

PARISHES OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY ABBEY ROAD

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SUNDAY READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & COFFEE TEAM

READERS

SAT 12 OCTOBER 6.00PM J GIAMPAGLIA/ A KRASNOPOLSKI

SUN 13 OCTOBER 11.30AM LILLY/D BROWNING

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT 12 OCTOBER 6.00PM M WATTS/DRINA NUNES

SUN 13 OCTOBER 10.30AM M HAWKE/S KOWAL/J SANDERS/L BETTESWORTH

COFFEE TEAM

SUN 13 OCTOBER GIAMPAGLIA FAMILY

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

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.

(Mass at 12noon) To reserve a place contact: deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk OR

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OFFERINGS 29/09 /24	
GIFT AID	£376.10
LOOSE PLATE	£132.00



Sun 06	<u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u> 8.30am 9.00am <u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.30am 3.00pm	<u>27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> <i>Confessions</i> <i>People & parishes</i> <i>Azavedo, Abigail & Family</i> <i>Holy Rosary For Peace in the World</i>
Mon 07	NO MASS	
Tue 08	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am	<i>Mrs Penny Taylor R.I.P.</i>
Wed 09	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 9.30am 10.00am	<u>St John Henry Newman</u> <i>Morning Prayer</i> <i>Private Intention</i>
Thur 10	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 9.30am	<u>St Denis</u> <i>Intentions of Teresa Bell</i>
Fri 11	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> <u>12 NOON</u>	<u>St John XX111</u> CAFOD <i>Followed by Fast Day Lunch</i>
Sat 12	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am 6.00pm	<i>For an end to War and Violence in the world.</i> <i>Followed by Confessions, Adoration & Benediction</i> <i>Intentions of Drina</i>
Sun 13	<u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u> 8.30am 9.00am <u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.30am	<i>Confessions</i> <i>People & parishes</i> <i>For an end to War and Violence in the world.</i>

The Holy Father asks that Monday 7th October, the memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary, to be a day of fasting and prayer for peace in the world. In addition, the Holy Father will recite the Holy Rosary on Sunday at the Basilica of Sta Maria Maggiore. We have been asked to do the same. Therefore **this Sunday afternoon 6th October,** the Rosary will be recited as requested by the Holy Father, and take the place of 'Adoration'. Invoking **Our Lady Queen of Peace,** and uniting our prayer with that of the Pope.

READINGS THIS 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

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Saint John Henry Newman's Prayer

God created me to do Him some definite service; He has committed some work to me which He has not committed to another...

I have my mission - I may never know it in this life, but I shall be told in the next...

Therefore, I will trust Him...

If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve Him; if I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve Him...

He does nothing in vain. He may prolong my life, He may shorten it, He knows what He is about.

'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, Anna, 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 keeps me from embracing the Kingdom of God?

Children: How do I feel when I hear the stories of God's love?



CRAFT CLUB - 2.00pm
NEXT MEETINGS TUES 8th OCTOBER

RCIA: Journey in Faith "Come and see".

As a non-Catholic, are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church?

Next RCIA session:

Thursday 24th October.
Refreshments available from 6pm, session from 6.15-7.15 in the Parish Centre.

No commitment is required.
A warm welcome awaits.



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.



Episcopal Installation

The date for Bishop-elect Philip Moger's Installation as Diocesan Bishop is Saturday 9 November at the Cathedral Church of St Mary and St Boniface, Plymouth.

Each parish has been allocated 2 places. Fr Ignatius will hold a ballot at the end of Mass on 20th October. If you wish your name to be included in the "Raffle" for the 2 places please leave your name and phone number on the sheet at the back of the church



HARVEST SUPPER

BEATRICE WILL BE SERVING A HARVEST SUPPER AFTER THE 6.00PM MASS ON SATURDAY 12TH OCTOBER
£10 PER PERSON - BRING YOUR OWN WINE
IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND PLEASE SEE BEATRICE OR JOY

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

