

SUNDAY READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & COFFEE TEAM

READERS
 SAT 05 OCTOBER 6.00PM A BARTLETT/J BEACROFT
 SUN 06 OCTOBER 11.30AM SOPHIA/J JONES

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
 SAT 05 OCTOBER 6.00PM P EVANS/A RODGERS
 SUN 06 OCTOBER 10.30AM M & L BRIONES/S WILLMOTT/J CLAY

COFFEE TEAM
 SUN 06 OCTOBER CWL



PARISHES OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY ABBEY ROAD

76 Abbey Road, Torquay, TQ2 5NJ.

AND HOLY ANGELS CHELSTON

Queensway, Chelston, TQ2 6BP

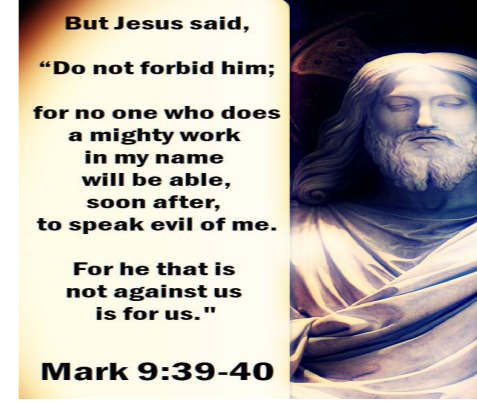
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But Jesus said,
 "Do not forbid him;
 for no one who does
 a mighty work
 in my name
 will be able,
 soon after,
 to speak evil of me.
 For he that is
 not against us
 is for us."
Mark 9:39-40

Jubilee photography project

As we prepare for the year of Jubilee, Caritas Diocese of Plymouth would like to invite you to reflect on **Care for Creation** and how we live this out in our churches and communities today. To explore this issue Caritas would like to collect and share photographs by parishioners, of people and places in the diocese. We would like to explore three themes that call to mind the reflected glory of the Lord in the beautiful world we are asked to care for. The themes are **Beauty, Good Choices** and **Humanity**. To find out more please follow the link <https://wp.me/paTncV-a2d>



Dear Bonus Ball Supporter,

The renewal of the next session is now due. We hope you enjoy the possibility of winning, a cash prize with your own unique number. Prizes continue to be won on a regular basis, so come on in & join the fun! **New members are very welcome.** Besides the fun of winning, church funds are supported. For the next six months the cost of £26 can be paid, by cheque made payable to " Church of the Assumption " & given to Joy Wells or Richard Hider. You can make a transfer, from your account. To the following Nat. West Bank, **sort 55-70-01, account 06001009.**

St Rita's Centre Honiton, East Devon

Ignatian silent and individually guided retreats available locally in the Plymouth Diocese for Advent 2024.

Dec 6th – 8th (Fri – Sun) Weekend Retreat (£160)

Dec 6th - 10th (Fri – Tues) Extended Weekend Retreat (£280)

Dec 9th – 13th (Mon – Fri) Midweek Retreat (£275)

Dec 6th – 13th (Fri - Fri) 6-day retreat (£475)

SEE POSTER IN NARTHEX FOR FURTHER DETAILS

Parish Rooms Hire Charges

1. Main Hall and Kitchen £16 per hour (In house catering available with Beatrice Deloffre)

2. Upper Hall (Refreshment facilities) £10 per hour.

Parishioners 1/3 off listed prices. All hirers will sign a contract that must be strictly adhered to.

All hall bookings to be made via Joy Wells - Parish Office Tues to Fri 9.30 to 12.30

Torbay Community Helpline - One call, that's all

To volunteer, request or refer for help in Torbay:

Call – 01803 446022 |

Online form – bit.ly/torbayhelpline

Lines open: Mon-Fri, 10am-6pm and Sat, 11:30am-

Sun 29	MASS HOLY ANGELS 8.30am 9.00am Holy Mass Assumption 10.30am 3.00pm	26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Confessions People & parishes Michael, Mary, Sean, Eileen, Sr John & Sr Teresa Hanley R.I.P. Christopher Wells R.I.P. Intentions of Carolyne & Richard Saddington Adoration
Mon 30	NO MASS	
Tue 01	Holy Mass Assumption 10.00am	St Therese of the Child Jesus Deacon Tony Irwin R.I.P.
Wed 02	Holy Mass Assumption 9.30am 10.00am	The Holy Guardian Angels Morning Prayer Rev Philip Dyson R.I.P.
Thur 03	Holy Mass Assumption 9.30am	Private Intention
Fri 04	Holy Mass Assumption 10.00am	St Francis of Assisi Holy Souls
Sat 05	Holy Mass Assumption 10.00am 6.00pm	People & Parishes Eileen O'Neill R.I.P.
Sun 06	MASS HOLY ANGELS 8.30am 9.00am Holy Mass Assumption 10.30am	Confessions People & parishes Azavedo, Abigail & Family

OFFERINGS 22/09 /24	
GIFT AID	£202.00
LOOSE PLATE	£415.22

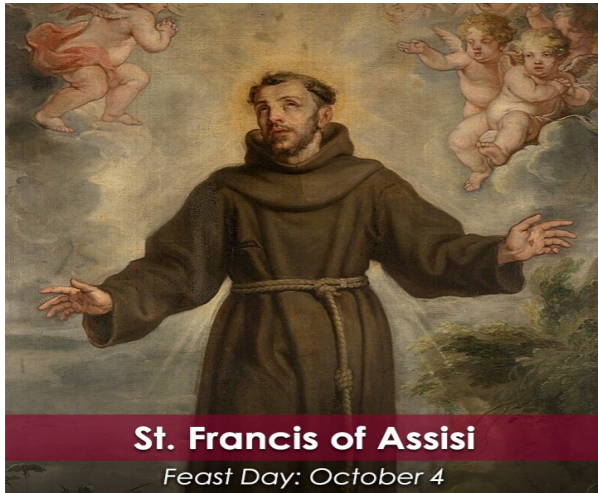
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FOR
MICHAEL, MARY, SEAN, EILEEN,
SR JOHN & SR TERESA HANLEY R.I.P.

READINGS THIS WEEK

First reading
Numbers 11:25-29
Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 18:8, 10, 12-14
The precepts of the Lord gladden the heart.
Second reading
James 5:1-6.
Gospel
Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

READINGS NEXT WEEK

First reading
Genesis 2:18-24
Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 127
May the Lord bless us all the days of our life.
Second reading
Hebrews 2:9-11.
Gospel
Mark 10:2-16



Prayer of St. Francis
Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
Where there is injury, pardon;
Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope;
Where there is darkness, light;
Where there is sadness, joy.

Oh Divine Master,
grant that I may not so much seek
To be consoled as to console;
To be understood as to understand;
To be loved as to love;
For it is in giving that we receive;
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;
And it is in dying
that we are born to Eternal Life.
Amen

'I Was Sick & You Visited Me.'

Please pray for the sick & housebound

Jillian Browning, Jennifer Cayanar, Simon Thomas, Siobhan Berryman, Ann Fisher, Alan Sanders, Julie Hooker, Jacqui Hoath, Roy Bezzina, Doreen Smyth, Virginia Williams, Maureen Vine, Leslie Richardson, Janet Margetts, Barbara Hynes, Peter Watkinson, Hilary & Kevin Johns, Mr Con Allen, Alex Beacroft, Helen, Sr Damian, Sr Cosmas, Tony Evans, John Fear, Bernard Hynes, William Baxter, John Adams, Julie & John Evans. Call Julia 297960 to add /omit .

Pope's Intentions for the month of October
For A Share Mission - Let us pray that the Church continue to sustain a synodal lifestyle in every way, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, communion and mission shared by priests, religious and laity.

Question of the Week

Adults: What proof is there in the world that people accept Jesus' teaching on power and ambition?

Children: Why is the wanting the things that belong to others wrong?



CRAFT CLUB - 2.00pm
NEXT MEETINGS TUES 1st OCTOBER



Prayer Breakfasts
Next Prayer Breakfast Sat 5th OCTOBER



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
NEXT MEETING THURSDAY OCTOBER 10TH



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022/2023
MEETING FOR CHILDREN AND PARENTS
THURSDAY 17TH OCTOBER
6PM IN THE MAIN HALL

Drina is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom ROSARY meeting.

Rosary Meeting every Wednesday at 6.00p.m. Greenwich Mean Time

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77657578466?pwd=6Ha41VBp9pn1g31MBzBwS_TMPHeI2v.1

Meeting ID 776 5757 8466 Password 3cGZSb



SR BENIGNUS IS RESUMING GUITAR LESSONS

"Guitar classes continue on Wednesday at 5pm in the parish hall".

Own guitar essential.



CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY

As we thank our Heavenly Father for the bounty of our harvest, our thoughts and prayers turn to our neighbours in countries where droughts, climate change and conflict have devastated harvests and the struggle to survive is desperate. We are acutely aware that, with rising costs, we are forced to make difficult choices in a world where the challenges seem greater than ever. With your support and through God's grace, we endeavour to help our sisters and brothers globally.

OUR ASSUMPTION PARISH FAST DAY WILL BE ON FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER, WITH MASS AT 12 NOON AND A FRUGAL SOUP LUNCH AFTERWARDS. Suggested donation £5 please. Holy Angels parishioners please do come and join us!! Harvest Fast Day collections will take place at masses on the weekend of October 12th/13th. Please take an envelope the weekend of October 5th/6th, and gift aid if you can. There will be a QR reader option to donate online, if preferred. Alternatively, please give on cafod.org.uk/give/appeal

Thank you for your prayers and your loyal support for CAFOD over many years.

RCIA: Journey in Faith "Come and see".

As a non-Catholic, are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Do you know anyone who is asking questions about the Catholic Church? ...or who is thinking about becoming Catholic? An introductory meeting will be held on Thursday, 3rd October 2024 from 6.30-7.30pm in the Parish Centre (refreshments from 6pm). Dates of future meetings will be provided. No commitment is required. A warm welcome awaits.



NEXT SUNDAY LUNCH!

OUR NEXT SUNDAY LUNCH WILL BE OCTOBER 20th.

Two Courses and Coffee £16

PLEASE BOOK AND PAY IN ADVANCE AT THE PARISH OFFICE

Dei Verbum - the Word of God: "How can we know anything about God with certainty? Why should we trust what the Church tells us about God? How do we make sense of the Bible?" In preparing for the Jubilee year 2025, Pope Francis has asked us to explore the key documents of Vatican II and one of those documents is Dei Verbum. The day will take place at Schiller Hall, **Buckfast Abbey on Saturday 19th October** !0am (tea/coffee) 10.30-3pm. (Mas at 12noon) To reserve a place contact: deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk OR <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=ImGab5THgECYLxFSFnRjD76Dtpj19ZZEhXH6wK1wfpjUOTVVMzY3SUg0UUE0RE85Mk1DUVpGVlpBSS4u>