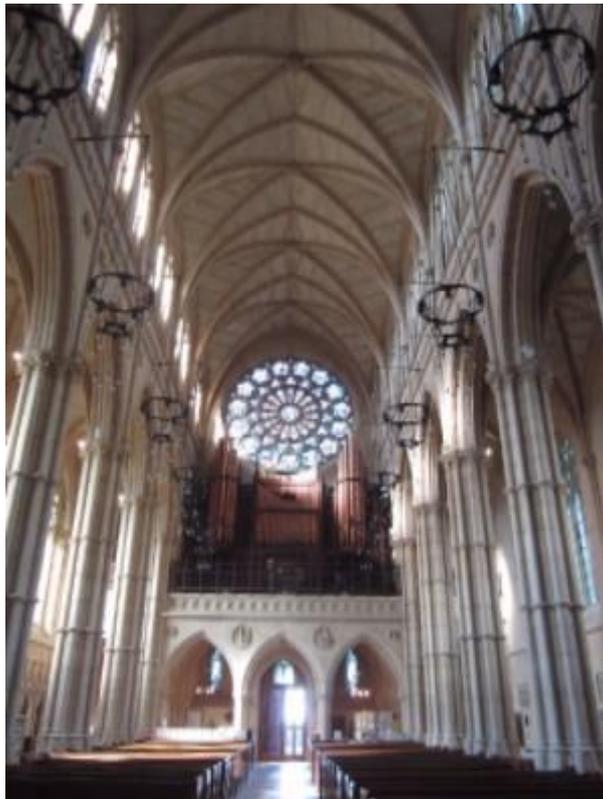
Parish Details for Diocesan Directory: *Every parish* needs to provide current details for the next year's Diocesan Directory. For the form to

complete the directory information please

email: directory@dabnet.org.

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Arundel Cathedral Information and Events



For further information on Arundel Cathedral and events at the Cathedral see their [website](#). The annual **Corpus Christi Mass and Procession** took at the Cathedral on Thursday 31 May from 5..30pm. *You can see photographs from the Procession [here](#).* If you are interested in supporting the Cathedral

through Friends of Arundel Cathedral then take a look at their [website](#) where you can see how you can become a member.

Diocesan Information

- [ENCOUNTER Evening for 15-30s](#), 29 June, Crawley
- [Mass for Deaf and Hard of Hearing](#), 7 July, Horsham
- [A&B Ecumenical Walking Pilgrimage](#), 11-26 August, Buckfast
- [World Meeting of Families](#), 21-28 August 2018, Dublin
- [National Eucharistic Congress](#), 7-9 September 2018, Liverpool
- [Bishop Richard Skydive for Lourdes Pilgrimage](#), 14 September
- [Mass for Altar Servers](#), Arundel, 15 September
- [iFAB - Inclusion Festival](#), 16 September, Crawley
- [Dialogue and Unity Day](#), 29 September, Crawley
- [Communications & Media Day](#), 6 October, Crawley
- [The Big ENCOUNTER](#), 10 November, Worth Abbey
- [Bishop's Consultation - Confirmation Survey](#), 2018
- [theASCENT](#), October, Worth Abbey
- [Youth Evenings of Reflection with Bishop Richard 2019](#), Various Venues and Dates
- [Dates for Musicians](#) in 2018 - See [website](#)
- [Closure of DABCEC Bookshop](#)

[ENCOUNTER Evenings for 15-30s](#): The evenings offer 15-30 year olds a chance to meet people, have fun and deepen their faith in a friendly, welcoming environment. This is the last one coming up in June:

Friday June 29 – Crawley (St Wilfrid's School)

The evening starts at 7.30pm and ends at about 9.30pm, with an optional trip to the pub afterwards for over 18s.

[Mass for Deaf and Hard of Hearing](#): The next monthly Mass will be held on **Saturday July 7th** at 1pm in St John the Evangelist, Springfield Road, Horsham, RH12 2PJ. Diocesan Coordinators and Communicators for Deaf and Hard of Hearing People: Mr Peter Booker and Mrs Maria Booker, c/o DABCEC, 4 Southgate Drive, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 6RP. Email: mag.booker@gmail.com . Mobile: [07970428601](tel:07970428601) (sms [text] only) Tel: Mr Jim Mortell on [01273 552159](tel:01273552159).

[A&B Ecumenical Walking Pilgrimage](#) - **Buckfast Millennium Pilgrimage**
- **Building our Faith**: The Pilgrimage is from 11-26 August 2018. Are you interested in walking? Do you want to join a travelling Christian community? Come and Walk with them! Their pilgrimage is open to all, so long as you are able to walk about 15 miles per day at a moderate pace, and sleep on a floor of a church, school or community hall. Breakfast, packed lunch and dinner are included in the price - two weeks for £210. Full details and how to book at www.thepilgrims.org.uk

[World Meeting of Families Pilgrimage](#): **Only Limited Places still available!** Bishop Richard invites you to join him for the World Meeting of Families in Dublin with the **Holy Father, Pope Francis**: 21-26 August 2018 sees the arrival of the World Meeting of Families in Dublin, Ireland. The Diocese is making the most of this wonderful opportunity by organising accommodation and transport for those who would like to attend. It is open to families of all shapes and sizes, from tiny tots to Grandma and Pops! We will be staying together in Dublin City University accommodation and travelling to events together by coach. A three day congress will be followed by a Festival of Families and a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration with Pope Francis.

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If you would like to join us on this journey, please speak to your parish priest about how he can support you financially, and for a booking form. Alternatively you can contact Lizzie of the Diocesan Pastoral team wmof2018@dabnet.org

[Adoremus - National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress - Liverpool 2018:](#)

The bishops of England and Wales have announced that they plan to hold a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress in Liverpool next year (**7-9 September 2018**). You can find more information here on the [Catholic Bishops' Conference website](#). The Diocesan Contact for the Congress is Canon Tom Treherne who you can contact via his assistant for the event Liz Fitch on [01424 420815](tel:01424420815) or by email office.admin@parishofgoodshepherd.co.uk.

[Lourdes Pilgrimage Skydive:](#) Bishop Richard and Lucy Barnes will skydive from an aeroplane on Friday 14th September 2018. Please give generously in one of the following ways:

- By purple Gift Aid parish envelope, marked '+R skydive'
- By Lourdes pilgrimage envelope, available in your parish
- By going to the [BT MyDonate website](#).

All funds go to the A&B Lourdes Pilgrimage. All cheques made payable to A&B Lourdes Pilgrimage

[Mass for Altar Servers:](#) The annual Mass for Altar Servers takes place on Saturday 15 September at 5pm in Arundel Cathedral. All who have served, all who are serving and anybody who would like to serve are welcome to attend. Please bring a cassock/ cotta or an alb if possible. Mass will be followed by light refreshments in the Cathedral Hall. (*You may bring a packed supper if you wish*).

[iFAB – Inclusion Festival Arundel & Brighton:](#) Save the date! Sunday 16th September, from 11.30 am at St Wilfrid's Secondary School, Crawley, RH11 8PG. Mass celebrated by Bishop Richard at 2.30 pm. Fellowship, Reflection, Workshops, Refreshments. All Welcome! More details will follow.

[Dialogue and Unity Day 2018:](#) Saturday 29 September from 10sm-4pm at the Christian Education Centre, 4 Southgate Drive, Crawley RH10 6RP on Christian Unity and the Renewal of the Church. **The keynote speaker is Fr Sebastian Ostrynski**, leader of the Chemin Neuf Community in UK. You can

book by email ruth.gerun@dabnet.org

[Communications & Media Day 2018](#): There will be a day on Diocesan Communications and Media on Saturday 6 October at the Christian Education Centre in Crawley from 10am-1pm. The focus will be on developing and improving the content of A&B News with Harry Roberston, new A&B News Editor - look out for revamped design from August edition. All welcome. More information to follow.

[THE BIG ENCOUNTER](#): On Saturday November 10 at Worth Abbey and starting at 6.30pm. It's a diocesan-wide festival for 15-30s and everyone is welcome. We've got Bryony Wells speaking, as well as Bishop Richard, and music from the Youth 2000 worship team.

[A Short Survey for Recent Confirmation Candidates](#): Bishop Richard is currently holding a consultation on how we prepare people for confirmation. If you've recently been confirmed then we'd like to hear from you. We've created a short survey which you can access on line - <http://bit.ly/surveyconf>. We would also ask parents to pass this on to their children who have recently been confirmed if possible.

[theASCENT – Discipleship Process for Young People](#): This October, theASCENT will be launching at Worth Abbey with the support of the diocese. It's a three-year discipleship process involving three weekend residentials a year and weekly online group sessions. It's open to anyone about to go into year 10, 11, or 12 and it's designed to take people with a real interest in their faith and to help them to make a deeper commitment and to explore who God created them to be, while making a few friends and hopefully having some fun in the process. For more details, or to apply, visit theascentuk.co.uk or contact Jack.Regan@dabnet.org

[Youth Evenings of Reflection with Bishop Richard 2019](#): Following on from successful meetings in 2018 Bishop Richard has agreed a series of meetings in

2019 at various venues and on various dates. The evenings have mainly been used by Confirmation groups in the past, but are open to anyone aged 11-18. We are expecting that most of those coming will be coming with leaders as part of an organised group. Any individuals wanting to come must contact Jack Regan and booking is essential for all. For more information and to book contact jack.regan@dabnet.org

[Dates for Diocesan Musicians for 2018](#): See [Diocesan Website](#) for dates of rehearsals for musicians for Rite of Election, Chrism Mass etc. All details on [website](#). For more information contact [Catherine Christmas](#).

[Closure of DABCEC Bookshop](#): The DABCEC Bookshop has ceased trading to the general public. Parishes will still be able to order some material (sacramental programmes, course materials, Bibles, Hymnals etc.) by contacting bookshop@dabnet.org. Advice about material and suppliers can also be obtained by contacting the same email address.

St Cuthman's Diocesan Retreat Centre

News from St Cuthman's

The Bishop has announced that St Cuthman's will close on 30th June. The Retreat Centre will continue to function as normal until that date.

Final St Cuthman's Mass of Celebration: On Monday 2nd July 2018. All are welcome to join in as we celebrate 18 years of St Cuthman's. Mass at 5pm, presided by Bishop Richard Moth. Refreshments to follow.

The Mass may be held in the grounds so please bring blankets and/or chairs. Please contact St Cuthman's on 01403 741220 or enquiries@stcuthmans.org for more information.

Private Individual or Small Group Retreats

Contact St Cuthman's for availability until 30th June.

For more information on all these visit www.abdiocese.org.uk To book: tel: 01403 741220; or email: stcuthmans@dabnet.org

Diocese of Arundel & Brighton Education Service

For information about, details of courses and for vacancies in our Diocesan Schools see [Diocesan Education Service website](#).

Job Vacancy

VACANCY FOR PASTORAL INTERN - One Year Post

in line with Bishop Richard's Vision for Prayer, Formation, and Mission, this short-term post will involve working with the Advisers on different initiatives. Ministries include Youth, Spirituality and Formation, Marriage & Family Life, Liturgy & Music, Dialogue and Unity, Inclusion, Social Action/Justice & Peace.

This opportunity is appropriate to those with an interest in formation work within the Church or who wish to develop and evidence work-place skills and who may be waiting for places at university or longer-term work opportunities.

This internship scheme builds on three recent successful experiences and is designed both to assist the Team in its work but also to ensure that participants receive a valuable and rewarding experience, with benefits for their personal and professional development.

For further details of terms, conditions and remuneration, please contact:

Canon Kieron O'Brien, Episcopal Vicar for Formation,
at canonkieron@gmail.com attaching a supporting statement and CV if
applicable. **Closing date 12 noon on Friday 6th July.**

VACANCY FOR PARISH BUSINESS MANAGER

Crawley Parish is seeking to recruit a 'Parish Business Manager', akin to that of a school business manager, to take responsibility, not only for accounting, but also premises, office management, etc. This is in the knowledge that clergy will be fewer in number in the future and inevitably have less time for admin tasks, as they concentrate on pastoral matters. If you are interested in finding out more about this role, please contact Crawley Parish Office:

Crawley.Parish@RCDAB.onmicrosoft.com

Local & Parish Events and Information in the Diocese

CAFOD Share the Journey - Worthing: St Mary of the Angels parish, Worthing as part of CAFOD's 'Share the Journey' highlighting the plight of refugees, is playing it's part by inviting parishioners to meet at their stall by Worthing Pier at 11am on Saturday 23 June where you can choose one of three walks along the prom of varying lengths, each returning to the start where you can sign a 'distance card' to confirm the miles contributed, and another calling on our government to work for a positive Global Agreement in Sept. The Walks are - Walk 1 – Pier to Montague Place & return - 1 mile; Walk 2 – Pier to Grand Avenue & return - 2 miles; Walk 3 – Pier to Sea Lane Cafe & return - 4 miles, or choose your own distance.

Days of Recollection for Secular Clergy: These take place from 11.15am-4pm at Wickenden Manor, West Sussex and are run by members of Opus Dei they are for diocesan clergy and include two meditations, time for confession & spiritual direction, a holy hour and a good three course meal. On 13 June and every month thereafter. To book a place contact Fr Bernard

Marsh clergyretreats@ormecourt.com. For more information see their [website](#).

Wintershall: The Life of Christ (19-23 June 2018) and the Nativity (12-16 December 2018) at Wintershall near Bramley in Surrey. Please see their website for details including opportunities to volunteer: www.wintershall-estate.com.

Ben Rogers human rights activist and writer to speak: He will be giving a talk after morning mass in the Unity Room in Worth Abbey on **Saturday 23 June**. As East Asia Team Leader at Christian Solidarity Worldwide (CSW), he specialises in Burma, Indonesia, Malaysia North Korea and China. In addition to his work with CSW, he is also co-founder and Chair of a new advocacy organisation called Hong Kong Watch, co-founder and Deputy Chair of the Conservative Party Human Rights Commission and Senior Fellow at the Religious Freedom Institute. As well in celebration of Refugee Week, Anna Pincus from Refugee Welcome Crawley will also be giving us a talk. Everyone is welcome to come to the Community mass at 9am, coffee will be served in the Unity Room from 10am. If you would like to stay for lunch, please let us know by emailing parish@worth.org.uk

Godalming Choral Society; Celebrates 50 years of singing in Godalming with Noah Mosley: Songs for Gertrude Jekyll (**World première**), Bernstein: West Side Story, Vaughan Williams: Serenade to Music on Sunday 1st July at 7.30pm at The Great Hall, Charterhouse, Godalming GU7 2DX. Conductor: Sam Hayes. Bass soloist: Jonathan Veira.
Tickets: £15, students £8 from Record Corner, Pound Lane, Godalming or Online: www.godalmingchoral.org.uk or via Guildford Tourist Information Centre, 155 High Street, Guildford. Tel: 01483 444334 Box Office: 07505 203468 or at the door

Worth Abbey - Open Cloister Retreats: A number of retreats are available at Worth Abbey over the coming months including a discipleship retreat 'Come Follow me..' from 3-5 July, Silent Retreat from 16-19 July, Family Holyday

Retreat from 8-12 August and many more including Teenagers' Young Adults' and Individual Retreats. If you have any questions, would like to check availability or for further information please contact the Bookings Secretary at The Open Cloister Email: toc@worth.org.uk or Tel: 01342 710318.

Annual Refugee Tales Walk: Refugee Tales is rooted in the work of the charity Gatwick Detainees Welfare Group which through a network of befrienders, supports people in immigration detention at Gatwick. Refugee Tales enables the accounts of those who have experienced detention in the UK to be heard. There is an annual walk where these tales are shared. This year it is from **6 -11 July**, More details can be found at www.refugeetales.org

Celebrate 2018 - Brighton: Catholic Charismatic Family Weekend will take place on 14/15 July at Cardinal Newman School BN3 6ND. Speakers David Wells, Rev John Ryeland and Michelle Moran. To book and for more information see www.celebrateconference.org

Pilgrimage of Reparation and Consecration: On Saturday 21st July at Church of Our Lady of Consolation & St. Francis, Park Lane, West Grinstead, West Sussex, RH13 8LT. The day will be led by Fr. David Goddard, Priest Custodian of the Shrine. It begins with Mass at 12 noon with Rosary, Exposition, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction with opportunities for confession. For further information please contact either :

Linda C-Dominguez on 01273 463463, Jozef Bubez on 01444 232974, or Jayne Lock on 07816 422851 or Email: jayneJock1@gmail.com

Loving God's Creation - 'Climate Change A Christian Response': On Saturday 11 August from 10.30am-4pm at Holly Barn, Wintershall Estate, Bramley, Guildford, Surrey GU5 0LR. Speakers Dr Martin & Rev Margot Hodson. Organised by Southern Region Order of Franciscans Secular. Tea, coffee and soft drinks provided but bring your own lunch. To book contact Jennie McManus on 01483 203642 or email sjenniemcmanus@gmail.com.

Stars of Mary - Cathedral Deanery: Masses for people with Learning Disabilities, their Family, Friends and Elderly who are frail and find difficulty to attend mainstream Masses. (Tea follows each Mass) **All Masses start at 3 pm except in September.**

Sunday 12th August: Our lady of Mount Carmel, Selsey, PO20 OLS

Sunday 16th September at 2.30 pm at St Wilfrid's School, Crawley, as part of the IFAB (Inclusion Festival Arundel & Brighton)

Sunday 21st October: Convent of Poor Clares, Crossbush, Arundel, BN18 9PJ

Sunday 9th December: Our Lady of Sorrows, Bognor Regis, PO20 1LP

Information from Kathleen O'Gorman – 01243 544097.

The Work of the National Board of Catholic Women: Catholic Women of the Diocese of Arundel & Brighton are warmly invited to come in find out more about their work with a Talk with Liturgy followed by an open discussion on how to get involved and share feedback.

Women of all ages across the Diocese are welcome. Presenter: Sue Petritz (NBCW Link for A&B) at The Lewes Deanery (Haywards Heath). On the evening of Wednesday **12 September**. To reserve a place please email Felicity at interact.inter.alia@gmail.com

Ciborium sought: A newly established parish in Kenya is looking for a ciborium. If you have one that you could donate they would be very grateful. It can be in any reasonable condition but must have a well fitting lid to keep out ants etc. Please contact Fr Paul Wilkinson at catholicsussex@gmail.com

St John's Seminary Womersley need your help: St John's Seminary which has been involved in the formation of priests for England and Wales for over 125 years is in need of help to refurbish and redecorate 30 of its bedrooms which have little or no upgrading in over 40 years. The Seminary operates on a very tight budget and has no available funds to finance this much needed work which will cost about £2000 per room.

If you can help in any way, please send a cheque made payable to St John's Seminary to: Mgr Gerry Ewing (Vice-Rector), St John's Seminary, Womersley,

Guildford, Surrey GU5 0QX.

The Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration is an international lay apostolate founded in 1986. Arundel & Brighton Diocese joined the Apostolate in 2013, forming a small committee of lay Adorers whose mission has been to assist parishes across the diocese to establish, maintain and develop **viable weekly Eucharistic Adoration of Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament**. With the parish priest's approval, and the encouragement of Bishop Richard, apostolate members attend weekend Masses and make presentations which invite parishioners to commit an hour of their time each week to spend before Jesus, praying for their own needs, the needs of the parish and also for an increase in vocations to the priesthood. To set this up in your parish contact Mr Seán Duggan, 207 Willingdon Road, Eastbourne BN20 9JP, UK. Tel. +44 (0) 1323 504417 or Email: sean.duggan@rapidmm.net

Alton Day of Renewal is a monthly mini-retreat day open to anyone free of charge and without booking. 2018 theme is "Good News for everyone: Renewal and Mission". The programme will seek to inspire and equip us in the essential area of mission and evangelization, with noted speakers looking at both the theory and practice of bringing the good news to the world, especially the needy. The day includes Rosary, Mass, Adoration, shared lunch, praise and worship, guest speaker and healing ministry. Full details of dates, speakers and location at www.altonrenewal.com or www.abdiocese.org.uk/Courses.

RE Teachers Wanted: Do you want to inspire young people and consider training to be an RE teacher in a secondary school? Do you want to discuss possible routes into becoming an RE teacher? If so then please contact either Sally Dudley, Recruitment Lead at Sussex University (s.e.dudley@sussex.ac.uk or 01273 877050) or Claire Cross, RE Curriculum Tutor for Sussex University (claire.rooney123@btinternet.com or 07710550339). We are keen to talk with any potential trainees for September 2018 and support you in training with the University of Sussex and would welcome an informal phone call or email.

Bogus Emails and Internet Scams: If you receive any of these e.g. I am ill in country X send me money, my husband died and I want to give you money etc, then contact the police NFIBphishing@city-of-london.pnn.police.uk

Catholic Bible School - Bible Weekends: This is an opportunity for parishes to have a scripture-focused time of enrichment that includes: faith formation through talks and workshops, retreat experiences through services and times of prayer and a short mission like experience for parishioners to be evangelised and become intentional disciples. For more information visit their [website](#).

Catholic Bible School: Various events and Scripture days in Nutbourne, Chichester and Eastbourne. This includes weekly Thursday Scripture Study as well as Saturday talks. To make use of this great resource within the Diocese and for more information visit their [website](#).

Helping people to budget: Local CAP Money courses are run throughout the year and are a means for people to learn budgeting skills and a simple, cash-based system that works. Helping people to budget, save and prevent debt. Find out about a course in your area and other CAP services [here](#)

Equipes Notre-Dame (Teams): This is an international Catholic lay movement which offers married couples a framework for living out the Sacrament of Marriage. A 'Team' is a group of 4 to 6 married couples who meet monthly with, where possible, a spiritual advisor. Bernard and Susan Kelly are the Southern Regional Couple for this movement and they can be contacted by email on southern@teamsqb.org.uk

Mary's Dowry Productions - this Sussex based company produces DVDs on the lives of Saints, many of them British saints and martyrs. For more information and to buy their DVDs go to their [website](#).

