

Holy Ghost Church, Exmouth EX8 2JH St Peter, Prince of Apostles, Budleigh Salterton EX9 6RZ



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THIRTY SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME C2 Ps 4		
Saturday 5 November	5.00 pm	
Sunday 6 November	10.00 am	Parish
Tuesday 8 November at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles	NO MASS	
Wednesday 9 November Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	11.00 am	
Friday 11 November St Martin of Tours Bp	2.00 pm	

Saturday 12 November	5.00 pm	
Sunday 13 November	10.00 am	Parish
Remembrance Day, all victims of war World Day of the Poor		
Tuesday 15 November at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles	11.00 am	
Wednesday 16 November	11.00 am	
Friday 17 November	2.00 pm	

**Please pray for** parishioners, family & friends, especially those who are sick, those undergoing medical procedures and in hospital and those feeling isolated in these challenging times. Please let me know if you are aware of anyone that would like to receive Holy Communion at home

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation** (Confession) is available by making an appointment with me, via the Parish Office.



Check out Pope Francis' daily tweets on Twitter 'Please, let us not forget martyred Ukraine in our prayers and in our heartache. Let's #PrayTogether for #peace, and never tire of doing so!'

As we also remember the people of Ukraine in our prayers... 'The feeling remains that God is on the journey, too. When we are overcome by sadness, fear, or suffering; when the pains of loss overwhelm us; when evil seems to have taken power; let us look to the cross and be filled with peace, knowing that Christ has walked this road and walks it now with us and with all our brothers and sisters'. Teresa of Avila

## AN INVITATION TO FAMILIES IN OUR PARISH

I am very grateful to Fr. Jonathan and the Exeter parishes for inviting us to engage with **GIFT**.

**GIFT** is an exciting way of supporting families to engage with their faith. Whether you are already engaged with your faith and the Church, looking for a way to become more engaged or **seeking the Sacraments for your child, GIFT is for you.** Encouraging you to pray, talk about faith issues, and have more family time together is good, but we believe it is not enough. We want to provide a place for you to learn what engaging with your faith actually looks like and then give you the opportunity to do it!

**Saturday family sessions** Families are invited to come along on the first Saturday of each month (mostly) at St. Nicholas Catholic Primary Academy, Ringswell Avenue, Exeter EX1 3EG. The sessions are engaging, spirit-filled and fun, and they are for all the family – even Grandma! We celebrate Mass, enjoy a time of fellowship and refreshment before sharing catechesis and activities. Each month we explore a different topic e.g., The Saints, Epiphany, Lent, Holy Week.

#### **Faith Formation for parents**

Each month we gather online (Zoom) with parents and catechists to explore our faith. These sessions are designed to help parents grow in their own faith, enabling them to lead their family on their journey of faith.

#### Virtual Resources

We also send home resources each month which families use on their own, exploring aspects of our Catholic faith.

### Join the GIFT Family

To register for GIFT and to receive regular updates and information about our family catechesis, please complete the form on the website. We look forward to welcoming vou.

https://www.blessedsacrament.org.uk

#### **GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER**

For more info contact:-

Blessed Sacrament Church, 29 Fore Street, Heavitree, Exeter EX1 2QJ

Telephone: 01392 274724

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https://www.blessedsacrament.org.uk

Please let me know if you when you will be starting.

God bless you

Fr. Philip



St Rita's Centre, Honiton, Devon

Advent Retreat Day

"Our Deepest Gifts: The Four Themes of Advent"

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2022

9.30am – 4.00pm with Canon Mark O'Keeffe

The day will begin with coffee/tea on arrival at 9.30am. First Talk will start at 10am, second talk will be at 11am. Exposition and Adoration of the holy Sacrament in silence will be at 12pm. Lunch will be served at 1pm,

Mass at 2.45pm

Cost per person: £25.00 which includes lunch.

For further information & to register your name contact: St Rita's Centre Tel: 01404 42635 Email: admin@stritascentre.org | www.stritascentre.org

#### **Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Due to circumstances, there will be no Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in 2023. If you would still like to go join an organised pilgrimage next year, most dioceses in England and Wales have one which you could join and the details can be found their respective websites. Alternatively, you could join the annual pilgrimage of the Society of Our Lady of Lourdes when the dates are set. We hope to resume our own Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in 2024. (https://www.soll-lourdes.co.uk/)

Those younger members of the parish who would like to partake in a Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 28<sup>th</sup> July to 3<sup>rd</sup> August this year should contact Fr Anthony O'Gorman on 01305 786033 or Anthony.O'Gorman@prcdtr.org.uk

## **OUR SYNODAL JOURNEY**

As part of our on-going Synodal journey, the Office for Evangelisation and Catechesis invites you to the following talk.

Saturday 29th October

11.00am Talk 1 Entering the Decision-Making Process of the Church

1.30pm Talk 2 Interpreting the Word of God for our time

Saturday 26th November

11.00am Talk 3 The work of the Holy Spirit in the Church Today

1.30pm Talk 4 Deaconesses in the Catholic Church

The talks will take place at St Peter's Catholic Church, Crownhill, Plymouth, PL5 3AX.

For those attending the day there will be 10.30am Refreshments and 12.15pm Lunch break. There is also Mass at 9.30am for those who wish.

The Zoom link for the days is: <a href="https://prcdtr-org-uk.zoom.us/j/84429899219">https://prcdtr-org-uk.zoom.us/j/84429899219</a>

# LAST CHANCE TO BOOK YOUR PLACE!

invite you to join them at Holy Ghost on Saturday 19 November at 6.30 pm for a social evening when they will be performing their popular 'Tall Ships and Tavern Tales' stage show of double CD fame – BOOK NOW for the first parish social since before covid.

Last date to book is Friday 14 November.

https://www.exmouthshantymen.com/index.php





We will be raising money for Launchpad, a day service in Budleigh Salterton which offers adults with learning disabilities the

opportunity to develop employment, social and independent living skills within a safe and supported environment. It was set up in August 2017 and Currently supports over 20 adults in both Catering and horticulture. Trainees are encouraged to set their own goals and are supported by staff and volunteers in the achievement of those goals.

The evening will offer excellent entertainment and supper (please let us know if you are vegetarian). You are invited to bring your own drinks!!

Launchpad will be catering for us on the evening and if you would like to attend this unique event then please book now to reserve your place. A cheque for £15.00 per person should be made payable to PRCDTR Holy Family Exmouth, and dropped into the office.





day-time flights from Bristol
half-board accommodation in Jesuit
retreat centres

excursions included to sites associated
with St Paul's shipwreck
daily scriptural reflections
individual free-time
May 1st. – May 11th. 2023

details from the parish office exmouth@prcdtr.org.uk Please come and help the church cleaning team. after the morning mass. They aim to come on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month, after the morning mass for about an hour. Everyone welcome, do come and stay for coffee afterwards. Thank you for supporting them.

UCM Meetings for the month of November 2.00pm in the Holy Ghost church hall, Exmouth. Thursday 17th November We welcome new members.

THE KNIT & NATTER GROUP meet again on 7th November in Holy Ghost Hall do pop in and join them. All welcome. No knitting qualifications required!!

The Craft Club invite you to join them on Saturday 5th November & Saturday 3rd December, 10.00 am – 12.00 pm in Holy Ghost Hall

**WARM UP WEDNESDAYS** every after the 11.00 am mass. Do join us for 'WARM UP WEDNESDAYS'. Bring a packed lunch, listen to music, watch TV, play cards, board games etc. and chat for a couple of hours – the hall is yours to use and stay warm. Be together and benefit from companionship and free heat!! This is a good way for our local community to come together in a relaxed and informed way.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR MONTHLY OFFERINGS** and for your continued generosity to the parish. Many of you know that we are currently not encouraged to count and bank cash donations so the most efficient way for you to give is by standing order. Most of you have now started using this method and we are incredibly grateful. It saves us time and eliminates the need to count cash and make journeys to the bank in these difficult times and it's a coronavirus free transaction!! Mandate forms are available by emailing the parish office. Thank you!

**MASS INTENTIONS** If you would like a Mass said for a particular intention; for someone who is ill or a loved one who has died; in thanksgiving for an answer to prayer or perhaps a private intention, contact Jane in the parish office who will help you find a date and time which suits you. It is traditional to make an offering at the same time. This is simply what you can afford and would like to give. Please note that to comply with GDPR rules we need the permission of the person named if it is to be made public unless they are deceased.

## Parish of the Holy Family Paths to Prayer Advent 2022

Fridays at 2.45pm in St Anne's Cloister

## An Invitation to spend a time of reflection with Mary during this Advent season

'Let it be done unto me according to thy word...'

Session 1: 25th November: Mary, Chosen by God

Session 2: 2<sup>nd</sup> December: Mary, The First Disciple

Session 3: 9th December: Mary, Mother of Hope

Session 4: 16th December: Mary, Queen of Heaven and

**Queen of Carmel** 

Session 5: 23<sup>rd</sup> December: Help of all who Believe

Each session will end with the Evening Prayer of the Church at 3.30pm.

You are invited to bring your own Bible if you wish

Nicholas Hearn OCDS

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# Mary and Joseph begin their travels across the diocese ready for Christmas.



Mary and Joseph plan to travel across the diocese during November and part of December. Please get in touch is you are able to host Mary, Joseph and their donkey for a few days. The hope is that you will take pictures of them visiting your parish, joining in parish events or simply saying hello. I plan to put the pictures together to show their journey and who they visited.

Please email Saskia if you would like to host Mary, Joseph and their donkey. In your email let me know if they need to arrive for a certain date.

When taking picture of young people it is important that you get the necessary permission.

Email Saskia at <a href="mailto:vouth@prcdtr.org.uk">vouth@prcdtr.org.uk</a>.