



**Catholic Parishes of
St Mary's Poole and
St Anthony of Padua Broadstone.**



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RC Diocese of Plymouth Registered Charity Number 213227

JULY 2021

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time B1 Ps 4

Saturday 17th

5.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Anthony's –
for Adrian & Rae Thomas 50th Wedding Anniversary

Sunday 18th

9.30am Mass at St Mary's:
Grace Greaney & Nancy Gallagher RIP
5.30pm Mass at St Mary's: People of both Parishes

Monday 19th

No Mass: Church closed all day

Tuesday 20th

St. Apollinaris
10.00am Mass at St Mary's: Intentions of Thomas family

Wednesday 21st

1.00pm Requiem Mass at St Mary's: Laurie Jones RIP
2.00pm-3.00pm Private Prayer at St. Anthony's
7.00pm Holy Hour at St. Mary's

Thursday 22nd

St. Mary Magdalene
No Mass:

Friday 23rd

St. Bridget of Sweden – Patron of Europe
10.30am Requiem Mass at St Mary's: Philip Antwis RIP

Saturday 24th

Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary
No Mass:

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 24th

5.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Anthony's :Paul Benjamin RIP

Sunday 25th

9.30am Mass at St Mary's:
James and Rosamma Chacko RIP
5.30pm Mass at St Mary's: Intentions of Paul Singleton

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

All those who have recently died: Laurie Jones, Phil Antwis, Gary Bredda and Helen Green RIP

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME INCLUDING: Zora McNaught, Sandy Thompson, Ivy Finch, Mary Costley, John Mackreth, Claire Kenyon, Deirdre Goodey, Laurence Clapham, Doreen Conroy, Beatie Harris, Lester McCann and Stanley Edwards

THE SICK: Patrick Walsh, Don Gange, Edna Archer, Gino Mondino, Thomas Torak, Cecelia Grimston, Pat Lodge, Harry Greene, Joan Poole, Philip Philbin, Fern Harrison, Mark Howson, Laura Gonzalez, Anna Potter, Doreen Jones, Edna Price, Maria Scott, Vicky Beswick, Mary Abreu, Nick Elby, Alan Brown, Aimee Alexander, David Wenham, Andrea Masterson, Cath Kiamtia, Bee Stone, Jeanette Duffy, Louise Lobo, Roger Murray, Julia Wenham, Catriona Chandler, Maureen Kirby, Pat Stace, Mary Kearney, John Mondino, Patricia Long, Nikki Pink, Joan Daniel, Gerrardina Allen, Mary Fairhall Mike Gallagher and Bishop Christopher Budd

For: All those in nursing homes and those who care for them.

For: Harvey Jeffery who is baptised today and his family

Please pray for the priests of our Diocese

Deacons

19 th	July	Leo Pilley
20 th	July	Kelvin Russell
21 st	July	John Sanders
22 nd	July	Andrew Shute
23 rd	July	Jonathan Simon
24 th	July	Nicholas Thompson

Invitation to Prayer

The first reading teaches us that integrity is a name of God. Aware of our failings and our need of God's help, we offer prayers for our Church, our word and ourselves.

Concluding Prayer

Lord of all, eternal Father, through your Son you have revealed the true shepherd of your flock. May the prayers we have made unite us ever more closely. Grant them we pray through Christ our Lord.

Items for the Newsletter to be in the parish office no later than 12 noon Wednesday

MASSES AT BOTH CHURCHES

**Please don't forget to book before 12 noon on Friday
Web Site – Email –
or tel: 01202 675412
Any notification after this time will not be registered.**

Sacrament of Confirmation

Are you year 9 or above and ready to make a personal commitment of faith in your life?

If so, please let us know and we can add you to those seeking Confirmation in the summer of 2022. The programme will run from September, so be prepared.

Deacon Nick [poole-stmaryorg.uk]

Safe Spaces is a free and independent support service, providing a confidential, personal and safe space for anyone who has been abused by someone in the Church or as a result of their relationship with the Church of England, the Catholic Church of England and Wales or the Church in Wales. More information on poster in church porch

Psalms Concert

The planned concert of new settings for twelve psalms used in the Mass, composed by Toby Nelms has sadly had to be cancelled. It was scheduled for performance on March 2020 but was caught by the Covid lockdown and subject to long delay. Toby has just qualified as a music teacher and is to undertake his first two years as a teacher in Dubai, meaning he will now be unable to perform the concert with singers and choir as he had hoped, owing to ongoing restrictions on singing.

If you hold a ticket, you can get a refund on production of the ticket at the parish office. Those who purchased tickets online via Eventbrite will receive an automated refund. With apologies.

Parishes Website

We are moving the parish website to a new platform imminently and, although key areas (Mass booking, service information and YouTube link) will work as normal, there will be some disruption as other parts are taken down and updated over coming weeks. If you have any comments or suggestions, we will be happy to hear them Thank you for your patience.

Deacon Nick

Where have you been?

Over the last eighteen months, parishioners have 'been' to Mass all over the world. Sometimes their historical homes elsewhere in the UK or another country, sometimes a place they have never been to but found via the worldwide web. We would like to hear from you about where you have attained Mass, the name of the churches and the places. When we have news from a good number of parishioners, we will share with everybody the tangible evidence of our universal church! Email - poole-stmary@prcdtr.org.uk - with the title Worldwide Church or phone or drop a note in. This could be fun!

SVP

We are blessed to have an SVP Conference in the parish to help those in need. If you, or anyone you know, is in need of company or practical assistance please let the office know and they will contact one of our members to see if we can help.

CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS ASSOCIATION – Keeping Prayer at the Heart of Family Life

Pope Francis has established a World Day for Grandparents and The Elderly, taking place for the first time on Sunday 25th July.

<http://www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org>

Reflection for today *from Robert Draper*

As it was in the time of Ezekiel, so it is today; when those entrusted with the care of the sheep fail in their responsibility it is a cause of scandal – literally a stumbling block for others.

The history of Israel throughout the Old Testament is littered with examples of people being raised up by God as prophets, priests, judges and kings and being entrusted with the care of the people, but who have failed to carry out their task, who have used their status and role as means of enriching themselves and achieving power. Sadly, the scandal of unworthy shepherds has continued with the New Israel of God down to the present day, and neither the continual failure nor the fact that at times things have been worse than at present in this respect, should excuse the denunciation of such shepherds.

In the passage from Ezekiel, it is most significant that the word God speaks is addressed to the shepherds of 'my' flock. The sheep do not belong to the shepherds; they belong to the Lord, and to abuse the sheep for profit is not just a crime against the sheep – it is rejection of God.

When such activity is found in the Church, it is literally scandalous. However, it is also true that in all parts of society and in all structures that are established for the welfare of others those entrusted with responsibility to act fail when they do so for their own personal advantage at the expense of the more needy. Such behaviour is immoral and should be censured.

For Christians, the prophetic task of denouncing unworthy shepherds must always go hand in hand with the equally important task of self-examination and self-challenging. All Christians are called to acknowledge their responsibility and duty towards others. When Jesus steps ashore and sees the large crowd, he takes pity and sets himself to teach them 'at some length' – that implies a task that is not trivial or to be skipped over.