

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  
Saskia Hogbin 07796950724

### 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

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### OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

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## SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME A1 PSALTER 1 30TH JULY

ST MARY & ST GEORGE				MASS INTENTIONS
SUNDAY 30TH JULY	MASS 	TOTNES	9.30AM	BARRY SKEFFINGTON RIP
TUESDAY 1ST AUG	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	JOHN McCORRY RIP
THURSDAY 3RD AUG	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	PATRICK WORTHY RIP

SACRED HEART				MASS INTENTIONS
SUNDAY 30TH JULY	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
FRIDAY 4TH AUG	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	10.15AM	

OUR LADY, STAR OF THE SEA				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 29TH JULY	MASS	SALCOMBE	5.00PM	

### Seeds of Faith (TOTNES)

All welcome. If you would like more information please contact  
Margaret Cushen [cushen@tiscali.co.uk](mailto: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



PLEASE NOTE FR JAROMIR WILL BE AWAY FROM 7TH AUGUST TO 2ND SEPTEMBER. DURING THIS PERIOD THERE WILL ONLY BE WEEKEND MASSES IN OUR PARISH. WE ARE PLEASED TO CONFIRM THAT FR DOMINIC FROM BUCKFAST ABBEY WILL BE OUR SUPPLY PRIEST AND WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO MEETING HIM. WE THANK HIM MOST SINCERELY FOR COVERING OUR MASSES.

FOR ST MARY AND ST GEORGE CHURCH WE WILL HAVE ROSARY AND EXPOSITION ON TUESDAYS AT 10AM AND SERVICE OF THE WORD ON THURSDAYS AT 10AM

## ST MARY AND ST GEORGE

### **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.

### **\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* GARDEN POTS AVAILABLE**

Would anybody be interested in purchasing the pots that are currently at the back of the church. Take a look and speak to Liz Allott if you would like to make an offer.

### **\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* CARDS FOR SALE**

We now have cards for sale in the Narthex. Please take a look as we have a lovely selection. All cards are £1. Please put money in the 'Books and Papers' box. Thank you.

**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**

## **\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* WORLD DAY AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS 2023**

The 30<sup>th</sup> July is the annual World Day Against Trafficking in Persons. The aim of the day is to raise awareness of trafficking and to call upon governments, law enforcement, public services and society to improve their efforts to prevent trafficking by identifying and supporting victims. The theme this year is to, 'Reach every victim of trafficking, leave no one behind'.

For more information about trafficking and modern day slavery, and how to notice the signs that this is taking place please visit:

<https://www.unseenuk.org/about-modern-slavery/spot-the-signs/>

If you would like support, or you are concerned about someone else, please contact:

The Safeguarding Office – Call 01364 645430 between Monday to Friday, 9:00am to 4:30pm.

Unseen – A UK charity that provides safe houses and support in the community for survivors of trafficking and modern slavery. 24/7 Modern Slavery and Exploitation Helpline: 08000 121 700; Website: <https://www.unseenuk.org/working-with-survivors/>

## **YOUTH RALLY, 2023 SATURDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> 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](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk)

## **ONLINE LUNCHTIME SESSION ON DEMENTIA AWARENESS**

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> 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, 20<sup>TH</sup> - 22<sup>ND</sup> 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](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk) Contact: 01364 645401

# Diocesan News

## **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](mailto:sophie.scagell@prcdtr.org.uk)

### **MARRIAGE MATTERS**

**27/07/23 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

**Discover what loving really means**

**1 Kings 3:5, 7-12 Rom 8:28-30 Matt 13:44-52**

Instead of praying for 'treasure', King Solomon prayed for wisdom 'to discern good from evil'. When discerning what 'loving' really means, you find 'hidden treasure' in these weekly reflections on Scripture. They will also help you to discover the 'hidden treasure' in each other. Sharing this, you sow 'seeds' of love in the minds and hearts of others.



## **PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER, POPE FRANCIS, AUGUST 2023**

**For World Youth Day**

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

### **POPE FRANCIS @PONTIFEX**

Thousands of migrants from the northern part of Africa have been trapped and abandoned in desert areas for weeks. I appeal in particular to European and African heads of State to provide urgent relief and aid to these brothers and sisters.

### **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.

