

The Catholic Church in Seaford, Newhaven & Peacehaven | Sunday 14th June 2026

Good morning and welcome to Holy Mass. Whether you are a regular parishioner, a visitor, or joining us for the first time, you are very welcome. As we gather around the Lord's altar, let us open our hearts to His presence and prepare to celebrate these sacred mysteries.

The future of Parish Leadership. This week the Council of Advisors met for the final time. I would like to thank all its members for their generosity, wisdom, and commitment over the past three years as we have developed our plans to rebuild the Domestic Church and renew parish life.

As we move into the next stage of our parish mission, the Council of Advisors will be replaced by a Leadership Team. Like the early Church in the Acts of the Apostles, we must continue to develop structures that support the mission entrusted to us. Leadership is more than advice and consultation; it is also about discernment, responsibility, and action.

Over the coming weeks, Claire, Mary Ann, and Deacon Stephen will be prayerfully discerning the formation of this new team. Please keep this process in your prayers as together we continue to build families of faith. Thank you.

Our Summer Festival planning is well under way! If you would like to get involved, please speak to a member of the Parish Team. We are currently

collecting **tombola prizes**, donations of bottles, toiletries, chocolates and new unwanted gifts would be most welcome. Please drop them into either of our churches or to the parish office.

Many thanks to all who attended the **Scratch Choir** rehearsal last week. Anyone interested in singing for the **Feast of St Thomas More** on 22 June at 7.00pm is invited to contact Claire for further information.

We offer our warm congratulations to our **Confirmation candidates** who were confirmed at Worth Abbey on Saturday. We give thanks for their commitment to their faith and pray that the gifts of the Holy Spirit will continue to guide and strengthen them in the years ahead.

Please keep in your prayers all the children in the parish who are preparing for their **First Holy Communion**.

Dates for your Diary:

Mon 22 June, Feast of St Thomas More, Mass, 7pm @STM

Sun 28 June, FHC Mass, 11am @STM

Sat 11 July, Summer Festival @STM



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Holy Mass & Prayer in the Parish

Holy Mass & Intentions			Prayer & Devotions
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>(CTS Missal p.727)</i>			Lauds (Morning Prayer)
Sat 13 Jun	6pm	Peacehaven	Seaford: Mon–Fri 8.30am; Sat/Sun 9am Peacehaven: Tue 9am
<i>Norman Gilbert RIP & Family</i>			
Sun 14 Jun	11am	Seaford	
<i>People of the Parish</i>			
Wed 17 Jun	10am	Peacehaven	
<i>Jack & Lily Bedford RIP</i>			Vespers (Evening Prayer)
Thu 18 Jun	10am	Seaford	Seaford: Mon–Thur 6.30pm Peacehaven: Mon 5.30pm; Tue/Wed 6pm
<i>Dave O'Donoghue RIP</i>			
12th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>(CTS Missal p.731)</i>			
Sat 20 Jun	6pm	Seaford	
<i>People of the Parish</i>			
Sun 21 Jun	11am	Peacehaven	Adoration
<i>Vocations</i>			Seaford: Tue 9.45am Peacehaven: Thu 6pm; Fri 10am
Wed 24 Jun	10am	Peacehaven	
<i>Welfare of Mothers' Prayer Group</i>			
Thur 25 Jun	10am	Peacehaven	
<i>Mrs Lily Lees RIP</i>			
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles <i>(CTS Missal p.1155)</i>			Benediction
Sat 27 Jun	6pm	Peacehaven	Fri 6pm, Seaford Please note: no Benediction on Friday 19 June.
<i>Fr Christopher Bedford RIP</i>			Confession & Rosary
Sun 28 Jun	11am	Seaford	30 mins before Holy Mass
<i>First Holy Communion Mass People of the Parish</i>			
Tea & Coffee in the Hall after all Sunday and midweek Masses.			
Mass Intention envelopes are in the porch			
Offertory: Peacehaven £252.82 Seaford £218.11			
Second Collection next week: Day for Life			

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