

St. Martin's Vicarage
Upper Wellington Road
Brighton
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September 2019

**The Parish of
St. Martin, St. Wilfrid, St Alban
Brighton**



SEPTEMBER NEWS 2019

Every Sunday

**10am The Parish Mass with Sunday Club (Toddler—KS 3)
during term time**

Please see the rest of this leaflet for DAILY MASS TIMES and any changes!!

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My dear friends,

September is dedicated to the Holy Cross and in the middle of the month we celebrate the Feast of 'The Exaltation of the Holy Cross.' As Priest brothers of The Society of the Holy Cross this leads to Fr Andrew and I attending the local Chapter meeting in anticipation of the Feast on the 13th and the South Eastern Synod in London on the 26th. It further means we have heard many a sermon on the question of how to exalt in the Holy Cross defined in the famous hymn 'the symbol of suffering and pain.' St Andrew of Crete (8th Century) puts it this way:-
"The Cross is also Christ's exaltation—listen again to his own words: 'When I am lifted up, I will draw all men to myself.' You see then that the cross is the glory and the exaltation of Christ."

At the end of the month we are invited to S. Michael's as ever to share with them on their Feast of Title. Falling on a Sunday, as does the feast this year we are invited for Evening Prayer and Benediction at 6pm: a celebration that will also be Fr. Rob's farewell to the Parish and the Wagner Group. I hope as many as possible, (including Fr Rob's young fans) will be able to make their way to S Michael's for this celebration.

Earlier in the month we have a new-look Jumble Sale that will also enable us to partake more fully in the annual Ride and Stride event. With Mass at 9am there is more time to assemble the stalls and we hope to benefit from the lunchtime trade. As always all help is welcome.

Two further dates for your diary are the planning meeting for the Christmass Fayre which will be held at 4 pm on Wednesday, 18th September the Vicarage and all are welcome: and on Saturday, 21st September we will be holding a coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support from 11.30 am to 1.30 pm. We hope as many of you as possible will find the time to join us.

With my love and prayers,

T. Buxton

THE DIARY

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Month's Dedication: The Holy Cross

☩ 1	<u>22nd Sunday</u>	10.00	PP
Mon 2	S Vivian Reddlich	12.30	CTT
Tue 3	S Gregory	18.00	The Society
Wed 4	Feria	12.30	The Bishop
Thu 5	S Teresa of Calcutta	19.00	The Homeless
Fri 6	First Friday	11.00	World Peace
Sat 7	OL on Saturday	11.00	Vocations
☩ 8	<u>23rd Sunday</u>	10.00	PP
Mon 9	Feria	12.30	Wagner Group
Tue 10	Feria	18.00	Deanery Synod
Wed 11	Feria	12.30	Episcopal Visitation
Thu 12	The Holy Name of Mary	11.00*	Marian Devotion
Fri 13	S John Chrysostom	10.30*	Preachers
Sat 14	Exaltation of the Cross	09.00*	SSC
☩ 15	<u>24th Sunday</u>	10.00	PP
Mon 16	SS Cornelius & Cyprian	12.30	Spiritual Advisors
Tue 17	Feria	19.00*	Sunday Club
Wed 18	Feria (Requiem)	12.30	Years Mind
Thu 19	Feria (For Unity)	19.00	Reunion
Fri 20	S Andrew Kim & Comp	11.00	Missionaries
Sat 21	S. Matthew	11.00	Evangelists
☩ 22	<u>25th Sunday</u>	10.00	PP
Mon 23	S Pius of Pietrecina	12.30	Ministry of Reconciliation
Tue 24	OL of Walsingham	18.00	The Shrine
Wed 25	Feria	12.30	DBE
Thu 26	Ss Cosmas & Damian	--:--	SSC Synod
Fri 27	S Vincent de Paul	11.00	Vincentians
Sat 28	OL on Saturday	11.00	Fr Rob Coupland
☩ 29	<u>26th Sunday</u>	10.00	PP
Mon 30	S Jerome	12.30	Biblical Scholars

*Changes

Tue 3rd	7pm Website Group in the Parish Office
Thu 5th	7pm PCC meets for Mass
Mon 9th	12noon Funeral Mass Fr Raymonde Robinson at S Michael's

10th—12th
Bishop Richard's Deanery Visitation

Tue 10th	7.30pm Deanery Synod
Wed 11th	10am Deanery Chapter
Thu 12th	6pm Evening at The Greyhound Stadium
Sat 13th	12—2 Jumble Sale
	10—4 Ride and Stride
Tue 17th	7pm Sunday Club Leaders
Wed 18th	4 pm Christmass Fayre Planning Meeting at the Vicarage
Sat 21st	11.30 am Macmillan Coffee Morning
Thu 26th	SSC Synod in London
Mon 23rd	4pm Leadership & Management (School)
	5.30pm Governors Visit Evening
Fri 27th	4pm School Governors' Social
Sun 29th	6pm Farewell to Fr. Rob at S Michael's

Saturday, 16th October 2019
7.30 pm
Curry and Quiz Night
£8

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