

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH, HIGH WEST STREET, DORCHESTER

Within the RC Diocese of Plymouth: Diocesan Charity No 213227

"The Church must be a place of mercy freely given, where everyone can feel welcomed, loved forgiven and encouraged to live the good life of the Gospel" [Pope Francis EG114]

The Most Holy Trinity – 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sunday 11 June <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>	Mass 8.30 am <i>Ints of the People</i> Mass 10.30 am <i>CWL Members & Families [CWL]</i> <i>Mass at 5.30 pm Leweston Convent School</i>	<i>Children's Liturgy</i>
Monday 12 June	No Mass at Holy Trinity	
Tuesday 13 June <i>St Anthony of Padua</i>	Morning Prayer 7.10 am Mass 7.30 am <i>Fr D J Friend RIP</i>	<i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Wednesday 14 June	Morning Prayer 9.20 am Mass 10.00 am <i>Sandra Simco Funeral Weymouth Crematorium 11.30 am</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Thursday 15 June	Morning Prayer 9.20 am Mass 10.00 am <i>Kitty & Ercoli Gussoni RIP</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Friday 16 June <i>St Richard of Chichester</i>	Evening Prayer 4.50 pm Mass 5.30 pm <i>Robert Huey RIP (ML)</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Stations of the Cross</i>
Saturday 17 June	Morning Prayer 8.20 am Mass 9.00 am <i>Mr & Mrs J Moonjelly RIP (JJ)</i> Confessions 9.45-10.45 am	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Sunday 18 June <i>The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ</i>	Mass 8.30 am <i>R & I Gois RIP</i> Mass 10.30 am <i>Ints of the People</i>	<i>Children's Liturgy</i>
Monday 19 June	No Mass at Holy Trinity	<i>St Romuald</i>
Tuesday 20 June <i>St Alban</i>	Morning Prayer 7.10 am Mass 7.30 am <i>Michael Lynch RIP (NDS)</i> <i>Funeral of Mrs Maureen Hawes RIP 2.00pm at Holy Trinity</i>	<i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Wednesday 21 June <i>St Aloysius Gonzaga</i>	Morning Prayer 9.20 am Mass 10.00 am <i>Holy Souls</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Thursday 22 June <i>SS John Fisher & Thomas More</i>	Morning Prayer 9.20 am Mass 10.00 am <i>Eileen Hawkins RIP</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>
Friday 23 June <i>The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>	Evening Prayer 4.50 pm Mass 5.30 pm <i>Sonia Butler Ints (JB/GS)</i>	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Sacred Heart</i>
Saturday 24 June <i>Nativity of John the Baptist</i>	Morning Prayer 8.20 am Mass 9.00 am <i>Joseph Thottupueam RIP (JJ)</i> Confessions 9.45-10.45 am	<i>Rosary</i> <i>Litany of Our Lady</i>

Intercessions for our Priests & Deacons

Mon: Deacon P Reeves; Tue: Deacon K Russell; Wed: Deacon J Sanders;
Thurs: Deacon A Shute; Fri: Deacon J Simon; Sat: Deacon N Thompson

Prayer Group – people gather together to pray for our Parish, in the Church meeting room on a Monday evening at 6.45 pm and all are very welcome. For more information please ring Emma on 01305 262690.

Rosary Group – meets in the Church at 6.30 pm on Tuesdays.

Study Group – meets in the Church at 10.30 am (term time only) on Wednesdays.

Reading and Reflection Group – Confessions of St Augustine on Wednesdays at 7.00 pm in the Convent.

Meeting for the Readings of Sunday Preparation – Thursdays at 11.00 am. For more information ring Rosalie on 01305 268753.

The weekly meeting (term time only) for **those children requiring catechism classes** is on Sundays for about an hour from 12.30 pm.

Finance

The offerings last Sunday amounted to £814.19, added to this is the weekly giving by some parishoners via the bank of £180. The bonus ball on 3 June was number 48 and was a rollover. The retiring collection for the sick and retired clergy fund over the past two weeks amounted to £637.59. As usual with second collections we hold them back for several weeks in the office to ensure that all have the opportunity to give – so it is not too late!

Mega Youth Poll – for young Catholics aged 13-29, share your feelings on your life, faith and vocational discernment. To take part follow this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/parish-youth-poll> or type Mega Youth Poll into your search engine and follow the instructions. Let the Church know what you think. Survey closes on 30 June.

'It's Wednesday' on 14 June from 2.00-4.00 pm in the Parish Centre. Call in for a cup of tea and a chat. Join the Scrabble group if you wish. All most welcome.

The SVP will meet at the Parish Centre on Wednesday 14 June at 6.30 pm

The Evangelisation Group will meet on Thursday 15 June at 7.00 pm in the Church, this is Maria's last meeting, so do come and meet her successor, Pippa Worth. Refreshments available, all most welcome.

Holy Trinity Walkers next walk is on Saturday 24 June. Meet at the Parish Centre at 10.00 am or map ref 547974 (small car park) at 10.25 am, for an easy walk of about four miles exploring Dorset Wildlife Trust's Powerstock Common. Details from Barbara Noble on 01305 264070. All welcome, bring a snack lunch.

Altar Servers: If you would like to serve on the altar, (any age, any sex!), then come to a meeting/practise on Saturday 24 June at 11.00 am in the church meeting room. You would be most welcome!

Oberammergau - Passion Play 2020: For those interested in this there will be a short meeting to discuss it and find out a little more on Saturday 24 June at 2.00 pm in the church meeting room. How much it will cost, where we hope to go, etc and when!

Visitation of the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and Relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco will take place at Plymouth Cathedral from 24-25 June during this centenary year. Details of the Visitation programme as a whole can be seen here: <http://www.worldfatima-EnglandWales.org.uk/visitation.html> or see the poster at the back of church.

Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: There will be a meeting for all ministers on Saturday 1 July at 11.00 am in the church meeting room. This is partly due to needing a new organiser and partly due to looking at where we are at. New ministers particularly welcome!

Quiet Day at Buckfast Abbey – Saturday 1 July. The subject of this Quiet Day is *'Holding on and letting go; has it always got to be like this?'* and explores why we need to step out of our 'comfort zone' and asks why do we hang on to things we have no use for? The day takes place in the Violet Evelyn Hall at Southgate and runs from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm. The cost is £15 to include refreshments and a light lunch. Mass will be celebrated as part of the day and there will be an opportunity for quiet prayer, group discussions and confession.

Altar Servers' Mass at Plymouth Cathedral at 11.30 am on Saturday 8 July. Bishop Mark would like as many altar servers as possible from the Diocese, and their families, to join him at this Mass, and the barbeque following. Servers would need to bring their albs, cassocks and cottas. If you would like to attend please let Fr Barry or Moira know so that sufficient catering is provided. The event will finish by 2.00 pm.

Fr Barry and one other person in the Parish are looking for a cleaner, if you are interested or know someone who might be interested please contact Fr Barry. This would be for a total of 7 hours a week.

Dates for the Future

June	24-25	Our Lady of Fatima - statue visitation Plymouth Cathedral
July	8	Sr Marion's visit, Church meeting room 11.00 am
	8	Altar Servers' Mass at Plymouth Cathedral, followed by bbq
	9	Clifton Diocesan Annual Pilgrimage to Glastonbury
	21-23	39 th Annual National Justice & Peace Conference at Swanick
October	14-15	South West Celebrate Weekend, Plymouth
November	25-26	Bishop's Visitation
September 2018	7-9	National Eucharistic Congress, Liverpool

Pray for the sick: Martin Hazel, Frank and Jill Kerley, Amelia Holt, Rose Yardley, Catherine Grossmith, Malcom Brown, Clare Hymas, Denise Chapman, Deirdre Norton, Sheila Kellaway, Sonia Butler, Alison Prior, and for all those in hospital and in our residential and nursing homes. Also for those who have died recently including Maureen Hawes and Sandra Simco

Parish Information

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Barry Hallett Deacon: Rev Nicholas Thompson
Parish Sisters: Sister Alphonsa DSFS, Sister Raji DSFS and Sister Susha DSFS
Parish Safeguarding Reps: Elizabeth Hughes (01305 269163), Teresa Jeanes (01305 263216)
Guidance and information also on www.csas.uk.net/resource-area
**The Presbytery & DSFS Convent Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Culliford Road North,
Dorchester DT1 1QG**
**Tel: 01305 251976 or email barry.hallett@prcdtr.org.uk (Presbytery)
01305 264355 (Convent)**
Parish Secretary: Moira Farley (Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.00 am to 2.00 pm)
Tel: 01305 251976 or email dorchester@prcdtr.org.uk
St. Mary's Catholic School, Lucetta Lane. Dorchester. DT1 2DD. Tel: 01305 262258
Headteacher: Mrs Paula Fearn

There are some **new CTS pamphlets** available at the rear of the church, They include more copies of the simple prayer book, in English, German, French, Italian, Portuguese and Tagalog (for good measure!) Copies of the simple penance book; the rosary; what the Church teaches etc. Money can be placed in the window slots near the sacristy.

Refugee Camp in Calais: Clothing would be much appreciated for these needy people, please contact Barbara on 01305 251050 or give to Fr Barry and he will ensure they get it!

The foodbank is suffering from the loss of much of the opening of the church, do remember to continue to give as the opportunity arises.

From Fr Barry: We had a meeting of those who kindly do our children's liturgy group and I will say a few words about this at both Masses today. It has been a great success as far as I can see. It's main purpose is to encourage our children in their faith, but it also encourages us in ours too! There are a few points raised at the recent meeting and these include the age range that are coming, the catechists are happy with ages 4 till end of Yr 3. There will always be exceptions to this as some of the older youngsters are helping out! Mostly because of space, but for other reasons too parents need to be happy to leave their children at the liturgy and they will rejoin you at the offertory. Some children of course require a few weeks of getting to know the Catechists and other children, so if the children want you to stay for a while, do!

Various Works Needed: You will have noticed/heard that we have some leaks in our roof, and so we will get these sorted out. We also need the church doors revarnishing and the outside seats done. This coming week we are having a nest of bees removed from the parish centre, it is costing us almost a thousand pounds but there is no way around it! The soffitt boards and down pipes at the parish centre have not been done for a long time and are in need of doing up, quotes will be obtained!

Having been here 20 months now, I am beginning [I am a slow learner if you have not guessed] to see what the parish is about, and I have some thoughts about our future which I will share with you in future newsletters.

We have had several suggestions about the ability to open the church for longer, The rota for keeping the church open even a few hours a day, is not really working. Though we will continue to offer this in the meantime. The CCTV has been mentioned and that helps, though it does need loading every day and watching, Also some sort of inner porch, mostly of glass is also an opportunity. But it would cost. Any other ideas?

[Can I remind people that in order to keep the church open at the moment, even for a few hours a day it requires at least two people to sign up for each slot. One person, one name is not enough I am sorry to say. It would be good to fill the rota in for several weeks at a time!]

Oberammergau Play 2020: This as you know only happens once every ten years, I have for some time thought about attending it. [Before I drop off my perch so to speak]. If you are interested in saving up [it will cost us!] and going sometime in 2020 then let me know. We would combine it with a visit to other places, like Bavaria's Fairy Tale Castle or the magic of Austria. Our rood screen comes from Oberammergau. Even though it is several years away, we would need to book places over this summer!

*Ignatian spirituality tells us that we are not alone;
that God is not removed from our world.*

*The task is not so much about getting out of our mess in order to find God,
but more, much more, about bringing God into our mess.*

*God meets us in our personal experience, in our relationships,
dreams, hopes, pains and worries.*

[From 'Finding God in all Things' by Brian Grogan sj]