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Diocese of Arundel and Brighton
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CHURCH TIMETABLE 22nd to 29th JUNE 2019

<u>Sunday MASSES</u>	Saturday Vigil MASS 6.00pm. Sunday Morning MASS at 9.30am with Children's Liturgy [during term time].
<u>Weekday MASSES</u>	Morning MASS: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday MASS 9.00am. Morning Prayer 8.45am. Adoration before weekday MASS from 8.30am. <u>No MASS</u> Tuesday and Saturday mornings.
<u>Baptisms</u>	By appointment with the Priest.
<u>Weddings</u>	One year's notice - Diocesan policy. Please contact the Priest.
<u>Confessions</u> <u>[Sacrament of Reconciliation]</u>	Saturday 5.00pm and any day on request.

Parish Picnic - ALL WELCOME - Next Sunday, 30th June, Feast of St Peter and St Paul - in the Church garden after 11.00am MASS:

Put the date in your diary; a relaxed and enjoyable day for all. Come along for a short while or stay for lunch. As always a BBQ lunch will be provided. Our Indian and Filipino communities have kindly agreed to provide a delicious selection of food once again. Ice creams and soft drinks will also be available in the afternoon. Refreshments include a Bar, Tea/Coffee and Cakes. Feel free to bring your own picnic, garden furniture and rugs.

CAKES are always popular. Please remember to bring some along on the day for us all to share.

Any offers of help to put up the gazebos at 4.00pm on Saturday, 29th June would be much appreciated. Please contact Emily Burford 610287.

Parish Diary:

Sunday 23rd June	:	First Communion Celebration 1.30pm MASS.
Sunday 30th June	:	Parish Picnic for everyone. 11.00am MASS; Picnic 12 noon.
Saturday 6th July	:	2.00pm Wedding with MASS.
Sunday 7th July	:	CAFOD Creation MASS 9.30am. Petition to sign.
Sunday 14th July	:	St Mary's School Fete - 11.00am to 2.00pm. Also Sea Sunday.
Friday 19th July	:	2.00pm MASS for Maria Cowler's farewell.
Sunday 21st July	:	St Vincent de Paul Parish outing.
Tuesday 23rd July	:	9.30am MASS for school leavers. School closes at 1.00pm.

Wednesday 26th June - United Nations International Day in support of Victims of Torture: Action by Christians against Torture [ACAT] remind us of this opportunity to both speak out against the crime of torture and to pray and support victims and survivors of torture across the world. ACAT France is leading this year's prayer vigil. More information and resources are available at <https://www.acatuk.org.uk> and also on the UN website at <https://www.un.org/en/events/torturevictimsday>

Thursday 27th June: MASS 9.00am for Sacred Heart.

Friday 28th June: Children's MASS in School at 9.30am. All welcome.

CAFOD Creation Celebration - Sunday 7th July at 9.30am MASS. Pope Francis in his letter 'Laudato Si' says: "We need a conversation, which includes everyone since the environmental challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all". CAFOD is asking us to reflect, to pray and to act where possible.

Summer Fundraiser - Sunday 7th July - 3.00pm to 5.00pm: Raising funds for Baby2Baby, a fantastic local cause. Please join us [HUG] for afternoon tea with homemade cakes, scones, raffle and tombola in the garden of Dyall House, Sheiling Road, Crowborough TN6 1BJ. Your support is much appreciated.

Sea Sunday - 14th July: When the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a second collection for Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. For more information about its work, visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

Celebration MASS and Tea for Maria Cowler - Friday 19th July at 2.00pm: Maria Cowler, the Headteacher of St Mary's is leaving our school at the end of the summer term, to take on the Headship at St Wilfred's in Burgess Hill. Staff and Governors at St Mary's would like to invite the Parish community to a MASS to celebrate the happy years that Maria has been our Headteacher. The MASS will be followed by tea and cakes in Father Kevin's garden.

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