

The Catholic Church in Seaford, Newhaven & Peacehaven | Sunday 18 October 2026

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH THIS WEEKEND.

Welcome to our parish newsletter. This Sunday's Gospel reminds us to give to God what belongs to God. As we go about our daily lives, may we remember that all we have comes from Him, and seek to live out our faith through the choices we make and the way we care for one another.

CLAUDE'S ORDINATION

It's nearly time! **Claude will soon be ordained to the Permanent Diaconate.**

We are planning to take a coach.

Date: 21 November 2026

Time: 12 noon

Place: Arundel Cathedral

Please RSVP to Lyndsey:

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TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. By supporting Missio – the Pope's charity for world mission – we stand united as God's global family, in prayer, solidarity and action. The Holy Father has chosen the theme **'One in Christ, united in mission'**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Til end of October – Work on STM kitchen – **hall closed.**

Sat 24 Oct – Mass of Welcome for Bishop Stephen Wang, Worth Abbey

Fri 30 Oct – 7pm -8.30pm- All Hallows Eve Party

Sat 21 Nov, 12noon - Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate of Claude Cheta

to celebrate 100 years of World Mission Sunday and encourages us to unite with missionaries as they strive to reach out with God's love to communities in need. Please pray for the work of mission and give what you can to this vital collection. To donate, use the **Missio envelope**, call **020 7821 9755** (office hours) or visit **missio.org.uk** to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation, if possible.

ALL SOULS, PRAYING FOR OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED IN NOVEMBER

During the month of November, we remember the souls of all the faithful departed. As in previous years we will be blessing the graves of our loved ones, this year we will also remember them with Mass offered on All Souls' Day (Monday 2 Nov) at 10am at St Thomas More Church.

You are invited to place the names of your faithful departed in the baskets which can be found in both our churches.



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HOLY MASS & PRAYER IN THE PARISH

Holy Mass and Intentions			
Day & Date	Time	Church	Intention
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time - World Mission (CTS Sunday Missal pg794)			
Sunday 18 Oct	9 am	Peacehaven	Caroline Robertson RIP
Sunday 18 Oct	11 am	Seaford	People of the Parish
Tuesday 20 Oct	7.30pm	Seaford	For the intentions of those present.
Wed 21 Oct	10am	Peacehaven	David Halliday RIP
Thurs 22 Oct	10am	Seaford	Christopher McOustra RIP (Foundation)
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (CTS Sunday Missal pg798)			
Sunday 25 Oct	9am	Peacehaven	People of the Parish
Sunday 25 Oct	11am	Seaford	James O’Brien RIP
Rosary and Confession: 30min before every Holy Mass			
Prayer & Devotions			
Devotion:	Times:		
Lauds	Seaford: Monday – Friday 8.30am, Sat & Sun 9am Peacehaven: Tuesday 9am		
Vespers	Seaford: Monday – Friday 6.30pm Peacehaven: Mon 5.30pm, Tue & Wed 6pm		
Adoration	Seaford: Tuesday 9.45am Peacehaven: Monday 5.30pm Thursday 6pm; Friday 10am		
Tea and coffee are served after all Masses in Peacehaven, and everyone is welcome. In Seaford, these refreshments are temporarily on hold while the hall kitchen is being refurbished. Thank you for your patience!			

2ND COLLECTION: This week: World Mission

PRAYER TO MARK THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

WRITTEN BY POPE LEO XIV

Holy Father, make us one in Christ, rooted in his love that unites and renews. May all members of the Church be united in mission, docile to the Holy Spirit, courageous in bearing witness to the Gospel, proclaiming and embodying daily your faithful love for all creatures. Bless all missionary men and women, support them in their efforts, and watch over them in hope! Mary, Queen of Missions, accompany our work of evangelisation in every corner of the earth: make us instruments of peace, and grant that the whole world may recognise in Christ the light that saves. **AMEN**

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