

Parish of The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey & Saint Cyprian, Ugbrooke W E L C O M E

Part of the R.C. Diocese of Plymouth. Charity Number 213227



Priest in Charge: served from St Joseph's, 96 Queen Street, Newton Abbot, TQ12 2ET

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Deacons: Gerard Nosowski and Tim van Kroonenburg

The Holy Spirit Church

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Your nearest AED:

Automated External Defibrillator is located on the top shelf of the server's wardrobe in the Sacristy.

Accessibility: - Please ask the Welcome Group if disabled access is required.

- The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey is fully accessible via a ramp at the side of the church and disabled toilet in the hall.
- Our Church has a loop system.

Sunday 16 th March 2025	SECOND WEEK OF LENT	Year C	PSALTER 2
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Sunday Second Sunda	16 March ay of Lent	9.00am 10.30am	Mass, Ugbrooke (People of the Parish) Mass, Bovey Tracey	
Monday	17 March	NO MASS	ST PATRICK	FEAST
Tuesday	18 March	10.00am	Mass (Holy Souls)	
Wednesday	19 March	NO MASS	ST JOSEPH	SOL
Thursday	20 March	NO MASS		
Friday	21 March	NO MASS		
Saturday	22 March	NO MASS		
Sunday Third Sunday	23 March of Lent	9.00am 10.30am 5.00pm	Mass, Ugbrooke Mass, Bovey Tracey (<i>People of the Parish</i>) Stations of the Cross, Bovey Tracey	

COFFEE and TEA in the PARISH HALL after Mass. First Sunday only in each month.

Rite of Election Plymouth Cathedral Sunday 9th March: Congratulations to Fran, Iris, Luke and Tasha from our Parishes in Newton Abbot and Bovey Tracey who on Sunday were welcomed by our Diocesan Administrator, Canon Paul Cummins in a beautiful ceremony at the Cathedral. All four are preparing for reception into the Church at Easter. They were equally welcomed into our parish communities earlier in the day. Please pray for them as they make this great journey of Faith.

A note from Angie - Parish Secretary, Bovey Tracey & Ugbrooke: After 16 years as Parish Secretary in Bovey Tracey, it is time to move on to a new chapter. I'll be taking on a new role as Property Administrator based at St Boniface House. My last day in the parish office will be Friday 28th March 2025. Please note the mobile 07434 635722 will no longer be in use after this date. Please contact St Joseph's on 01626 365231 if you require any assistance. Thanks for your kindness, support and friendship you have shown me over the years. It has been a privilege to work for the parish and I will miss being part of this community. Wishing you all the very best! Angie.

NEW VACANCY - Parish Secretary, Bovey Tracey. Tuesday and Friday mornings 9am-1pm. If you are interested in applying for the role, please speak to Fr George, David Smith, Michael Bovill or contact the parish office.

CAN YOU HELP THE PARISH? We are in need of volunteers to help the parish with the following roles:

Treasurer: to include prepare Agenda, Accounts and Budget, attend Finance meetings. <u>Please note there is no</u> accountancy background needed.

Gift Aid Organiser; to assist with Gift Aid enquiries, annual claim and attend Finance Committee Meetings. You will be supported by the Chair of Finance and our Parish Bookkeeper. If you can help support the parish, please contact David Smith on 07976 956298 or Michael Bovill on 01626 833940 or please speak to them in church. Thank you.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS OUR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Ronald Asbury, Nick Martin, Samuel Horton, Pamela Lekis, Elizabeth Newton, Chelsea Fowler, Peter Dowse, Adriene O'Mara, Jean Humphrey, Jill Huish, Colin & Maureen Parnell, Claire Bovill, Tony Potter, Marian Chmiel, Nancy Macpherson, Christine & John Horton, Sam Griffiths, Reg Gregory, Fr Pat Costello, Pauline Batten, Maureen Biggins and please remember in our prayers all the priests in our diocese who are ill. At this time, we remember both those who are suffering with the coronavirus and those looking after them.

POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR MARCH: FOR THE NEW MARTYRS We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm. See also https://thepopevideo.org/

NEW Caritas March Newsletter: Click on the link for news from Caritas about love in action around the diocese: https://tinyurl.com/285mneux

LENTEN QUIET DAY 22ND MARCH 10AM TO 4.30PM BUCKFAST ABBEY: Our next Lenten Quiet Day is on 22nd March. More details will follow. Please put this date in your diaries. <u>If you are interested, please add your name to the list in the porch TODAY!</u>

Here is the link to the Lenten offering for week 2: It features a reflection on the readings for the second Sunday of Lent by Monsignor Draper, CAFOD's intercessory prayer and prayers on the theme of hope from the pupil chaplains at Our Lady & St Patrick's school Teignmouth https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t/t-5A052451FEA82ECD2540EF23F30FEDED

LENTEN DIARY:

PLEASE TAKE A COPY OF ST JOSEPH'S HOLY WEEK & EASTER PROGRAMME, AVAILABLE IN PORCH.

WALK WITH ME 'Lent' Booklets are available in the porch, please take one and place your payment of £1 in the wall box marked publications, thank you.

CAFOD Lent Appeal – Family Fast Day collection Please donate to our Family Fast Day parish collection to be a pilgrim of hope with CAFOD this Jubilee Year. You'll be supporting communities suffering the impacts of war, poverty and climate change to find solutions and hope. Next Sunday Anthony Allott will be coming from CAFOD to make the Lent Fast Appeal. CAFOD envelopes will be available, you can find more information and make an online donation at cafod.org.uk/lent-appeal For many years this parish has been a great supporter of CAFOD. It is thanks to your donations that CAFOD has been able to undertake many projects supporting those in need in the world. Currently your parish does not have a parish coordinator, if you would like to help CAFOD in this vital role please speak to Anthony after Mass.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS are being held in <u>Bovey Tracey at 5pm</u> on the following **Sundays**; <u>3rd Sunday in Lent (23rd March) and 5th Sunday in Lent (6th April)</u>. Stations are also taking place weekly **Friday's**; <u>9.30am at St Gregory's</u> and 10am at St Joseph's.

CHURCH CLEAN FOR EASTER: After Mass on Tuesday 8th April, please help if you can!

CHRISM MASS: Wednesday 16th April, 12noon, at Plymouth Cathedral for the celebration of the annual Chrism Mass. At this Mass the Holy Oils to be used in every parish in the coming year are blessed and priests renew their commitment.

LENTEN TALKS: Fr Mark Skelton is again organising a series of Lenten Talks on Zoom to which anyone is welcome. **Join Zoom Meeting:** https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84052447850?pwd=MmPzcp911dTsGJWDxR0vH5H9zYS4e6.1 **Meeting ID:** 840 5244 7850 **Passcode:** 043004 *Please do come and join us and share the journey, talk starts at 7pm.* 20th March:- Debt cancellation. 27th March:- Recognizing Hope. 3rd April:- Peace. 10th April:- Jesus's last Pilgrimage.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES:

Palm Sunday: 9.00am Mass, Ugbrooke

10.30am Mass, Bovey Tracey (please assemble in the hall for the Blessing of Palms).

Maundy Thursday: 7.00pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, Bovey Tracey

If you would like to volunteer for Washing of the Feet and/or Watching at the Altar of Repose,

please add your name to the appropriate list in the porch.

Good Friday: 3.00pm Solemn Commemoration of the Lord's Passion, Bovey Tracey

By tradition, we take a retiring collection after Mass for the upkeep of the Holy Places in the Holy Land. The collection ensures not only that the buildings remain accessible, but that local Christians are able to stay in their homeland.

Holy Saturday: 8.00pm The Easter Vigil, Bovey Tracey

FOR AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH FR ANTHONY OR ANY OF OUR PRIESTS

please contact St Joseph's Parish Office 01626 365231 or email newtonabbot@prcdtr.org.uk

COLLECTIONS: 09.03.25: TBA. Thank you to all who contribute so generously.

Parish Upcoming Collections: 16th March – CAFOD Lent Fast Day. 18th April - Holy Places.

(NB. Please make cheques to the parish payable to: PRCDTR Bovey & Chudleigh RC Parish.)

EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION: There will be a second collection held on Sunday, 6th April, monies raised will go towards decorating our Churches for Easter. Thank you for your generous response.

SAFEGUARDING: Our parish Safeguarding Representative is Marian Lancaster: if you have any enquiries or concerns about Safeguarding, please contact Marian in confidence on 07761 058653. The Diocese of Plymouth's Safeguarding Team is available on 01364 645430 or by email on safeguarding@prcdtr.org.uk

SAFE SPACES: The Safe Spaces team is there for those who have experienced church-related abuse of any kind through its helpline and live chat service between **Mon-Fri 9am-9pm**, **Saturday 9am-1pm & Sunday 1pm-5pm**.

Tel: 0300 303 1056, Email: safespaces@firstlight.org.uk, LiveChat: www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk, Website: www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk,

UPDATE – **Truck Fuel:** Thank you for all your generosity in giving to the fuel fund for Ukraine, purchasing Reg's lovely cards and the chicks. With donations we have raised £144.00! This is most appreciated for their vital work. *Thank you, Veronica Sharam.*