

St Mary & St George, Totnes
Parish of the Sacred Heart, Kingsbridge
Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Salcombe

NewsLetter



Plymouth Diocese



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Safeguarding (Totnes)

Children and Vulnerable Adults
Parish Safeguarding Rep:
Carol Zollo 07790302822
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Accessibility (Totnes)

- Disabled access
 - Disabled toilet
 - Loop system
- Parking (Totnes)**
We have a car park at the back of the church.

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART

34 Fore St, Kingsbridge
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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA


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SIXTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME A1 PSALTER 4 23rd JULY 23

ST MARY & ST GEORGE				MASS INTENTIONS
SUNDAY 23RD JULY	MASS 	TOTNES	9.30AM	MARY RUTTER
TUESDAY 25TH JULY	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	SEAN MAYNARD RIP
THURSDAY 27TH JULY	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	MARINA BYRNE

SACRED HEART				MASS INTENTIONS
SUNDAY 23RD JULY	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	Jo Farrell from Ann & Philip Yates
FRIDAY 28TH JULY	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	10.15AM	Angela Johnson RIP

OUR LADY, STAR OF THE SEA				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 24TH JULY	MASS	SALCOMBE	5.00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

FEAST DAYS

22ND JULY ST MARY MAGDALENE
25TH JULY—FEAST OF ST JAMES

Seeds of Faith (TOTNES)

All welcome. If you would like more information please contact
Margaret Cushen cushen@tiscali.co.uk

TOTNES ADORATION—TUESDAYS AFTER MASS
Benediction, Rosary and Adoration for one hour.
You are welcome to call in anytime during the hour

KINGSBRIDGE ADORATION—ADORATION (THIRD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH)

On the third Sunday of each month (pastoral duties permitting) there
will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament immediately following

COFFEE AFTER MASS

Every Sundays & Thursday (TOTNES)
Every Sunday (KINGSBRIDGE)

CONFESSION

Please contact the Parish Secretary or speak to the Priest before Mass

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Prayers for the Sick Please Hold In Your Prayers: Segundo Vacas Sr, Christa Hawkins, Jill Gilboy, Robert M. Amil, Gary Dowland, Rita Zollo, David Hawking, Heather Wagstaff, Sarah Sparrow



ST MARY AND ST GEORGE

NEW CAFOD SALE

On Sunday there will be plums - cooking and eating - for sale for CAFOD.
Please remember to bring cash. *Frances.*

NEW FOOD BANK

A copy of much needed food items is available at the back of the church in the Narthex. Please be as generous as you can.
We appreciate your support.



CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART & OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

NEW SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Following a successful appeal in many of the churches in the Torbay Area we have identified some support and are planning to set up a new 'Conference' based at Sacred Heart in Kingsbridge.

As a Catholic Lay organisation, the SVP seeks to help anyone in need regardless of colour, creed, gender or ethnicity. Our members actively put into practice Christ's message to love our neighbour. They enrich their own personal spiritual lives by their involvement in this work.

If you consider you could use your personal skills to help others less fortunate in a truly proactive way and have a few hours each month available to give, please come to our first introductory meeting to be held at **Sacred Heart, Kingsbridge TQ7 1NY on Wednesday July 26th at 7:00pm.**

All are welcome to attend and learn more about becoming an SVP Member. If this timing is inconvenient, please feel free to contact either:

Joe on 07435 275821 or Chantal 07570 428070 for further information.

Should it not be possible for you to help in a practical manner please remember the SVP and the work of our members in your prayers so that with the guidance of the Holy Spirit we can continue to help the most marginalised and those in need of support in our community here in Torbay.

God bless

Chantal Kouadio-Tiacoh
Membership Support Officer
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27th August
CCSP Annual Appeal

10th September
Education Sunday

17th September
Evangelii Gaudium Sunday

8th October
CAFOD Harvest Fay Day

22nd October
World Mission Sunday

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*****NEW*** ONLINE DEGREE COURSE?**

If anyone is interested in online degree courses (Bachelor of Divinity and Licence in Divinity) with the Maryvale Institute there is an Online Open Evening, this Friday at 21 July at 6PM for all interested.

For more information or to register for the evening search
Maryvale Institute - HIRS Online Open Day: Friday 21st July 2023, 6.00pm

*****NEW*** YOUTH RALLY, 2023 SATURDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER, ST RITA'S HONITON - 12-18.00**

Join youth from across the diocese in fun, games and challenges at St Rita's Honiton. Are you ready for the infamous obstacle course? Or are a keen to score lots of goals in the penalty shoot out or netball challenge. They'll be bouncy castles, didi cars, sumo wrestling challenges and much more for you to have a go at. The event is open to anyone 7 years through to 16. You are encouraged to come as part of a parish/ school or group team or simply sign up and be placed in a team. The £8 contribution includes a BBQ and drinks. To book: <https://forms.office.com/e/L2jn7EwXfH> or contact Saskia for further information: youth@prcdtr.org.uk

ONLINE LUNCHTIME SESSION ON DEMENTIA AWARENESS

Tuesday 1st August 12 noon til 1pm

There are more than 850,000 people living with dementia in the UK today, with 81,000 in the South West. This number is predicted to double in the next 30 years and we will see this reflected in our congregations and communities. All our parishes will know someone living with dementia or caring for someone. You will already be providing pastoral care to people living with dementia and may already be taking steps to be a dementia friendly church. This one-hour introductory session is aimed at parish priests, secretaries, eucharistic ministers, pastoral workers and welcomers, members of SVP and all those whose lives are touched by dementia. It will focus on understanding dementia and the practical aspects of how to respond, but will also offer advice about resources to understand how to accompany those whose lives have been touched by dementia in their spiritual journey. People are welcome to bring their lunch and listen in. You are also welcome to join as a parish group. You can register here <https://forms.office.com/e/1DijnZkMQk>

SOCIAL JUSTICE RESIDENTIAL, 20TH - 22ND OCTOBER 2023, ST RITA'S HONITON

This residential is aimed at those preparing or have received confirmation (12-17). It is a chance to explore the Bishops Conference paper on **Love the Stranger**, thinking about those living in loneliness and what God asks us to do. The weekend will be jointly run with the **Columbans**. Some people with refugee and asylum status will be invited to talk about their experiences. For further information contact

Saskia: youth@prcdtr.org.uk Contact: 01364 645401

Diocesan News

NEW **DIPPING INTO THE CATECHISM - AUGUST 2023**

August inserts are now available from the Parish Secretary.

AN INVITATION TO SURVIVORS OF ABUSE

The diocese would very much appreciate hearing from people who have a lived experience of abuse, so that we can involve them in the work we are doing to support survivors. We would welcome the opportunity to hear survivors' feedback and ideas so that we can improve our response to those who have been hurt by abuse. If you think you might be able to help us in this work, or if you would like to find out more about what we are doing in the diocese to support survivors, please contact: Sophie Scagell (Survivor Support Caseworker) on 01364 645436 / sophie.scagell@prcdtr.org.uk

MARRIAGE MATTERS

18/07/23 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Listen to the person behind the words

Isaiah 55:10-11 Rom 8:18-23 Matthew 13:1-23

The stony ground is when we are too engrossed in the telly, reading or working on the computer to listen to our partner. The thorny ground is where we disengage with such but not wanting real involvement, suggest a cuppa as a diversion. We are called to be fertile ground by real listening – hold hands, look in each other's eyes.



PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER, POPE FRANCIS, JULY 2023

Love is the answer, as the Bible portrays since millennia! Can Church, religions, and modern nations review all scriptures, for why all these wars?

POPE FRANCIS @PONTIFEX

Let us imagine a seed: it is tiny, barely visible, but it makes plants grow that bear fruit. The Word of God is thus: think of the Gospel, a small book, simple and within reach of all, that produces new life in those who receive it. [#GospelOfToday](#) (Mt 13:1-23).

COUNSELLING HELPLINE IN PLYMOUTH DIOCESE

This is not a Coronavirus helpline – for any questions regarding COVID-19 please go to NHS 111. However, you may find the counselling helpline useful in other circumstances. It can be used for yourself, by family residing at the same address and for clergy. It is provided through our Catholic Insurance Service; it is the Cigna Scheme for the Dioceses of England. The Scheme number is 70258. Phone: 0330 0580960, press option 5 for the Counselling Service. It is completely confidential.

