



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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Your nearest AED:
Automated External Defibrillator
is located on the top shelf of the
server's wardrobe in the Sacristy.

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 12th OCTOBER 2025

TWENTY EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

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Sunday	12 OCTOBER	9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey
		9.00am	Mass, Ugbrooke (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
Monday	13 OCTOBER	NO MASS	
Tuesday	14 OCTOBER	10.00am	(<i>William Hooker RIP</i>)
Wednesday	15 OCTOBER	NO MASS	
Thursday	16 OCTOBER	NO MASS	
Friday	17 OCTOBER	NO MASS	
Saturday	18 OCTOBER	NO MASS	ST LUKE – EVANGELIST FEAST
Sunday	19 OCTOBER	9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
		9.00am	Mass, Ugbrooke

COFFEE and TEA in the PARISH HALL after Mass. First Sunday of each month only
Any queries please see/phone Jilly Freeman 07754 704008

We are looking for one more person who would be happy to join the team. You would only be on the Rota once every 3 months. Please speak to Jilly Freeman if you'd be interested or would like more details. Tel. 01626 836 701

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS OUR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Michael and Penelope Crawford, Ronald Asbury, Nick Martin, Samuel Horton, Pamela Lekis, 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. At this time, we remember both those who are suffering with the coronavirus and those looking after them.

The figures for the accounts for 2024/5 and the projections for 2025/6 are now available. There is a copy on the noticeboard at the back of church.

PARISH DIARIES: The Catholic Diary Mass & Prayer Books are available in the porch (donation £2).

PRISONERS' SUNDAY 12TH OCTOBER: Prisoners' Sunday is the National Day of Prayer and Action for prisoners and their dependents as marked by the Catholic Church and across the Christian denominations. Today we reflect on how we as individuals, as a Church, and as a community are serving those affected by imprisonment.

ANTI-SLAVERY WEEK (13TH–19TH OCTOBER): In this Jubilee Year of renewal and hope, we are called to "proclaim liberty throughout the land" (Lev. 25:10) by confronting the injustices of modern slavery. Observing this week is a way to live the Gospel call to love our neighbour and work for a world where all can live in dignity. Contact Caritas Diocese of Plymouth to learn how you can help to eliminate this evil.

*****NEW*** NEXT SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio – his charity for world mission – through a special collection. This day of prayer, solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to the Good news of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, use the Mission envelopes, 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.

*****NEW*** SAINTS OF THE WEEK: 12th October: St Wilfrid (c.634-709)** His was a turbulent and controversial life. Educated by Celtic monks at Lindisfarne he became more and more influenced by the Roman form of Christianity prevalent at Canterbury. He travelled there to study it and then to Rome. On his return to England he was made Abbot of Ripon and introduced the Benedictine Rule there. He greatly influenced the Synod of Whitby (664) which rejected the Celtic form of Christianity in favour of the Roman one. He was then made Bishop of York. His tenure of office was not without controversy. Despite the many controversies he was involved in he was a dedicated missionary and instrumental in establishing the Roman form of Christianity and the Benedictine model of monasticism in all of England where they remained dominant until the Reformation of the 16th Century, nearly a thousand years later.

17th October: St Ignatius of Antioch (d.107) Martyr Ignatius was second or third Bishop of Antioch, a see founded by St Peter. Nothing is known about him apart from his journey under arrest from Antioch to Rome where he was martyred. It was a slow progress and during it he wrote a number of letters to various Churches. These letters reveal a man passionately devoted to Christ who insists on both the Divinity and Humanity of Christ, the Eucharist as a continuation of Christ's life and the importance of Bishops for the unity of the Church.

18th October: St Luke Author of both a Gospel and The Acts of the Apostles (very early history of the emerging Church). His gospel is noted for its many references to the women in Christ's life. He worked for a time with St Paul on some of his missions. Patron Saint of butchers, bookbinders, doctors, surveyors, artists and glassworkers.

*****NEW*** GUILD OF OUR LADY OF RANSOM 2025 GRANT:** we have the opportunity to apply for a grant for evangelistic purposes for the benefit of the parish. This could be in the form of resources e.g. digital media or books, or for general parish development. Please let us know if you have any ideas or thoughts on what could make our parish more accessible. Contact Alice in the parish office on 07354 315871 or boveytracey@prcdtr.org.uk

*****NEW*** ADVENT RETREAT FOR 18-30 YEAR OLDS**, Sclerder Abbey. 21st - 23rd November 2025

Join young adults from across the Diocese of Plymouth to prepare for Advent. During the weekend you will explore John's scripture; 'The word became flesh and dwelt amongst us' (J1:14) whilst experiencing elements of the Chemin Neuf Community, listening to talks from Fr Robbie Lowe and exploring the area. A recommended donation of £30 is to help with the accommodation and food costs. For further information contact Saskia; youth@prcdtr.org.uk or follow the link to book: <https://forms.office.com/e/se4zasSM7B>

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (PLYMOUTH) CROWDFUNDER: Fancy winning an air fryer bundle? Thanks to HBH Woolacotts and The School Wear Shop in Plymouth who have donated an AF140 Ninja Air Fryer and a £100 supermarket gift card of your choice, we are delighted to be running our third Crowdfunder prize draw to raise funds to help support our Essential Grants programme. Included in the bundle will be a cook book - 'How to Make Anything in an Airfryer' by Hayley Dean with 100 quick, easy and delicious recipes.

You can enter as many times as you like and the more entries you purchase, the more chance you will have of winning. Tickets are priced at £10 for one entry or buy two entries for £20 and receive a third entry for free. The draw will close at 9am on Monday, 24 November 2025 so this could make a wonderful Christmas gift for a family member or friend. To enter, please visit <http://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/ccsp-ninja-air-fryer-bundle>

*****NEW*** LATEST CARITAS DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH NEWSLETTER:** can be found at <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/caritas-2/newsletters/>

FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH FR ANTHONY OR FR GEORGE
please contact St Joseph's Parish Office 01626 365231 or email newtonabbot@prcdtr.org.uk

COLLECTIONS: for September – Loose: £481.53, Standing Orders: £943.50 *Thank you to all who contribute so generously.*

SAFEGUARDING: Our parish Safeguarding Representative is Marian Lancaster: if you have any enquiries or concerns about Safeguarding, please contact Marian in confidence on 07761 058653. The Diocese of Plymouth's Safeguarding Team is available on 01364 645430 or by email on 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, LiveChat: www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk,

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