

**SUNDAY READERS , EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & COFFEE TEAM**

**READERS**

SAT 08 FEBRUARY 6.00PM MIM/R HIDER  
 SUN 09 FEBRUARY 10.30AM PATRICE/R PAICE

**EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

SAT 08 FEBRUARY 6.00PM A RODGERS/DRINA  
 SUN 09 FEBRUARY 10.30AM S KOWAL/J BROWNING/S WILLMOTT/L BETTESWORTH

**COFFEE TEAM**

SUN 09 FEBRUARY SALLY & MARIA



**PARISHES OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY ABBEY ROAD**

76 Abbey Road, Torquay, TQ2 5NJ.

**AND HOLY ANGELS CHELSTON**

Queensway, Chelston, TQ2 6BP

Presbytery: 01803 294142 **Office: 411193** (9.30to 12.30 Tues to Fri)

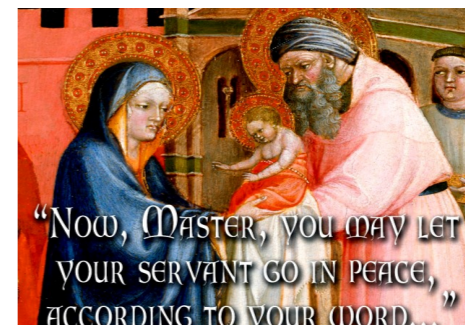
Parish Priest: **Fr Ignatius Maria Joseph**. Deacon: Rev Robert Giampaglia E-mail: robgiampaglia@sky.com

Parish Secretary: Mrs Joy Wells. Safeguarding Reprs Assumption: Andrea Rodgers & Bernadette Hattersley

Safeguarding Reprs Holy Angels: Margaret Carson & Andrew Fiderkiewicz

Parish Website: www.assumptionofourlady.org E-mail: torquay-abbeyroad@prcdtr.org.uk

Diocesan Website: www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk



**SAFEGUARDING**



**An invitation to survivors**

We have two survivor groups in the diocese that have now been running for over a year, which provide an opportunity for anyone with lived experience of abuse to share their thoughts and ideas about survivor support work in our diocese. We are grateful to all those who so generously give of their time to attend these meetings. The diocese would welcome the opportunity to hear from others who have a lived experience of abuse, so that we can involve them in the work we are doing to support survivors. If you would like to help us with this work, or you would like to find out more, please contact: Sophie Scagell (Survivor Support Caseworker) on 01364 645436 / [sophie.scagell@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:sophie.scagell@prcdtr.org.uk)

**CAMERAS BEING USED IN CHURCH**

There is a policy in the parish forbidding the use of photography in our church. This is to protect children in particular, as there may be children who cannot have their photos taken for safeguarding reasons.



**Our Lady of Lourdes' Feast Day - Tuesday 11th February**

"The World Day for the Sick"

**A special Mass will be held at The Assumption, Abbey Road, Torquay TQ2 5NJ.**

At 6.00pm

**All are welcome especially all Marian Pilgrims, Friends & Families**

Organised by HCPT & followed by a short talk

on the Cause for the Canonisation of Br Michael Strode RIP, the founder of HCPT  
 Refreshments afterwards

**UNBOUND – a practical guide to deliverance and true Freedom in Christ.**

In this Jubilee year where Pope Francis has asked us to be "Pilgrims of Hope" this day will offer practical guidance on the spiritual battle of life and how inner healing and deliverance can give us true freedom in Christ. The day is being led by Sue Wash the National Co-ordinator of Unbound Prayer ministry UK. This event will be held at Buckfast Abbey conference centre on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February 10am-3pm. ( Dart View Room 4). There is an opportunity to go to the Abbey mass at noon.

Bookings need to be done through [plymouth-crownhill@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:plymouth-crownhill@prcdtr.org.uk) Enquiries: 01752 701660.

We look forward to seeing you.



**RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION BY INTINCTION IS NOT PERMITTED IN THIS DIOCESE.**

**PLEASE CONSUME THE HOST BEFORE RECEIVING THE PRECIOUS BLOOD**

**"Intinction" is the practice of dipping the consecrated host into the Precious Blood and then receiving the "intincted" host in Holy Communion.**

Sat 01	<b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.00am 5.30pm - 6pm 6.00pm	<b>Private Intention</b> <b>Rosary</b> <b>People &amp; Parishes.</b> <i>Fr Ignatius will be available for Confessions from 5.30pm to 6pm</i>
Sun 02	<b><u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u></b> 8.30am 9.00am <b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.30am	<b><u>THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD</u></b> <b><u>WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE</u></b> <b>Confessions</b> <b>People &amp; Parishes.</b>  <b>Liuda R.I.P.</b> <b>Private Intention</b>
Mon 03	<b><u>NO MASS</u></b>	
Tue 04	<b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.00am	<b>Phillippa McLoone &amp; Peter Long R.I.P.</b>
Wed 05	<b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 9.30am 10.00am	<b><u>St Agatha</u></b> <b>Morning Prayer</b> <b>Intentions of Charlotte Chabrat</b>
Thur 06	<b><u>NO MORNING MASS AT ASSUMPTION</u></b> <b><u>HOLY ANGELS</u></b> 6.30pm	<b><u>St Paul Miki &amp; Companions</u></b>  <b>Anniversary Mass Fr John Smethurst R.I.P.</b>
Fri 07	<b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.00am 10.30am	<b>Adoration</b> <b>Intentions of Charlotte Chabrat</b>
Sat 08	<b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.00am 5.30 - 6.00pm 6.00pm	<b>Margaret Glanvill R.I.P.</b> <b>Rosary</b> <b>Holy Souls</b>
Sun 09	<b><u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u></b> 8.30am 9.00am <b><u>Holy Mass Assumption</u></b> 10.30am	<b>Confessions</b> <b>People &amp; Parishes.</b>

**READINGS THIS WEEK**

First reading  
Malachi 3:1-4.  
Responsorial Psalm  
Psalm 24(23):7. 8. 9. 10.  
The Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.  
Second reading  
Hebrews 2:14-18  
Gospel  
Luke 2:22-40

**READINGS NEXT WEEK**

First reading  
Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8.  
Responsorial Psalm  
Psalm 138:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5, 7c-8.  
In the presence of the angels I praise you, O Lord.  
Second reading  
1 Corinthians 15:1-11  
Gospel  
Luke 5:1-11



In this special Jubilee Year of forgiveness & reconciliation, in which people are invited to come back into right relationship with God, with one another, and with all of creation, Plymouth Diocese has launched a new Pilgrims of Hope passport inviting pilgrims to visit four historically and spiritually significant churches in Cornwall, Devon, and Dorset:

- St Mary & St Boniface, Cathedral Church of Plymouth
- St Cuthbert Mayne, Launceston
- Holy Trinity, Dorchester
- The National Shrine of St Boniface in Cridton

Canon Paul Cummins, the Diocesan Administrator says: *“Whilst Rome is rightly the focus of Jubilee Years, the Pope has also asked every Diocese to designate certain places to be local centres of pilgrimage. During this year, we are encouraged to visit these places of pilgrimage and to spend some time in prayerful reflection there. In our Diocese, these places are the Cathedral in Plymouth, St Cuthbert Mayne Church in Launceston, the National Shrine of St Boniface in Cridton, and Holy Trinity Church in Dorchester. Pilgrim Passports have been distributed to all parishes, they give details of the pilgrim sites, and offer encouragement to you to visit them during the year if you are able. “May this Jubilee Year be for you a time of reflection, of new insight, and of a deepening of your relationship with the Lord. May our love be a witness to those who may feel lost or hopeless, and may it encourage them on their pilgrimage to find the way, the truth and the life.”*

**Passports are available from the parish office**

***‘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, Nkosi, Mr Con Allen, Alex Beacroft, Sr Damian, Sr Cosmas, Tony Evans, John Fear, Bernard Hynes, William Baxter, John Adams, Anna, Pat Long, Philip, Claire, Kathleen Rowlands, Stephen Fear, Harry Aldridge, Terry Treleaven & Julie Evans.  
Call Julia 297960 to add /omit .

***Pope’s Intentions for the month of February For The Terminally Ill - We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment..***

***Question of the Week***

**Adults:** What do you do when a message you are trying to deliver “falls on deaf ears?”

**Children:** Are there times when you have not listened as well as you could to what someone was telling you? Why didn’t you?



**CRAFT CLUB - 2.00pm**

**NEXT MEETINGS TUES 4th FEBRUARY**

**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 6th February.

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 FEBRUARY 13TH**



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024/2025**

**MEETING FOR CHILDREN ONLY**

**THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY**

**6PM IN THE MAIN HALL**



**Prayer Breakfasts**

**Next Prayer Breakfast Sat 1st MARCH**

**at 8.00am 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](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77657578466?pwd=6Ha41VBp9pn1g31MBzBwS_TMPHeI2v.1)**

**Meeting ID 776 5757 8466 Password 3cGZSb**



**SR BENIGNUS - GUITAR LESSONS**

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

**Own guitar essential.**

**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**

**NEXT SUNDAY LUNCH!**

**OUR NEXT SUNDAY LUNCH WILL BE FEBRUARY 23RD.**

**Two Courses and Coffee £16**

**PLEASE BOOK AND PAY IN ADVANCE AT THE PARISH OFFICE**



**Gather 2025 Jubilate**

A weekend of faith, formation and friendship, Fri 28<sup>th</sup> - Sun 30<sup>th</sup> March, Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay. Booking forms available from the parish office, email [plymouthgather@yahoo.com](mailto:plymouthgather@yahoo.com) for more information.

						<b>ASSUMPTION OFFERINGS 26/01/25</b>	
Date	Ball	BONUS Game1	BALL Amount	WINNERS Game 2	Amount		
05/10	19	A DWYER	£11.00	R/O		GIFT AID	£263.11
12/10	37	R/O		R/O		LOOSE PLATE	148.00
19/10	25	R/O		DR CANNIZZARO	£110.00		
26/10	13	FR COLIN	£33.00	M LECKIE	£10.00		
02/11	34	L RICHARDSON	£11.00	S FEAR	£10.00		
09/11	18	P WILLIAMS	£11.00	R HIDER	£10.00		
16/11	41	PF BROOM	£11.00	M HAWKE	£10.00		
						<b>HOLY ANGELS OFFERINGS 26/01/25</b>	
						GIFT AID	£32.00
						LOOSE PLATE	£52.20

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS - MARGARET GLANVILL WHO DIED RECENTLY. MARGARET WAS PREVIOUSLY A PARISHIONER HERE AT ASSUMPTION AND A VALUED MEMBER OF THE FLOWER TEAM.**

**MARGARET’S REQUIEM MASS WILL BE AT ST MARYCHURCH ON MONDAY 10TH FEBRUARY AT 11.30AM. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.**