



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 6TH SEPTEMBER

TWENTY-THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Year A

Sunday	6 SEPTEMBER	9.00am 9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey Mass, Ugbrooke (<i>People of the Parish</i>)	
Monday	7 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Tuesday	8 SEPTEMBER	10.00am	THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED MARY (<i>Andrew and Mary Dahl RIP</i>)	FEAST
Wednesday	9 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Thursday	10 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Friday	11 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Saturday	12 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Sunday	13 SEPTEMBER	9.00am 9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>People of the Parish</i>) Mass, Ugbrooke	

****NEW** TODAY! COFFEE and TEA in the PARISH HALL after Mass.**
Please join us, your company is very welcome!

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.

*****NEW*** EDUCATION SUNDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER:** At the heart of our Diocese is Plymouth CAST, a family of 34 Catholic schools and one nursery spanning Cornwall, Devon, and Dorset. The Trust exists to ensure that our young people flourish in environments that are safe, happy, and intellectually stimulating. As state-funded academies, Plymouth CAST schools provide a high-quality Catholic education that is free and accessible to all families. Education Sunday reminds us to celebrate and give thanks to all involved in making Catholic schools places of enlightenment and to pray for teachers, catechists and all who share what God has done.

NEXT WEEKEND - MASS FOR MARRIAGE SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12th: Please join us at our Celebration of Marriage, at midday in the Cathedral.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK: 9th September: St Peter Claver (1581-1654) A native of Catalonia in Spain, he became a Jesuit and went out as a missionary to South America in 1610. There in what is now Columbia he started to minister to the slaves being brought over from Africa in dreadful conditions. He declared himself the slave of the negro slaves and despite much opposition from slave owners he championed their cause and devoted himself for many years to their welfare both spiritual and temporal. He is said to have personally instructed and baptised over 300,000 slaves.

*****NEW*** 2027 YEARBOOKS:** If you would like a Diocesan Yearbook, please add your name to the list at the back of church, or let Alice know before the 14th September.

*****NEW*** NEW PRIESTS:** At the request of Bishop Nicholas Hudson, the Catholic Diocese of Orlu, Nigeria, has granted permission for two of her priests to undertake ministry within the Diocese of Plymouth. One priest, Fr. Brian Ukomadu, is expected to arrive on the 7th of September, while the second priest will join us at a later date following the approval of his visa. On behalf of our parish community, we extend a warm and heartfelt welcome to Fr. Brian Ukomadu as he prepares to begin his journey with us. Both priests will spend a period of inculturation within the parish before receiving a specific pastoral assignment from the Diocese. We look forward to welcoming them and supporting them as they begin their ministry among us, and we thank Bishop Nicholas for his initiative in fostering this collaboration between our dioceses.

FR ANTHONY'S CEREMONY AT PLYMOUTH CATHEDRAL ON 21ST SEPTEMBER - please book your seat if you would like to travel by coach. The cost is £15 per person. The coach will leave promptly at 5.30pm and drop us a few hundred yards from the entrance to the cathedral (the coach is too big to drop us outside the main entrance). Payments by cash or cheque (made payable to St Joseph's Parish) can be handed to the clergy or into the office. If you would like to pay by bank transfer the details are Natwest Account Number 05447216 Sort Code 541039 Name on Account PRCDTR Newton Abbot. Please ensure that you let the parish know that your payment has been made. If you need Alice or Caroline (Parish Secretary) to add your name to the list please contact the office or speak to a member of the clergy as there will be only one list at St Joseph's to avoid confusion.

****NEW** FR ANTHONY'S PARISH CELEBRATION ON 26TH SEPTEMBER.** You are warmly invited to come along for an evening of celebration! We would love you to join us in the Parish Hall at St Joseph's on Saturday, 26th September from 7.00pm as we celebrate the installation of Fr Anthony. It will be a wonderful opportunity for our parish community to come together, enjoy each other's company and celebrate this occasion. We will also be able to present a cheque for all the donations you have so kindly given in order to purchase a piece of equipment for St Perpetua Hospital. Please bring along a dish of food to share, something savoury/sweet, all contributions welcome! We look forward to celebrating together and making it a special evening for Fr Anthony. If you would like to make a donation a collection basket is now available at the back of church. For those wishing to pay by cheque please make it payable to Seed of Success Children's Foundation. BACS payments can be made to Seed of Success Children's Foundation, Lloyds Bank, Sort code - 30-54-66 Account number - 33710268. Please use the reference 'Installation' on all BACS payments so that we are able to differentiate between a general donation and a donation for Fr Anthony's installation gift. Thank you for your generosity and for helping us mark Fr Anthony's installation in such a special and meaningful way.

*****NEW*** UNBOUND: FREEDOM IN CHRIST PRAYER CONFERENCE. Buckfast Abbey, Saturday Oct 31 & Dec 1, 2026.** A weekend immersion in the inspirational teaching of UNBOUND Deliverance Ministry. A safe, gentle and non-confrontational freedom and inner healing ministry model which helps people reclaim their true identity in Christ. Come and join us as we unpack each of the key themes of the ministry; Repentance & Faith, Forgiveness, Renunciation, Authority, and the Father's Blessing. With an opportunity for a personal prayer session and the chance to claim true freedom in Christ. Weekend tickets from £65.

To book [UNBOUND Freedom in Christ Prayer Retreat. Buckfast Abbey, Devon – Fill in form](#)
Call or email Michele Thompson, Officer for Evangelisation for more information 07940 453607
michele.thompson@predtr.org.uk

For more information on Unbound Ministry please follow the link: <https://www.unboundprayer.com/>

CARE FOR CREATION – A SPECIAL YEAR: The Year of St Francis 2026 marks the 800th anniversary of St Francis of Assisi's death in 1226. Pope Leo XIV declared that it will be a special Year of St Francis in which we are all called to become saints in our world, following St Francis' example. We are called to model a holiness of life and witness to peace. The Season of Creation is a global ecumenical celebration of prayer and action to protect our common home, starting each year on 1 September and finishing on the feast of St Francis, 4 October.

FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH FR ANTHONY OR FR GEORGE

please contact St Joseph's Parish Office 01626 365231 or email newtonabbot@predtr.org.uk



COLLECTIONS: for August – Loose: £552.25 Standing Orders: £1001 *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 07354 315871. The Diocese of Plymouth's Safeguarding Team is available on 01364 645430 or by email on safeguarding@predtr.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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