# IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC PARISH

# St. Mary, Immaculate Mother of God, Barnstaple & St. Joseph's, South Molton

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# Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B) Sunday 13th June 2021

BARNSTAPLE SERVICE TIMES			
Date		Time	Feasts & Mass Intentions
Sunday	13th	09:30 18:30	11th Sunday OT The People of the Parish Celebrating the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Jan and Mary Szymankiewicz
Monday	14th	-	P.A. Alexander RIP
Tuesday	15th	-	The Recently Deceased
Wednesday	16th	10:00	Bernard and Mavis Knibbs RIP
Thursday	17th	-	
Friday	18th	10:00	Sympathy for the husband of Sylvia Moran
Saturday	19th		The Sick and Housebound Confession and Exposition
Sunday	20th		12th Sunday OT The People of the Parish
SOUTH MOLTON SERVICE TIMES			
Date		Time	Feasts & Mass Intentions
Saturday	12th	17:30	Pericles Mello RIP
Saturday	19th	17:30	Fr Claudio Rossi RIP

Masses shown with times given are public Masses, others are private Masses with no congregation.

## **Help Keep Our Churches COVID Safe Environments**

- Keep social distancing
- Use hand gel on entering and leaving the church
- Wear face masks these must cover both the mouth and nose and should be put on before you enter the church.

## Live Streaming of Mass from St. Mary's: Sunday at 9.30 am

Sunday Mass is live streamed from St Mary's, Barnstaple at 9:30am. This can be found on the Barnstaple parish Facebook page: <a href="www.facebook.com/BarnstapleCatholicParish">www.facebook.com/BarnstapleCatholicParish</a>. There is also a link to this from the parish website.

# Fr James Barber & Clergy Moves

At the beginning of September there will be a number of clergy moves in the diocese. As part of these moves, Fr. James has been appointed as Assistant Priest to both St Mary's & St Joseph's parishes, Poole and Priest Chaplain of St Edward's Secondary School.

Although there will not be a priest replacing Fr. James in Barnstaple, two priests from India, Fr Ignatius Paul Raj SDM and Fr Anil Kumar Gundabathina SDM, will be moving into the presbytery in Bideford and will minister in Bideford parish as well as help out in Barnstaple parish. They are members of the Society of St Eugene De Mazenod (SDM). Canon Peter will remain in charge of both Barnstaple and Bideford parishes.

#### The Recently Deceased

Please pray for Terry Moon, a parishioner in the parish who recently passed away. May he rest in peace.

# Do you care about building a better world? This is an important year to act!

In response to Pope Francis' call to *Rebuild Our Common Home*, join CAFOD this year in taking action. As host to two major international meetings - the G7 in June in Cornwall & the UN 'COP26' climate talks in November - the UK has a vital role to play on the global stage this year. Join CAFOD to add your voice to call on the government to rebuild better following the pandemic by: Tackling the climate crisis, holding business accountable, ending unjust debts. We invite you to join us at our Exeter Deanery meeting about CAFOD's campaign & our plans to build a better world. Hear from CAFOD's inspirational new Campaigns Engagement Manager, Andrea Speranza, about the campaign & how to set up virtual meetings with your local MP, to speak up for the poorest of our sisters and brothers and the whole of creation. You do not need to be an expert on the issues, you just need to care about building a better world. Join us on zoom: Monday, 21st June, 6.30-8pm. To register please email: <a href="majornative">plymouth@cafod.org.uk</a>

# **Hospital Visits**

If you are taken to hospital and would like a priest to visit, please contact the parish office or ask a member of the hospital staff to get in touch

# Online Event: The God Who Speaks Through Creation

Following the launch of the Diocesan Environmental Policy, you are invited to join *Caritas Plymouth* at an online reflection and discussion on how God speaks to us through His creation. This event will be on Saturday 17th July at 10-11.30am via Zoom. Join Bishop Mark O'Toole to reflect on climate change, our Diocesan Environment Policy and the call to be Stewards of Creation. The Guest Speaker is Sister Margaret Atkins OSA, a Canoness of St Augustine in the community at Boarbank Hall, Cumbria. She is a lecturer and author in theology with special interest in the ethics of the environment. To register for this event please visit: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/6zMtmFn2fJ">https://forms.office.com/r/6zMtmFn2fJ</a> or email <a href="mailto:caritas@prcdtr.org.uk">caritas@prcdtr.org.uk</a> or call 01364 653421.

# CSAN/Reset webinar on Community Sponsorship (14th June)

6.00 - 7.30pm. Caritas Social Action Network is running a joint webinar with Reset on the Community Sponsorship scheme. Community Sponsorship is a refugee resettlement programme with local people at its heart. It enables you to welcome a refugee family to your local area and support them as they rebuild their lives. This webinar is a great opportunity to find out how to get involved and hear from refugees and parishioners who have experienced its transformative impact. To register: <a href="https://www.communitysponsorship.org.uk/events">www.communitysponsorship.org.uk/events</a>

#### **Diocesan Youth Ministry**

Care for creation (3<sup>rd</sup> July 10-4.00 at St Rita's, Honiton).

Social justice, what do we mean, what is our responsibility and what could we do? This day event is for young adults aged 12-20. It is a chance to explore social justice topics around care for creation. Young adults will have the opportunity to broaden their knowledge and express their views on a variety of topics, taking the chance to reflect on what is happening around them and what action they could take. Parents/ Guardians are also invited to this event. We are asking for a contribution of £10 per person to help cover costs of speakers and lunch. If you would like to attend, please follow the link to sign up. <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/chUcje9sam">https://forms.office.com/r/chUcje9sam</a>

# **Jesus Walks With US** (10<sup>th</sup> July 10.00 - 4.00 at St Rita's, Honiton)

I am excited that By Design Theatre, Rise Theatre and the team from Stay Awake, amongst others are coming together to run a conference for young people aged from 10-16. The young people will have the chance to explore the Emmaus walk piece of scripture through the arts. There will be a number of workshops on offer including Art, Craft, Drama and Dance. We are asking for £10 contribution to cover the costs of speakers and the lunch provided. If you would like place, please complete the following form: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/spcJ3YGuKj">https://forms.office.com/r/spcJ3YGuKj</a>. For further information please contact Saskia Hogbin: <a href="mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk">youth@prcdtr.org.uk</a>

## **Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Summer Camps**

## **Junior Camp for School Years 3-6**

9-13 August online with activities in the morning and evening, with the group coming together on Friday 13th at St Rita's Centre, Honiton. Email: <a href="mailto:juniorcamp@prcdtr.org.uk">juniorcamp@prcdtr.org.uk</a>

#### **Senior Camp for School Years 7-10**

9-13 August online with meetings in the morning and afternoon, as a short taster, with a live 4-day actual camp at Buckfast in October half term. Details for the residential Camp will be advertised shortly. Email: <a href="mailto:seniorcamp@prcdtr.org.uk">seniorcamp@prcdtr.org.uk</a>

# St Petroc's Camp for School Years 11 and 12

9-13 August will have a Live Camp at St Rita's Centre, Honiton Email: <a href="mailto:stpetrocscamp@prcdtr.org.uk">stpetrocscamp@prcdtr.org.uk</a>

#### Diocese of Plymouth Vacancy - Caritas Project Lead

Fixed term contract (15 months), 28 hours per week. Caritas Plymouth has a vacancy to lead a new project to develop social action in our Plymouth Parishes. The role will involve mapping current social action and community engagement, identifying gaps and opportunities and testing and learning from pilot projects. The job description is obtainable from the Human Resources Department on 01364 645383, email <a href="mailto:recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk">recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk</a>. Applications by application form and covering letter. Closing date 4 July 2021, first interviews w/c 12<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

# **Gift Aid Envelopes**

Gift Aid envelopes are available to pick up from the Narthex. For those tax payers interested in registering as Gift Aiders, please contact the parish office.

# **Financial Support of the Parish**

In the present circumstances, parishioners who wish to contribute to the financial support of the parish can do so in the following ways:

- Placing a donation in a collection basket in the church
- Posting cheques or money to the presbytery
- By Standing Order or BACS Transfer (contact the parish office for details)

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon, Tue, Thurs, & Fri. 8.30 - 12.30 St. Mary's Church House, Higher Church Street, Barnstaple. EX32 8JE Parish Secretary: Claire Spears

Plymouth Diocesan Trust

Registered Charity Number 213227

# **Parish Primary School**

Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Chanter's Hill, Barnstaple. EX32 8DN Tel: 01271 345164 Principal: Rob Meech

Chair of Governors: Sandy Anderson

Safeguarding Rep. (Barnstaple): Ruth O'Donovan (Tel: 01271 342493)

Please contact her if you have any safeguarding concerns.