



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 30 TH AUGUST				
TWENTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME			Year A	
Sunday	30AUGUST	9.00am 9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>People of the Parish</i>) Mass, Ugbrooke	
Monday	31 AUGUST	NO MASS		
Tuesday	1 SEPTEMBER	10.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>Fr George Nwadike</i>)	
Wednesday	2 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Thursday	3 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS	ST GREGORY THE GREAT	FEAST
Friday	4 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Saturday	5 SEPTEMBER	NO MASS		
Sunday	6 SEPTEMBER	9.00am 9.00am	Mass, Bovey Tracey Mass, Ugbrooke (<i>People of the Parish</i>)	

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.

TODAY: GRATEFUL HEARTS – SERVING OTHERS – Putting All Children First: the annual appeal of the Catholic Children's Society. Please give generously today towards the work of the Catholic Children's Society and keep them and their beneficiaries in your prayers. Your love, kindness and generosity will make a difference to many children and their families. Thank you so much and please remember to Gift Aid your donation if you can! You can also donate on the giving machine at the back of church or by scanning the QR code on the poster in the porch.

*****NEW***WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CREATION:** Pope Francis established 1 September as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, encouraging the Catholic community around the world to pray for our common home. The theme that Pope Leo XIV has chosen for 2026 is taken from Isaiah 2:4: "They shall beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks". This World Day of Prayer falls at the beginning of the Season of Creation, which runs until 4 October, the feast of St Francis of Assisi. This is an ecumenical season dedicated to prayer for the protection of creation and the promotion of sustainable lifestyles. Why not take some time out of your day on the 1st of September to walk in your local park or take a few moments to thank God for the flowers growing in your garden?

MASS FOR MARRIAGE SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12th: Please join us at our Celebration of Marriage, at midday in the Cathedral. The Celebrant will be Bishop Nicholas. Marriage enriches us all; all are welcome, including those whose spouses are no longer with them here. Let us know your anniversaries or intentions, or your planned wedding date. For more information, please contact deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

SAINTS OF THE WEEK: 31st August: St Aidan (d 651) Aidan was a monk of the Irish monastery of Iona sent to revive missionary work in the North of Anglo-Saxon England. He established his headquarters at Lindisfarne from which he made long and frequent journeys to introduce or revive Christianity in Northern England. Although very austere on himself, his gentleness with others attracted many converts. In this he was helped by very close relationships with the powerful Kings of Northumbria. He was far sighted enough to take care to choose and train up native English boys to be future priests and leaders in their own land.

3rd September: St Gregory the Great, was the Pope of the Catholic Church between 590 and 604 AD. Gregory was born around 540 to a Roman family of wealth and influence, but entered monastic life, establishing a monastery on his family estate. He was the first pope from a monastic background. He is known for instituting the first recorded large-scale mission from Rome, the Gregorian mission, to convert the then largely pagan Anglo-Saxons to Christianity and is honoured, along with Augustine, Jerome and Ambrose, as one of the four Great Latin Church Fathers

MESSAGE FROM THE CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (PLYMOUTH): Have you considered joining our Board of Trustees who meet four times a year? This is a voluntary position both rewarding and challenging. We need interest, energy and enthusiasm from our trustees to sustain and maintain the charity. Our trustees have a wealth of experience but we would love some new people to join our Board. The meetings are in Ashburton on Mondays, but it is possible to attend some via teams. We would love our new trustees to be more involved and rather than just attending board meetings, perhaps visiting schools and attending Deanery meetings and other parish meetings to talk about the invaluable work we do to help families. If you would like to join us at our next Board meeting to meet everyone and see whether it is something you might enjoy being a part of, please email ccs@ccsplymouth.org.uk or call 01364 645420.

****NEW** 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 by indicating on the list at the back of the church how you have made the payment. **WE HAVE A LIMITED NUMBER OF SEATS AVAILABLE SO PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU GET YOUR SEAT BOOKED ASAP. TO AVOID CONFUSION, WE ARE ONLY USING ONE LIST WHICH WILL BE AT THE BACK OF ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH ONLY.** 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.

Celebrating Fr Anthony's Installation As part of our celebrations for the installation of Fr Anthony, we are raising money to purchase much-needed equipment for St Perpetua Hospital in Nigeria. We know that this would be a truly meaningful gift for Fr Anthony and a wonderful way for us, as a parish community, to celebrate this special occasion by turning our generosity into something that will make a real and lasting difference. Your kindness and generosity will help provide essential equipment and support the dedicated staff at St Perpetua Hospital, helping them to continue providing vital care to patients and their families. Collection boxes/baskets are now available at the back of our churches. 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. The monies raised will be presented to Fr Anthony during our parish celebration on 26th September at St Joseph's, to which you are all invited, details to follow.

CARITAS NEWSLETTER: the august edition can be found here: <https://tinyurl.com/2rxsuy2z>

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 July – Loose: £456.16 Standing Orders: £1000.60 *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@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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