

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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<https://totneskingsbridgerc.uk/>

## **ST MARY & ST GEORGE**



Station Road, Totnes, TQ9 5HW

### **Safeguarding (Totnes)**

Children and Vulnerable Adults

Parish Safeguarding Rep:

Carol Zollo 07790302822

### **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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**TWELTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B2 PSALTER 4**

**23RD JUNE**

				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 22ND JUNE	MASS (FEAST OF ST JOHN FISHER & ST THOMAS MORE)	SALCOMBE	5PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
SUNDAY 23RD JUNE	MASS	TOTNES	9.30AM	
	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	
TUESDAY 25TH JUNE	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	PRIVATE INTENTIONS
THURSDAY 27TH JUNE	MASS	TOTNES	10.00AM	
FRIDAY 28TH JUNE	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	10.15AM	

**22ND JUNE ST JOHN FISHER & ST THOMAS MORE**  
**24TH JUNE THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST SOLEMNITY**

### **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:**

Sr, Christa Hawkins, Jill Gilboy, Robert M. Amil,

Rita Zollo, David Hawking, Heather Wagstaff, Sarah

Sparrow, Denis Owen, Martin Holland, Idris Evans, Danny

Simmons, Carol Zollo, Josephine Wightwick



PLEASE NOTE PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE  
NEXT WEEKEND

## ST MARY AND ST GEORGE

### \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* GARY DOWLAND RIP

We are so sorry to bring you the news that one of our dearest parishioners, Gary Dowland, passed away on Saturday 15th June. Gary was a huge part of our parish. He was a good servant to our church and we shall certainly miss him very much. May he rest in peace.

Reception into church will take place on Monday 8th July at 4pm.

There will be a Requiem Mass on Tuesday 9th July at 10am.

### \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* CURRENT FINANCIAL POSITION UPDATE

Maurice Magee is going to provide us with a short update on the current financial situation after Mass on Sunday 30th June.

### \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* MESSAGE FROM JOSEPHINE WIGHWICK

Thank you to everyone who has visited me in Torbay Hospital, sent cards and messages and asked for masses to be said. Thank you also to Father Jaromir for saying mass and visiting. All your messages, cards, visits and kindness have been a huge boost for me at this time and I am very grateful. Thank you so much for keeping me in your prayers and I will keep you all in mine,  
*Josephine.*

### HALL HIRE

Our hall is available for hire. If you know of any groups that may like to utilise this space, please email the parish office. Leaflets are available from the back of the church.

Any enquires will be forwarded to our bookings secretary Jennifer Simson.

### PARISH CENSUS

We welcome your views/comments and feedback. This will also be an opportunity to update your details so that we have your latest address/contact number on file including an emergency contact number.

If you didn't have the opportunity to complete the census/survey form last weekend please take a copy from the back of the church.

If you prefer to complete it online here's the link  
<https://forms.office.com/e/EZD8y4zCpj?origin=lprLink>

### \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* CHURCH PARKING

If you're visiting the parish please ensure you have a temporary permit displayed in your windscreen (available from a welcomer) as we won't know the vehicle belongs to you and you may get a parking notice!

### \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* WHEELCHAIR

We have a wheelchair available if anybody has the need for one. It has been very kindly donated to our parish by David, following the passing of Gary. If you think you could make use of it please email the parish office.

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

### PARISH LUNCH

Our Parish Lunch is to be held in Chillington Village Hall on Sunday September 1st.  
More details to follow.

### WORDWISE BOOKSHOP

**WORDWISE** our valuable Kingsbridge **Christian Bookshop** is urgently looking for 1 or 2 new Trustees and also volunteers to help in the shop a couple of times a month. It is in danger of closing without more involvement, which would be a great loss to the town. For more information please contact Ann Yates on 01548 853366.

**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**

**1st September**  
**Kingsbridge/Salcombe**  
**Parish Lunch**

**8th September**  
**Education Sunday**

**15th September**  
**Evangelii Gaudium**  
**Sunday**

**6th October CAFOD**  
**Harvest Fay Day**

**20th October World**  
**Mission Sunday**

# Diocesan News

## LET OUR ACTIONS SPEAK INVITATION TO CELEBRATE VOLUNTEERS IN TORBAY DEANERY

Caritas Diocese of Plymouth is holding a celebration event on Saturday, June 29th, at Our Lady and St Patrick Church, Teignmouth, from 10:30 am to 1:00 pm, with lunch afterwards.

We will celebrate our community's faith in action, share experiences and offer opportunities to learn from, and connect with others who are active in our parishes and local communities. Groups represented include local organisations such as Catholic Children's Society, St Vincent de Paul Society and Stella Maris.

This is a great way to meet new people from parishes across the Deanery. **All are welcome.** Please register in advance so we know numbers for food <https://forms.office.com/e/8GR7GBGCxZ> or email [caritas@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:caritas@prcdtr.org.uk) or call us on 01364 645425.

## SVP AND CAFOD WORKING TOGETHER IN THE RUN UP TO THE GENERAL ELECTION

As Catholics, we know that tackling poverty and injustice are among the most important issues politicians should act on. St Vincent de Paul Society and CAFOD have produced a guide for Catholics for the General Election, with suggested questions to ask candidates. Please see [cafod.org.uk/encounter](https://cafod.org.uk/encounter) or [svp.org.uk/encounter](https://svp.org.uk/encounter) for more information—QR code below

Below is our prayer for this initiative.

## A PRAYER

Mary, model of encounter,  
you heard God's call.

Teach us to listen deeply  
in our polarised world.

Mary, woman of courage,  
you sang joyfully of God's justice.

Inspire us to challenge inequality  
and call for fulness of life for all.

Mary, seeker of sanctuary,  
you fled violence and persecution.

Be with us as we seek peace  
and respect for human dignity.

Mary, mother of community,  
you joined the disciples at Pentecost.

Pray that the Spirit will empower us  
as we act together for the common good.

**Amen**



<https://cafod.org.uk/campaign/uk-general-election-2024-a-guide-for-catholic-voters>



<https://svp.org.uk/encounter>

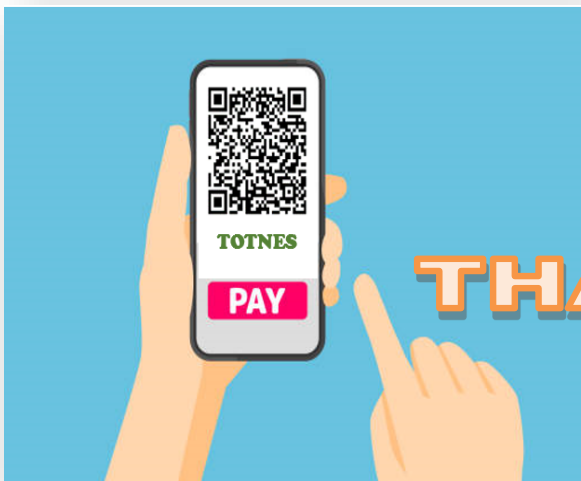
## THE SHAPE OF AUTHENTIC HOPE EVENT

The Shape of Authentic Hope: In this difficult, disillusioned age, why do we need the Church? In preparing for the Jubilee year 2025, Pope Francis has asked us to explore the key documents of Vatican II. Bill Keimig, Deputy Director of the Catechetical Institute Franciscan University of Steubenville, in his visit to the UK, will be speaking to us on the document on the Church (Lumen Gentium: A light to all peoples). Come and join us at Schiller Hall, Buckfast Abbey on Wednesday June 26th 6-8pm. The event will begin at 5pm with tea/coffee and chance to connect and chat with Bill and his team. To reserve a place contact:

[deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk)

Or: [https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=lmGab5THgECYLxFSFnRjD76Dtpj19ZZEhXH6wK1wfpJUOVdPSDLTU1MVzgwTzU0VVkzVjc0M0ZBTC4u)

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# THANK YOU



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## \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* ICONOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Dom Alex Echeandía Loro from the Monastery in Lurin, Peru. Will be teaching an Iconography workshop at St Joseph's church hall on Monday 15<sup>th</sup>– Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Cost £470 to include all teaching and materials, light lunches, and refreshments. For further information please call Deborah 07860-619222 or

e-mail Deborah1969@icloud.com

## \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* FAMILY HOLIDAY—RITA'S CENTRE AUGUST HOLIDAYS

Looking for the perfect holiday accommodation for your family? Look no further than St. Rita's Centre in Honiton! Our retreat centre offers the perfect escape from the hustle and bustle of everyday life. With its serene surroundings and idyllic countryside setting, St. Rita's is the perfect place to unwind, recharge, and reconnect with nature.

Our second floor offers six ensuite rooms and twenty cosy beds, making it the ideal spot for big families with lots of children or grandparents who want to gather together their children's families to spend quality time together with children and grandchildren in a beautiful and peaceful setting.

Our second floor, which is accessible by lift, has its own kitchen-dining room, fully equipped with a fridge and freezer, giving you the freedom to cook your own delicious meals and enjoy them together as a family. Plus, with the tranquil gardens just steps away, you can dine al fresco and soak up the stunning views of the surrounding countryside.

PRICES 2024:

Friday 9th (6pm) to Thursday 15th (10am) (7d/6n): £1,250

Friday 16th (6pm) to Thursday 22th (10am) (7d/6n): £1,250

Friday 23th (6pm) to Thursday 29th (10am) (7d/6n): £1,250

For more information and for reservations, please contact us: [Contact - St. Rita's Centre \(stritascentre.org\)](mailto:Contact - St. Rita's Centre (stritascentre.org))

## \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* THE RELIC IMAGE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

The Relic Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe visits St Joseph and St Walburga, Poole, from 28 - 30 June 2024. Mass of Reception is 6 pm followed by refreshments. This will also begin Forty Hours of Adoration as part of the Knights of St Columba 'Bouquet of Prayer' with prayers also offered to celebrate life. Please see posters for more details.

All welcome.

## SEGWAY OLYMPICS AND OBSTACLE COURSE, 29<sup>TH</sup> JUNE AT DEVON ACTIVITY CENTRE

This event is for young people aged 10 – 16. Many of our young people have enjoyed building friendships with others across the diocese at these events. Young people will have the chance to explore the scripture 2 Tim 1:7, whilst facing the challenges of the Segway Olympics and the wet obstacle course. A recommended contribution is £20 per person or £15 for multiple siblings and those on low income. For more detailed information and to book

follow: <https://forms.office.com/e/C7E07CArSj> Contact Saskia, [youth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk)

## \*\*\*NEW\*\*\* PLYMOUTH DIOCESE BOOKKEEPER VACANCY (EXETER)

PLEASE SEE POSTER AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH WHICH INCLUDES ALL THE DETAILS

## 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.

[\(plymouth-diocese.org.uk\)](http://plymouth-diocese.org.uk)

## MARRIAGE MATTERS

18/06/24 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

**The seed that grows to become a shelter Ezekiel 17:22-24 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 Mark 4:26-34**

Each of us has a 'seed' of love in us at our birth. This is fostered as we grow to value others through our relationships. Learning to love ourselves and each other more deeply helps our seeds of love to swell. Eventually our uni-fied love becomes a 'shelter' for our children, our families and all those whose lives we touch.

## PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER, POPE FRANCIS, JUNE 2024

**For migrants fleeing their homes**

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.



[POPE FRANCIS @PONTIFEX](https://twitter.com/POPEFRANCIS)

We cannot speak of Jesus without joy, because faith is a wonderful love story to be shared. Bearing witness to Jesus, and doing something for others in His name, means testifying to this beautiful gift that words alone cannot express.

[COUNSELLING HELPLINE IN PLYMOUTH DIOCESE](#)

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