

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

NewsLetter



Plymouth Diocese

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B2 PSALTER 1 28TH JULY

				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 27TH JULY	MASS	SALCOMBE	5PM	
SUNDAY 28TH JULY	MASS	TOTNES	9.30AM	
	MASS	KINGSBRIDGE	11.30AM	
THURSDAY 1ST AUG	SERVICE OF THE WORD	TOTNES	10.00AM	
FRIDAY 2ND AUG	REQUIEM MASS JOSEPHINE WIGHTWICK RIP	TOTNES	11.00AM	

CONFESSION

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

COFFEE AFTER MASS
Every Sundays & Thursday
(TOTNES) /
Every Sunday
(KINGSBRIDGE)

CONFESSION

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

Seeds of Faith (TOTNES)

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

JUNE OFFERINGS TOTNES

Standing Orders £2,183.50 Cash £ 245.00 Cash less Giving £157
Total £2585.50

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, Joseph Deacon Tony Irwin

FEAST DAYS

6TH AUGUST FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
9TH AUGUST FEAST OF ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS
10TH AUGUST FEAST OF ST LAWRENCE



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Please use Parish Mobile on
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The Parish Office is open from
9am to 1pm every Thurs
<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

34 Fore St, Kingsbridge
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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

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FR JAROMIR WILL BE AWAY UNTIL THURSDAY 15TH AUGUST. DURING THIS TIME WE WILL ONLY HAVE WEEKEND MASSES. THERE WILL BE A SERVICE OF THE WORD EVERY THURSDAY IN TOTNES AT 10AM. MASSES WILL BE COVERED BY FR. ANTHONY COCKRAM AND FR. DOMINIC MAY OSB. FR ANSELM WILL BE HERE FOR OUR MASSES ON SUNDAY 28TH JULY. WE THANK THEM ALL FOR CELEBRATING OUR MASSES FOR US. EMERGENCY CONTACT FOR A PARISH PRIEST DURING THIS PERIOD PLEASE CALL FR RALPH CANDY, PARISH OF THE SACRED HEART, PAIGNTON 01803 557518

ST MARY AND ST GEORGE

NEW CATH JARVIS RIP

You will be very sad to hear the news that our wonderful parishioner Cath Jarvis sadly passed away on 23rd July. Cath was 93! She will be well remembered as a 'one off'.

We shall certainly miss her and her fantastic wit!

Cath will be received into our church on Monday 5th August at 4pm. A Requiem Mass will follow on Tuesday 6th August at 10am.

NEW THANKSGIVING MASS 4TH AUGUST

On 1st August Maurice & Margaret Magee celebrate 65 years of marriage!!

On 4th August we will join them for a Mass of Thanksgiving.

NEW GIFT AID LETTERS

Gift Aid annual declaration letters are now available for you to pick up from the back of the church.

May we take this opportunity to thank you all so much for being part of this scheme as it enables your donation to go even further.

If you're not a Gift Aider and are eligible to become one please contact Caroline Fullalove in the Parish Office.

NEW YOUTH RALLY 2024 SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER £10

Please join us at St Rita's in Honiton for the infamous Youth Rally on Saturday 28th September 2024. As usual there are many activities for all to join in, including the obstacle course, penalty shoot out and various inflatable activities. Young people from 6 – 16 are welcome to form teams of 6 to compete against others. Do not worry if you can't find a group of 6. I will combine you with another parish. For booking and further questions please contact, Saskia: youth@prcdtr.org.uk

Please see the poster at the back of the church.

NEW PLYMOUTH DIOCESAN YEAR BOOK 2025

To avoid over ordering please contact

Caroline in the Parish Office if you would like a copy of the year book.

We will need your order by Monday 5th August.

NEW DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER

Please find a link to our latest diocesan newsletter

<https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t/t-6D9350A184A9B0DC2540EF23F30FEDED>

NEW CAKE SALE THANK YOU!

Cake sale with music - thank you everyone for a phenomenal effort at the cake sale. Despite a rain interruption we raised over £267 for Rowcroft Hospice, had a great time and Gemstones had their public debut- success all round! And thanks to Fr Jarek for shelter in the heavy storm. Gemma stockford.

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

SYNOD UPDATE

Summer greetings to everybody! It has been six months since our last newsletter as much of the work related to the Synod on Synodality has been going on behind the scenes with a variety of groups meeting to reflect on the 1st Session of the XVI Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops which met in October 2023. This reflection has now finished with an 'Instrumentum Laboris' being issued this week which will form the basis for discussions at the 2nd Session being held from 2nd – 27th October. This document can be accessed by visiting the Vatican's Synod page at www.synod.va The purpose of the document is to enable discussion at the assembly.

Having read the document, some key themes that emerge for me are:

- A call for all the baptised to be missionary disciples in a missionary synodal church.
- A place where everyone is welcome and included.
- That listening; discernment; consultation and transparency must become essential elements in the life of the Church and decision making at every level. Development and Formation of everybody, together, so that all can participate, be valued, and feel fully part of the Church. In addition to this document, 10 'Study groups' have been formed to work further on specific issues. These are exciting times, and we need to keep all those attending the upcoming assembly in our prayers. And in our Diocese, we also need to begin moving forward again to more firmly embed Synodal ways of working. Some Parishes have already begun to do this, but to support us all, we will be gathering together at Buckfast Conference Centre on Saturday 26th October 2024. Everyone is invited! It will be an opportunity for us to reflect on the 2nd Session of the Assembly of Bishops which concludes the following day, but the day will be primarily practical, focussing on the practise of 'Conversations in the Spirit'. We will be exploring the why's and how's of how we listen and discern – with each other, and with God. This approach has already become an important outcome of the whole Synodal process and can be used in a whole variety of contexts. If you would like to attend, please email me by the end of July at synod@prcdtr.org.uk With every blessing,

Fr Paul Keys

NEW WORLD DAY AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS 30TH JULY

The 30th July is the annual World Day Against Trafficking in Persons, which is an event to raise awareness and increase prevention of people trafficking and modern day slavery.

The theme this year is, 'Leave no child behind in the fight against human trafficking'. One in three victims of trafficking are children, with girls being disproportionality affected. Children are also twice as likely to be subjected to violence during trafficking than adults. Children will experience various forms of trafficking including forced labour, criminality or begging, online and sexual abuse and exploitation, and being trafficked for illegal adoption. Caritas Diocese of Plymouth runs events and

training on modern slavery and labour abuse. If you would like support, or you are concerned about someone else, please contact: The Safeguarding Office – Please call us on 01364 645430 between Monday to Friday, from 9am 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 <https://www.unseenuk.org/working-with-survivors/>



Diocesan News

NEW World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

Today (Sunday July 28) we celebrate the fourth World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly.



The date is chosen to coincide with the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (grandparents of Jesus) during the week. Pope Francis has chosen the theme

"Do not cast me off in my old age" (cf. Psalm 71:9)

Prayer for the Fourth World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly 28 July 2024 Lord, faithful God, You who created us in Your image, You who never leaves us alone and who accompanies us through every season of life, Do not abandon us, take care of us, And grant us, once again, The ability to discover ourselves and recognise that we are Your children. Renew our hearts with your Word And do not allow anyone to be cast aside. May your Spirit of love fill us with Your tenderness And teach us to say: "I will not abandon you!" To those we meet on our journey. With the help of your beloved Son, may we not lose the taste for fraternity And may we not conform to the sadness of loneliness. Help us to look to the future with renewed hope, And make the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly A day without loneliness, and a day abundant with the first-fruits of Your peace. Amen

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.

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NEW MARRIAGE MATTERS

22/07/24 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Walking alongside or away?

Jeremiah 23:1-6 Ephesians 2:13-18 Mark 6:30-34

Jesus, the Good Shepherd, experienced rejection: many "walked with him no longer". This offers us some consolation, when despite doing our best to pass on our faith in Jesus and His Church to our children, we, their 'shepherds', experience them drifting away from the faith. God loves our children unconditionally, and we need to continually 'hold them' in our love.

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

For the pastoral care of the sick

We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all.



POPE FRANCIS @PONTIFEX

Let us pray, brothers and sisters, for peace. Let us not forget tormented Ukraine, Palestine, Israel, Myanmar, and many other countries that are at war. Let us not forget, let us never forget, war is a defeat!

COUNSELLING HELPLINE IN PLYMOUTH DIOCESE

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