



**Parish of The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey & Saint Cyprian, Ugbrooke**  
**WELCOME**



*Part of the R.C. Diocese of Plymouth. Charity Number 213227*

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The Holy Spirit Church  
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- Accessibility:** - Please ask the Welcome Group if disabled access is required.  
- The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey is fully accessible via a ramp at the side of the church and disabled toilet in the hall.  
- Our Church has a loop system.

**SUNDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2026**  
**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY** Year A

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>31 MAY</b>  | <b>9.00am</b>  | <b>Mass, Bovey Tracey</b>  |            |
|                  |                | <b>9.00am</b>  | <b>Mass, Ugbrooke (<i>People of the Parish</i>)</b>                            |            |
| <b>Monday</b>    | <b>01 JUNE</b> | <b>NO MASS</b> |  |            |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>02 JUNE</b> | <b>10.00am</b> | <b>Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>Andrew Bernhard and Mary Matilda Dahl (RIP)</i>)</b> |            |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>03 JUNE</b> | <b>NO MASS</b> |  |            |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>04 JUNE</b> | <b>NO MASS</b> |  |            |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <b>05 JUNE</b> | <b>NO MASS</b> | <b>ST BONIFACE</b>   | <b>SOL</b> |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>06 JUNE</b> | <b>NO MASS</b> |  |            |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>07 JUNE</b> | <b>9.00am</b>  | <b>Mass, Bovey Tracey</b>  |            |
|                  |                | <b>9.00am</b>  | <b>Mass, Ugbrooke</b>  |            |

**TEA, COFFEE AND CAKE IN THE PARISH HALL AFTER MASS**  
on the **FIRST Sunday** of every month. Do come along, we need your company.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS OUR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:** Penelope Crawford, Ronald Asbury, Nick Martin, Samuel Horton, Elizabeth Newton, Chelsea Fowler, Peter Dowse, Adriene O'Mara, Jean Humphrey, Jill Huish, Claire Bovill, Marian Chmiel, Nancy Macpherson, Christine & John Horton, Sam Griffiths, Reg Gregory, Fr Pat Costello, Maureen Biggins and please remember in our prayers all the priests in our diocese who are ill.

There will be **no Mass** on the 9<sup>th</sup> June, as Fr George and Fr Anthony will be away for the annual retreat at Buckfast. Please keep our priests in your prayers.

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* PLYMOUTH SECULAR CLERGY FUND:** TODAY we will be holding a collection for the Plymouth Secular clergy fund. This fund supports our retired and sick priests who have given years of service to our diocese and who are known by many of our parishioners.

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* Alice will be away from the office from 2<sup>nd</sup> June until 16<sup>th</sup> June.** Please use the parish mobile number or email for any urgent enquiries.

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* RED BOXES:** Please bring your red boxes into church by the 7<sup>th</sup> June. Many thanks – *Reg Gregory*

**SAINTS OF THE WEEK: 5<sup>th</sup> June: St Boniface (c. 680 – 754)** Born Wynfrith at Crediton he was educated in monastery schools at Dorset and Exeter. After Ordination he dedicated himself to missionary work in the Lowlands and North Germany. After an unsuccessful first mission he sought the help of the Pope. He founded a number of Cathedrals and Abbeys, which led to a resurgence of civilised life in North Germany. He retired from his position of influence to return to his first mission in Frisia (the Netherlands). There he was martyred in 754.

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* THE GUILD OF OUR LADY OF RANSOM GRANT:** We have been fortunate to have been awarded a £1200 grant by the Guild of Our Lady of Ransom, who support small parishes with projects and resources. Within their criteria for the grant, we would like to use it to purchase cushions for the benches to make the church more comfortable, user-friendly and welcoming! The full cost of this project is £3170, leaving us with around £1970 to raise to complete it. It would be wonderful to have the whole church completed and it will need your support to make this possible. With 18 benches in the church, each bench will need a contribution of £110. There will be opportunities to make a contribution over the coming weeks, please make sure that any donations for this cause are either in clearly marked envelopes, in the separate collection basket or made through the giving machine.

**PARISH SAFEGUARDING UPDATE:** A message from Marian: 'I have been the Parish safeguarding Representative (PSR) for 7 years but due to family commitments I am having to step down from this role. Fortunately, Alice Woodward is now taking on the PSR duties, and we have ensured a seamless transition in our safeguarding procedures.' *Marian Lancaster.* A huge thank you to Marian for all the hard work she has put into the role for the parish.

**YOUNG ADULTS RETREAT, Sclerder 19<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> June** A weekend retreat for 18 - 30 year olds to reflect on our calling to be stewards of the earth, underpinned by the scripture Genesis 2:15. There will be times of prayer, reflection and discussion led by Fr Jude, along with art workshops and time in the gardens. Young people are being asked to make a contribution of £40 each. Transport will be provided from Liskeard Station both on the Friday night and Saturday morning, returning around 2pm on Sunday. It is important to book: [Sclerder Retreat \(18-30\) - Stewards of the earth – Fill in form](#) Any further questions contact: Saskia, [youth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk)

**CELEBRATE Festival is offering a webinar on: 'Raising teenagers in a Catholic family' - Mike and Alicia Hernon, Messy Family Project (a Catholic family ministry from the USA) Tuesday 2nd June 8pm.** The beginning of adolescence is in many ways a "rebirth" of the child, and when this "rebirth" happens, many parents feel as if they are learning how to be a parent all over again! This is the great journey from childhood to adulthood and it is not always an easy road for parent or child. But God always gives the grace parents need, and Mike and Alicia remind parents of this fact. They also give empathy and guidance on how to successfully navigate the tween and teen years by modelling for children the behaviour they wish to see in them and investing in the relationship on a deeper level. There is a non-refundable registration fee of £5 to cover some initial expenses and reserve a place. Reserve a place here: [Faith Parenting – CELEBRATE Trust](#)

**IGNATIAN INDIVIDUALLY GUIDED SILENT RETREATS: Jun 26th-28th** (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat (£160) **Jun 26th-1st July** (Fri-Wed) Extended Weekend Retreat (£350) **Venue:** Sclerder Abbey Retreat House, (Chemin Neuf) Cornwall PL13 2JD. A retreat house, once a Carmelite monastery, with large garden and pleasant rural walks, situated near Looe, close to the sea, offers simple accommodation and an opportunity to step back from everyday life to make space and time for God. Cost includes full board & lodging, but help is available for those who would like to go on retreat but have difficulties with the recommended donations. For further details and bookings, contact Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group at [diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk) or phone 01752 769164 or 07823 447637.

**GOD'S WILD ACRE:** Caritas invites you to take part in a new project – God's Wild Acre. Do you have a little space in your garden, a window box, or any area you can give to encourage nature to do what it does best? We would like to reach an acre of land that has been set aside to celebrate creation's wild growing. Please send us your stories, images and size of your plot so that we can share them on our media streams [caritas@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:caritas@prcdtr.org.uk)

**FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH FR ANTHONY OR FR GEORGE**  
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**COLLECTIONS:** for April – Loose: £663.20, Standing Orders: £1040.11 *Thank you to all who contribute so generously.*

Scan the QR to support our parish in the weekly collection.

**SAFEGUARDING:** Our parish Safeguarding Representative is Alice Woodward: if you have any enquiries or concerns about Safeguarding, please contact Alice in confidence on 07756 779681. The Diocese of Plymouth's Safeguarding Team is available on 01364 645430 or by email on [safeguarding@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@prcdtr.org.uk)

**SAFE SPACES:** The Safe Spaces team is there for those who have experienced church-related abuse of any kind through its helpline and live chat service between **Mon-Fri 9am-9pm, Saturday 9am-1pm & Sunday 1pm-5pm.**

Tel: 0300 303 1056, Email: [safespaces@firstlight.org.uk](mailto:safespaces@firstlight.org.uk), LiveChat: [www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk](http://www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk),  
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