

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

NewsLetter

May is the
Month of Mary



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

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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

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SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER B PSALTER 2

SUNDAY 5TH MAY 2024

				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 4th MAY	MASS THE ENGLISH MARTYRS	SALCOMBE	5PM	
SUNDAY 5TH MAY	MASS	TOTNES	9.30AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	
TUESDAY 7TH MAY	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	MARY RUTTER
WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY	VIGIL OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD MASS	SALCOMBE	5PM	
THURSDAY 9TH MAY	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD MASS	TOTNES	9.30AM	
	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	GEORGE, YOLA & FAMILY
FRIDAY 10TH MAY	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	10.15AM	

FEAST DAYS

SATURDAY 4TH MAY THE ENGLISH MARTYRS

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 the 11.30am Mass

CONFESSION

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

COFFEE AFTER MASS

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

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, Denis Owen, Martin Holland, Idris Evans, Danny Simmons, Anita Doonan

PARISH NEWS



DIARY DATES

PLEASE NOTE NEXT WEEKEND IS THE COLLECTION FOR WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

ST MARY AND ST GEORGE

NEW TOTNES CHURCH CAR PARK

New numbered permits will be available from next weekend. They will be in named envelopes at the back of the church. We have some glue dots for you to use to stick them to your windscreen or dashboard, if you want to. Please ensure your permit is visibly displayed in your car windscreen when you're using the car park. If you change your registration number please speak to Caroline in the parish office and we will issue a new permit to you. Thank you.

PLEASE REMEMBER, OVERNIGHT PARKING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED AND THE BARRIER MAY BE LOCKED AT NIGHT.

ROSARY ON THE COAST

On Saturday May 11th the South Devon SPUC Branch are holding Rosary on the Coast at 11am at Corbyn Head, Torquay.

Full details are on the poster in the narthex.

NEW 50/50 CLUB DRAW

Our first 50/50 club draw will take place on Sunday 12th May straight after Mass.

Details of your allocated number/s will be available next weekend.

If you're not able to attend please speak to Caroline in the office and she will send you the details of your number.

Good Luck and thank you so much for joining our club.

THE MONTH OF MAY



May is the month when we traditionally focus on Mary, the Mother of Jesus. The practice dates back at least 700 years and is still observed around the world today. May is seen as the beginning of new life and the start of summer, in Europe Asia, and North America, which makes this a logical time for the celebrations of Mary, who brought life into the world.

The month of May, a month which the piety of the faithful has long dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God. Our heart rejoices at the thought of the moving tribute of faith and love which will soon be paid to the Queen of Heaven in every corner of the earth. For this is the month during which Christians, in their churches and their homes, offer the Virgin Mother more fervent and loving acts of homage and veneration; and it is the month in which a greater abundance of God's merciful gifts comes down to us from our Mother's throne.

We are delighted and consoled by this pious custom associated with the month of May, which pays honour to the Blessed Virgin and brings such rich benefits to the Christian people. Since Mary is rightly to be regarded as the way by which we are led to Christ, the person who encounters Mary cannot help but encounter Christ likewise.

12th May
World Comm's Sunday
Collection

19th May
Sick and
Retired Clergy Collection

16th June
Day for Life Collection

30th June
Peter's Pence Collection



13th July (AM)
Rowcroft Hospice
Fundraising
(More Details to Follow)
Music and cake sale in
presbytery garden

14th July
Sea Sunday Collection

25th August
CCSP Annual Appeal

8th September
Education Sunday

15th September
Evangelii Gaudium
Sunday

6th October CAFOD
Harvest Fay Day

20th October World
Mission Sunday

Diocesan News

Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)

MAKE A WILL, MAKE A DIFFERENCE – IT'S A GOOD IDEA!

Our first CCSP Wills Week – w/c 17 June 2024

Do you know how much difference a small legacy of £250 could make? It could pay for a washing machine or cooker. £2,500 could support the applications from families to our Essential Grants programme for a whole month. Think what difference a legacy of £25,000 could make!

To request more information, or to book an appointment to make a simple will with a member of the team from ~~Tozers~~ in one of their offices, please email enquiries@tozers.co.uk or call 01392 207020. Please allow up to 5 working days for a response.

WE NEED YOU!

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

A number of parishes have stepped forward and now have a Parish Volunteer in place to help us with our fundraising.

A Parish Volunteer pack has been produced which details the ladder of involvement for you to choose from. If you would like a copy to see what's involved, please contact Vicki Dunstone by calling 01364 645420 or email vicki.dunstone@ccsplymouth.org.uk

'RISE TO OUR CAUSE' ON ASCENSION THURSDAY

Following the success of our first CCSP Ascension Day fundraiser last year at Buckfast Abbey, this year's 'Rise to Our Cause' event is being held at St Mary's in Poole on **Ascension Thursday, 9 May 2024**

The event starts at 12 noon with Holy Mass, followed by a buffet lunch before this year's Guest Speaker, the hugely popular David Wells.

Tickets are £10 – please call 01364 645420 or email vicki.dunstone@ccsplymouth.org.uk

2023 ANNUAL APPEAL GRAND TOTAL



Thank you to those parishes and individuals who donated to our 2023 Annual Appeal - 'Creating Hope for Families – Changing Lives'. Our biggest fundraiser of the year raised a fantastic **£17,199** compared to **£16,000** and **£14,500** in the previous years.

2024 DIARY DATES –

- Rise to Our Cause Ascension Day fundraiser – Thursday, 9 May at St Mary's in Poole
- Great Big Diocesan Quiz – Friday, 10 May
- Wills Week – w/c Monday, 17 June
- CCSP Annual Mass – Thursday, 20 June
- Non uniform day in schools – Friday, 21 June
- 2024 Annual Appeal – Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 August

The easiest and simplest way to donate to CCSP is to use your mobile phone's camera to scan this QR code, which takes you to our Give a Little campaign



SPRING 2024



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OFFERINGS VIA QR CODES



THANK YOU



Diocesan News

DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER

The latest edition of the Diocesan Newsletter is now available. Please visit the website below. If you would like the newsletter delivered by email, there is the opportunity to sign up for it. It's full of very interesting articles and keeps you up to date with all the events happening in the Diocese.

(plymouth-diocese.org.uk)

MARRIAGE MATTERS

30/04/24 Fifth Sunday in Easter (B)

Listening and discerning together

Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8

Jesus says: "Whoever remains in me bears fruit in plenty." Listening to Our Lord is essential for our fruitfulness. This can depend on how well we make the time to listen to each other, to discern together. Often God speaks to us through our spouse; some say 'the closer we are to each other, the closer we are to God'.

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The event will start with Holy Mass in the church at **12 noon**, followed by a buffet lunch in the church hall before this year's Guest Speaker, the hugely popular David Wells, who has talked at many events in the past all across the Diocese.

There will also be a raffle to help raise money for CCSP to continue to help families of all faiths and none.

Tickets are now on sale for £10 with all proceeds going towards helping vulnerable children and families living in our Diocese. To purchase your tickets, please use this link – <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/rise-to-our-cause-on-ascension-thursday-tickets-885443042977?aff=oddtcreator>

Or you can visit the events page of our website – www.ccsplymouth.org.uk

Alternatively, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the office on **01364 645420** or email andrea.rodgers@ccsplymouth.org.uk



PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER, POPE FRANCIS, MAY 2024

For the formation of religious and seminarians

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

POPE FRANCIS @PONTIFEX

The joy of the Gospel, when truly embraced, triggers in us the movement of discipleship. It provokes a real exodus from ourselves and sets us on a path to encounter the Lord and experience the fullness of life.

COUNSELLING HELPLINE IN PLYMOUTH DIOCESE

Phone: 0330 0580960, press option 5 for the Counselling Service. It is completely confidential.