

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

NewsLetter



Plymouth Diocese

26TH APRIL FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER A PSALTER 4

				MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY 25TH APRIL	FEAST OF ST MARK MASS	SALCOMBE	5PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
SUNDAY 26TH APRIL	MASS MASS	TOTNES KINGS-BRIDGE	9.30AM 11.30AM	DOLORES POBOCIK RIP
TUESDAY 28TH APRIL	MASS	TOTNES	10AM	BRYAN & AGNES MATTHEWS RIP
THURSDAY 30TH APRIL	MASS	TOTNES	10AM	PETER DENHAM RIP
FRIDAY 1ST MAY	MASS	KINGS-BRIDGE	10.15AM	

FEAST DAYS

29TH APRIL—ST CATHERINE OF SIENA (PATRON OF EUROPE)

SEEDS OF FAITH (TOTNES) GENERALLY THE LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH All welcome. If you would like more information please contact Margaret Cushen cushen@tiscali.co.uk

WE REMEMBER OUR LOVED ONES & THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Linda Finn, Juliette Finch

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THE SICK

FRANK SCOTT, SARAH, RITA COOMBS,
LESLEY ANNE MAYES, PREW BOSWELL

MARRIAGE MATTERS TWO IN ONE FLESH

Fourth Sunday in Easter (A)

Feeding your sheep

Acts 2:14, 36-41 1 Peter 2:20-25 John 10:1-10

John 10:10 describes us as 'sheep'. God watches over and feeds us with his Word, and in the Eucharist. With God's help we have created a few more sheep, so we pray for His help, read books, use the internet to protect our children from the harm done by the 'media' and many of today 'addictions'. That's being good shepherds.



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The Parish Office is open from
9am to 1pm every Thurs

<https://totneskingsbridgerc.uk/>

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE
BY APPOINTMENT**

ST MARY & ST GEORGE



Station Road, Totnes, TQ9 5HW

Safeguarding Team (Totnes)

Children and Vulnerable Adults

Parish Safeguarding Reps:

Liz Allott 07816 184884

Julia Tysoe 07880 888186

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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TORBAY HOSPITAL

CHAPLAINCY VISITS

PLEASE EMAIL

DEACON ANTHONY CAREY

St Mary & St George

*****NEW*** 50/50 CLUB DRAW APRIL**—1st Prize No 13, 2nd Prize No 20

50/50 CLUB If your number is due for renewal you will have been contacted via email.

As previously, it is £60 to renew for another year. Please can payments be made promptly.

CAFOD It is hoped to have a small 'rolling' stall out on the patio with flower and vegetable plants. As before payment is by donation. Please support those in desperate need.

PPC MEETINGS—If you have any item you would like to include on the agenda please make contact with one of our PPC members. Our PPC board is located in the church hall, with details of who we all are.

Church of the Sacred Heart & Our Lady Star of the Sea

SPRING FAYRE This is a gentle reminder that our parish (Kingsbridge and Salcombe) is holding a spring Fayre on Kingsbridge forecourt on Saturday May 2nd 10am- 12 pm We hope to raise money for W.O.R.K. As it's a bank holiday weekend we hope to do well, but IT ALL DEPENDS ON YOU! Please can you donate new/ nearly new gifts(no bric-à-brac), bottles, jars etc for tombola , toys , books dvds , plants , cakes and raffle prizes. But most of all we need YOUR PRESENCE, HELP AND SUPPORT! There will be a list in the church porch nearer the time for you to put your name down to volunteer to help man the stalls serve tea/ coffee/ refreshments on the day. LETS MAKE THIS YEAR A SUCCESS AND SHOW OUR CHRISTIAN PRESENCE IN THE TOWN.

Thank you. You can contact Alison Pritchard on 07483 857785

*****NEW*** UPDATE!!!! VISIT FROM ARCHBISHOP EMERITUS ELIAS CHACOUR**

After a great deal of frank, open and honest discussion with those nearest to Abuna it has been agreed to postpone his hugely anticipated visit to Kingsbridge. This is entirely due to the unresolved Iran/US war and the next best date we have arrived at is the first week in October 2026. Please God this will allow peace to settle over the Middle East once more.

*****NEW*** QUIZ NIGHT AT ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH - NEWTON ABBOT - 16TH MAY '26 7PM**

St Joseph's Church, Newton Abbot are organising a fun family quiz night on 16th May 2026 at 7pm in the parish hall. We are raising money for the CCSP and parish funds. If you would like to come along please contact Caroline

Fullalove, Parish Secretary (email: newtonabbot@prcdtr.org.uk) Tickets are £8pp

£5 (children under 16) this includes a hot pasty or sausage roll and a sharing platter. You will have the chance of winning a cash prize! We will also have a raffle on the night with some fantastic prizes. Please bring along your own drinks and glasses. For more info and how to book please see the poster at the back of the church.

*****NEW*** MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE** The Our Lady of Lourdes Pilgrimage to Medjugorje is in the early stages of organisation. We will be flying from Bristol to Split Thursday 1st to Thursday 8th of October. £785pp sharing £150 single supplement. Half-board, fully guided Pilgrimage with Marian Pilgrimages. Please contact plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk if you are interested in joining us.

THIS SUNDAY 26 APRIL IS THE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS, also known as Good

Shepherd Sunday. It is an opportunity to pray for vocations and to encourage those who may be considering ordained or religious life. The Diocese of Plymouth also asks for your assistance in supporting our seminarians through their training and formation, both through prayer and financial support. If you are able to contribute to our **Seminarians' Fund** we would be grateful for your donations online at <https://priesthoodplymouth.co.uk/donate>

CAFOD: STAND WITH SUDAN Give monthly. On the third anniversary of the war in Sudan, Kavode Akintola.

CAFOD's Head of Region for Africa, asks for your help:

"So many of our sisters and brothers in Sudan are facing increasing violence, hunger, and disease. That is why today, I'm asking you to consider setting up a regular gift to support families who are fleeing the violence – with food, safe water and other vital support.

Monthly gifts are an act of steady love for our neighbours, a way of saying: we will not abandon you, we will stand with you until peace is restored." Donate at cafod.org.uk/StandWithSudan

*****NEW*** ST. RITA'S OF CASCIA FEAST DAY ON FRIDAY 22nd MAY 2026 AT ST RITA'S CENTRE**

Principal Celebrant: Father Jose Romero OAR The day will begin with Mass at 12 noon, followed by the blessing and distribution of roses for the sick. Two shops will be open that day for the sale of religious articles; you can also make your orders on our website www.stritascentre.org and collect your items on site on the feast day. Hot drinks will be available all day, but visitors should bring a packed lunch. The day will conclude with Benediction at 3 pm. We would advise early arrival as car parking can be difficult if you arrive after 11.30 am. Car parking stewards will be on duty to help you, and there will be a small army of volunteers working in various places helping to ensure a smooth running of the day and a happy feast day for everyone. If you have any questions, please contact Krista Radzina on 01404 42635



**KINGSBRIDGE /
SALCOMBE SPRING
FAYRE
2ND MAY**

**TOTNES PARISH BOAT
TRIP 9TH JULY
(EVENING)**

**MINISTER
RECOMMISSIONING
DATES**

Readers
24th May (Pentecost)

Eucharistic
7th June (The Most Holy
Body and Blood of Christ)

Welcomers, Coffee and
Laundry Rota
July 19th (Feast of
St Benedict 11th July)

Musicians
3rd September (Thursday)
(Feast of St Gregory the
Great
Patron of Musicians)

Flower Arrangers
October 1st (Thursday)
Feast of St Therese of
Lisieux

COLLECTIONS 2026

**17TH MAY
WORLD
COMMUNICATIONS
SUNDAY**

**24TH MAY
SICK AND RETIRED
CLERGY**

**21ST JUNE
DAY FOR LIFE**

**28TH JUNE
PETER'S PENCE**

**12TH JULY
SEA SUNDAY**

**31ST AUGUST
CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S
SOCIETY**

**20TH SEPTEMBER
EVANGELII GAUDIUM
DAY**

**4TH OCTOBER
CAFOD HARVEST
FAST DAY**

**18TH OCTOBER
WORLD MISSION
SUNDAY**