The Ancient Mother Church of Brighton,
Saint Nicholas of Myra
All Saints
1st November 2026

Welcome. St Nicholas' is the original church of Brightelmston village, and the Ancient Mother Church of Brighton: a haven of peace and prayerfulness in the heart of our city.
We celebrate diversity and believe that God's unconditional love is for all. Children are very welcome here.

Instruction in the Christian Faith
Holy Baptism for children and adults
Sacrament of Penance (Confession)
Holy Matrimony and **Thanksgiving after Civil Marriage**
} *by arrangement with the Vicar*

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Parking is available at St Paul's School on St Nicholas' Road, for the 10.30am Parish Eucharist, from **9.30am** until **1.00pm**. If you would like to receive our **regular mailing**, please contact the Parish Office.
Join us on **Zoom**: Meeting ID: 833 4639 2107 Passcode: 991506
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83346392107?pwd=T2lyRWtab1hHeVNHYjhCK3JLNXZsUT09

Sunday 1	**ALL SAINTS**	**8am Mass (BCP)** **10.30am Sung Eucharist.**
Monday 2	*Feria*	6.45-9pm Narcotics Anonymous 7-9pm Bell Ringers Practise
Tuesday 3	*Richard Hooker, Teacher of the Faith (1600)*	No Mass today
Wednesday 4	*Feria*	1.30pm Music Recital 3.15pm Requiem Mass for the dearly departed
Thursday 5	*Feri*	5pm Mass followed by silent prayer
Friday 6	*St Leonard, Hermit (6th Century)*	9.30-11.30am Church Closed for Organ Practise
Saturday 7	*St Willibrord of York, Apostle of Frisia (739)*	No Mass today
Sunday 8	**REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**	**8am Mass CW** **10.30am Sung Eucharist with Ministry of Healing.**

THE EUCHARIST

We stand to sing the opening hymn:

Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days;

President: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All: **Amen**.
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Welcome and Introduction

Invitation to Confession
Since we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, looking to Jesus in penitence and faith.

Lord, you are gracious and compassionate:
Lord have mercy.
(We sing) **Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.**

You are loving to all and your mercy is over all your creation:
Christ have mercy.
(We sing) **Christ have mercy. Christ have mercy.**

Your faithful servants bless your name
and speak of the glory of your kingdom:
Lord have mercy.
(We sing) **Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.**

The President says the prayer of absolution and all respond: **Amen.**

We sing the Gloria in excelsis:

Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.
Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to God in the highest.

The President prays the Collect and we respond: **Amen**

We sit for the Scripture readings.

We sing Psalm 34.1-10

At the end of the reading we respond:
Thanks be to God.

We stand, joining in the acclamation to herald the gospel.
Alleluia alleluia alleluia alleluia … **Alleluia alleluia alleluia alleluia.**

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *Matthew.*
Glory to you, O Lord.
At the end:
This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.
Alleluia alleluia alleluia alleluia.

We sit to hear the homily.

We stand together to declare our faith.
I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.
We sit or stand for the prayers of intercession led by Louise Roddon and respond:
Lord in your mercy, **Hear our prayer** *or:*
Lord hear us, **Lord, graciously hear us.**
At the end: Merciful Father, **accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**

We stand for the Peace.

The peace is introduced.
The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

(you are invited to exchange peace with those around you with the words 'peace be with you'.)

Donations are collected for the work of St Nicholas'. *Contactless donations can be made after the Eucharist at the door, or you can donate online using the QR code. If you would like to make a regular donation, please pick up a standing order form from the cupboard by the main door and return it to the parish priest, or Churchwarden.*

As the Offerings are brought to the altar we stand to sing:

Who are these like stars appearing,

We stand as the President says the Prayer over the Offerings.

We remain standing for the Eucharistic Prayer.

President: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give thanks and praise.

The President praises God and we sing:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

The President recalls the Last Supper.

Christ is the bread of life:
When we eat this bread and drink this cup,
we proclaim your death, Lord Jesus, until you come in glory.

The President continues the prayer and we sing:

Amen! Amen! Amen!

With saints and martyrs through the ages, let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us.
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
the power and the glory,
For ever and ever. Amen.

The President breaks the consecrated bread:
We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.

(Sung) **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,**
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.

I heard the voice of a great multitude crying, 'Alleluia.'
The Lord our God has entered into his kingdom.
Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.
All who are baptised and normally receive Communion are welcome to do so here. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please come forward with this service booklet in your hands. If you are unable to stand, please let a Churchwarden or sidesperson know, and Communion will be brought to you.

Communion Anthem

We remain seated to sing:

Come, thou Holy Spirit, come,

We stand for the Post-Communion Prayer and respond: **Amen**

We sit for notices.

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

The blessing is prayed we respond: **Amen.**

Following God's saints in the ways of holiness and truth,
go in the peace of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

We remain standing to sing:

For all the saints who from their labours rest,

Voluntary