

CATHEDRAL PARISH OF ST MARY & ST BONIFACE

Part of the Plymouth Roman Catholic Diocesan Trust - Registered Charity No. 213227



St. Joseph's
Raglan Road
Devonport
PL1 4NQ



Cathedral
45 Cecil Street
Stonehouse
PL1 5HW



Christ the King
Armada Way
PL1 2EN

Cathedral House Clergy:

Canon Mark O'Keeffe (Cathedral Dean) Fr. Louis Rieunier (Bishop's Private Secretary)

Fr. James Barber

Fr. Jacek Kostuch (Rector of Christ the King) Website: plymouthcathsoc.org.uk

Cathedral: 01752 662537 **Email:** plymouth-cathedral@predtr.org.uk **Website:** plymouthcathedral.co.uk

Parish Secretary: Theresa Oakley **Office hours:** Tues 10-1, Weds 10-1, Fri 10-12

Pastoral Assistant: Lyn McLoughlin **Email:** plymouth-cathedral-pastoral-assistant@predtr.org.uk

Safeguarding Representatives:

Cathedral: Lyn McLoughlin, Jonathon Gatward Devonport: Deborah Birch Christ the King: Marguerite Sperring

Cathedral School: cathedral-school.eschools.co.uk

Holy Cross School: holycross.plymouth.sch.uk

St. Joseph's School: st-josephs.plymouth.sch.uk

TWENTY-THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C PSALTER WEEK 3 8TH SEPTEMBER 2019

	<u>Cathedral</u>	<u>Intention</u>	<u>Christ the King:</u> Saturday Holy Mass 6pm Holy Mass 12noon Mon-Fri. <u>St. Joseph's Devonport:</u> Sunday Holy Mass 11.30am Weds. Holy Mass 11.00am Intentions: Kathleen & Henry Bulley RIP
Sunday 8th September <i>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Education Day</i>	Holy Mass 8.00am Holy Mass 10.00am Holy Mass 6.00pm	Ray James RIP Pope's Ints Kathleen & Hedley Wilton RIP	BAPTISM Please pray for Saul Bravo, and Spencer and Miles Ashworth who will be Baptised today. We pray for them and their families at this happy time. SICK & HOUSEBOUND Please pray for the sick or housebound in our parish and those who are particu- larly poorly at this time. RIP: Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently, especially Ray James. May their souls rest in peace, Amen.
Monday 9th September <i>Weekday Mass</i>	Holy Mass 10.00am	Albert Pearson RIP	
Tuesday 10th September <i>Weekday Mass</i>	Holy Mass 10.00am Coffee Morning	Holy Souls	
Wednesday 11th September <i>Weekday Mass</i>	Holy Mass 10.00am	Pope's Ints	
Thursday 12th September <i>Weekday Mass</i>	Holy Hour 5.00pm Holy Mass 6.00pm	Vocations	
Friday 13th September <i>Weekday Mass</i>	Holy Mass 10.00am	Gerard Clune RIP	
Saturday 14th September THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS	Holy Mass 10.00am Confessions 10.30am	Fr T McCaffery RIP	
Sunday 15th September <i>24th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Home Mission Day</i>	Holy Mass 8.00am Holy Mass 10.00am Holy Hour 5.00pm Holy Mass 6.00pm	People of the Parish Catherine Anne White RIP Daughters of St Francis de Sales Ints	

EDUCATION DAY

The theme of this year's Education Sunday is 'Form and Flourish'. The formation and education of a young person into adulthood enables them to reach their potential, to live a fulfilling life and ultimately flourish. Catholic schools place the Lord Jesus Christ at the centre of their educational enterprise; his life and teaching provides them with the model and pattern for life in all its fullness. Catholic education aims to inspire a lifelong love of learning and form pupils who will know the good, love the beautiful, and seek the truth. For Catholic education to continue to flourish, it needs to rely on the continued support of the whole Catholic community. There are many ways to do this: whether by praying for vocations to Catholic education, responding to consultations or letting your elected representatives know your views, or encouraging a young person to teach in a Catholic school. In that way, we can all ensure together that our Catholic schools and universities will be there to form the next generation.

FATHER JAMES BARBER

As Fr James prepares to leave the Cathedral to move to his new parish as Assistant Priest in Barnstaple, he will be celebrating Mass on Sunday 29th September at 10.00am. We hope you will join us to say farewell to him in the parish centre after Mass, where there will be cake and tea/coffee.

THANKS

Eileen Pearson would like to thank everyone for their kind gifts, cards and cake for her 90th birthday.

FUND RAISING & SOCIAL COMMITTEE

I would like to invite members of the parish to be a part of a Fundraising and Social Committee. The idea is to make much needed money for the parish through different activities (such as quiz nights, monthly lunches, bring and buys, a Christmas fayre, a Christmas party, etc.) which will bring us together and create a sense of community whilst also raising money for different projects within the parish. I would very much like your input and help with this. Please contact me via the Parish Office (details on the front of the bulletin). Many thanks. Canon Mark

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION

Total: £740.41
Standing Orders: £475.12
Noticeboard Appeal Total to date: £263.05

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES

Coming up in the autumn we are planning to run a number of Sacramental programmes.



- **RCIA or the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**
- **Confirmation** programme for year 7s and above
- **First Holy Communion** programme for year 3s and above.

For further details at this time, please contact Lyn McLoughlin on the Pastoral Assistant email address. We will also have details soon on our website www.plymouthcathedral.co.uk


NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING (NFP) SOUTH WEST - TEACHER RECRUITMENT

NFP South West is looking to train new teachers in the Billings Ovulation Method (BOM). Applicants should have a basic knowledge of NFP or be willing to learn. We are volunteers available to teach married Catholics and engaged couples to either conceive or postpone conception. The BOM is scientifically proven and fully compatible with Church teaching on marriage and family life. Training is via 10 correspondence computer modules, over 10 consecutive months after which there are 2 training days per year at Buckfast and one in London. A cost of £250 covers all academic resources and teaching but can be reduced or waived on appeal. More information: Christine Hudson – 07742320717

EXTERNAL NOTICEBOARDS APPEAL

At the back of the Cathedral there is a picture of a stained glass window which contains 10 pieces. Each piece is worth £50. We want to raise enough money for new external noticeboards and signage for the Cathedral. As we raise money, pieces of the picture will be added. Our aim is to complete the picture by the 30th October. Please give generously. Envelopes and further details available at the back of the Cathedral.

FLOWER TEAM

 Do you love flowers? We are still looking for people to join our flower arranging team. No experience necessary. If you would like to learn a bit about floristry and join a lovely team of people, please let Canon Mark know via the Parish Office.

THE POPE'S INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

Universal: The Protection of the Oceans. That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.