



The Parish of the Holy Family



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FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Sunday 12 January <i>Baptism of the Lord</i>	10.00 am	Parish
Tuesday 14 January	11.00 am	
Wednesday 15th January	10.00 am	Edward & Dolores Lloyd Payne RIP (F)
Friday 17 January <i>St Anthony</i>	2.00 pm	Richard & Beatrice Meesham RIP (F)
Saturday 18 January	5.00 pm	Jean Dawson RIP

SECOND WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Sunday 19 January	10.00 am	Parish
Tuesday 21 January at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles <i>St Agnes</i>	NO MASS	
Wednesday 22 January	NO MASS	
Friday 24 January	NO MASS	
Saturday 25 January <i>Conversion of St. Paul</i>	5.00 pm	

THIRD WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Sunday 26 January	10.00 am	Parish
Tuesday 28 January at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles <i>St. Thomas Aquinas</i>	11.00 am	Henrietta Campbell Ivatt RIP (F)
Wednesday 29 January	11.00 am	
Friday 31 January <i>St. John Bosco</i>	2.00 pm	John Tuttle RIP
Saturday 1 February	5.00 pm	James & Eliza Bennett, forebears & descendants RIP (F)

FOURTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Sunday 2 February <i>Presentation of the Lord</i>	10.00 am	Parish
Tuesday 4 February at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles	11.00 am	Bernadette Hughes RIP (F)
Wednesday 5 February	11.00 am	
Friday 7 February	2.00 pm	

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

A very warm welcome if you are visiting Exmouth and welcome back if we have not seen you for some time. Fr. Philip

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.

Peace Sunday 2025

'True peace can only be born from a heart "disarmed" of anxiety and the fear of war'

Pope Francis



Since its establishment in 1967 by Pope St Paul VI, the Popes have taken the World Day of Peace as an opportunity to offer a message on peace related topics.

Every year, with the support of the Catholic Bishops' Conference, England and Wales, we promote Peace Sunday on the second Sunday in Ordinary Time as a way of observing the World Day of Peace and promoting the Pope's message for that year.

In 2025, Peace Sunday will fall on Sunday 19th January.

DATES FOR YOUR NEW DIARIES

- **Day of Reflection** – Saturday 1 February at University of Exeter Catholic Chaplaincy Have you ever asked the question 'Is God calling me to Priesthood or to the Religious life ?'. This 'Day of Reflection' for men will be held on Saturday 1 February from 10:00 to 16:00 at Exeter University Chaplaincy, Boniface House, Glenthorne Road, Exeter EX4 4QU.

The day will include Mass, a time of Adoration, a short conference, an opportunity for Confession and 'One to One talks' with serving Priests from our Diocese; and sharing food together (this will be provided – please let us know of special dietary requirements). Under 18s are welcome to attend with parents' permission. For more information and to register your interest please contact Fr Jacek Kostuch on jacek.kostuch@prcdtr.org.uk or vocation@prcdtr.org.uk

- **Gather 2025 Jubilate A weekend of faith, formation and friendship, Friday 28th - Sunday 30th March, Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay. Booking forms available - please email plymouthgather@yahoo.com for more information.**
- **Stay Awake, 5th April, 2025** - a day conference for all the family (Mass, Children's streams, Praise and Worship, Speakers, Workshops and pizza!). Venue: All Saints School in Weymouth. More details later! ALL WELCOME! Please save the date!
- **Holy Family Parish Day at Buckfast Tuesday 11 March** – make a note in your diary and watch this space for details.



"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor." Luke 4:18

CAFOD Introducing Jubilee – online session – 18th January 2025, 10:30am-midday

Praying with the Jubilee Icon: We have also been working with the Bishops' Conference to produce a Jubilee Icon for the Church in England and Wales. Created by an Ethiopian artist, the Icon is based on Luke 4:18-19. More information can be found on our [Jubilee page](#). The icon will be visiting dioceses during the year, arranged by the Bishops' Conference and the Diocesan Jubilee Coordinators. Do let me know if you'd like to know more.

A Year of Hope: An Introduction to the Jubilee Year with the Catholic Agency for Overseas Development 2025 is a Jubilee year, but what does that mean? How will the Church be celebrating it? How can I get involved? Catholic talk show host and author Nana Churcher, and CAFOD's Simon Giarchi will be hosting Fr Jan Nowotnik (Director of Mission for the Bishop's Conference), Christine Allen (CAFOD's Director) and Kayode Akintola (CAFOD's Head of Africa) and more in this lively start to the Jubilee. Hear highlights of how we're celebrating as a church and how we can be tangible signs of hope and build a better world together throughout this holy year. With a special appearance by Catholic band Ooberfuse. **Saturday 18 Jan, 10:30am-midday, online.** Register here for free: cafod.org.uk/jubilee

The Knit & Natter group invite you to join them on Monday 3rd February at 2.00 pm & 3rd March in the parish hall.

Thank you to our wonderful Cleaning Team – if you would like to help them once a month the next date is Wednesday 5th February after morning mass.



Coffee is being served! Do join us after mass on Sundays and at St. Peter, Prince of Apostles on the first Tuesday of the month. We are working hard towards being a coin-free parish so on the occasions where refreshments are paid for, a pre-paid loyalty card (costing £10.00.) will provide for coffee-tea-biscuits for 6 occasions.

Praying together ...there is an Ecumenical charismatic prayer group now meeting at Holy Trinity Church on the third Monday of the month at 2.30 pm (except August) All welcome

As a Parish, the safety of our children is paramount. Please accompany your children at all times. Sad though it may seem to have to point out, there could be dangers when children are left unsupervised in the parish grounds. Sad though it seems to have to draw attention to this, there is not only the risk of a traffic accident if a youngster were to run into the road but we must also be aware that there are individuals who do not have the wellbeing of children as a priority.

Following the most recent instructions from the Diocesan Safeguarding Team and in line with the CSSA 'Creating a Safer Environment', entry to the Sacristy from the Church must be recorded. In our situation, only liturgical ministers and servers have the right of access and regrettably, passage to the Presbytery via the Sacristy is no longer available to anyone else, when there are servers present.

Health & Safety Notice When you are in church, or on parish premises, please make sure that you are aware of the exits. In the unlikely event of having to vacate the church unexpectedly, during a service, please follow the instructions of the priest and our stewards. They will direct you to the nearest exit. Please vacate promptly. Thank you for helping us keep you safe