



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



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Parish office: Mon– Friday 9.30am –2.30pm

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JANUARY

THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

A2 Ps3

SUNDAY OF THE WORD GOD

Saturday 24th 5.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Anthony's: Derek Bartlett RIP

**Sunday 25th 9.00am Rosary at St. Mary's in Blessed Sacrament Chapel
9.30am Mass at St Mary's with Children's Liturgy:
People of both parishes**

**3.00pm at St Mary's:
Service for Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
5.30pm Mass at St. Mary's: Josef Sample RIP**

Monday 26th No Mass

**Tuesday 27th No Mass at St Mary's:
6.00pm First Reconciliation: First Holy Communion Children**

**Wednesday 28th St Thomas Aquinas Pr Dr Mem
10.30am Mass at St Anthony's:
followed by the Rosary
7.00pm Holy Hour at St. Mary's**

Thursday 29th 10.00am Mass at St Mary's: Bridget Barrett Intentions

**Friday 30th 12 noon Mass at St. Mary's: Mary Antwis Intentions
followed by hunger lunch**

**Saturday 31st St John Bosco Pr Mem
10.00am Mass at St. Mary's: Maria Goveia & Jose da Costa RIP**

FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

A2 Ps4

Saturday 31st 5.00pm Vigil Mass at St. Anthony's: People of both parishes

FEBRUARY

**Sunday 1st 9.00am Rosary at St. Mary's in Blessed Sacrament Chapel
9.30am Mass at St Mary's with Children's Liturgy:
Peggy & Paul Marchesi RIP
5.30pm Mass at St. Mary's: John Allistone RIP**

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

For all those who have died Clement
Kpodo and for those whose
anniversaries occur at this time.

Pray for each other.

Please pray for the clergy on their day of Intercession this week

Jan 26 th	Gerard Wilberforce
Jan 27 th	Jaromir Wilczak
Jan 28 th	Jose Romero O.A.R.
Jan 29 th	Frank Umendia O.A.R.
Jan 30 th	Abbot David Charlesworth O.S.B.
Jan 31 st	Benet Conlon O.S.B.

'I was sick, alone or elderly and you visited me.'

Keep in your prayers the sick and the
housebound of both parishes.

Joan Poole, Doreen Jones, Rita Williams,
Kathleen Barrett, Mike Gallagher,
Dorothy Harrison, Derek Regan,
Adrienne Brady, Patrick McMorrow, Fr.
Denis, Binoj Thomas, Matthew Bell, Fr.
Chacko, Sinead Flanagan, Maureen Kirby,
Marie-Louise Heinen, Charlie Stone, Nikki
Pink and Phuong Mai Nguyen .

January 25th Churches Together

Prepared by St. John's Church

We give thanks for our doctors' surgeries
and other local health clinics in
Broadstone, and the care they give to
residents here. We pray that in times of
economic pressure on resources, on the
NHS and on other local services, you
would support and uphold those on
whom the burden lays heaviest.

Dilexi Te – The Burning Heart of the Church's Mission

*A day of reflection with Bishop Nicholas
Hudson*

21 February 2026,
11am-4pm, Buckfast Abbey Conference
Centre

Join Caritas and CAFOD this Lent for a
diocesan day to reflect on Pope Leo
XIV's powerful Apostolic Exhortation
Dilexi Te, which calls us to return to the
Gospel and reminds us that love of the
poorest of our sisters and brothers is
part of the "burning heart of the
Church's mission".

Hear from our inspirational Speakers:

**Rt Rev Nicholas Hudson, Bishop of
Plymouth; Christine Allen, CAFOD**

**Director; Raymond Friel OBE, CSAN
Chief Executive Officer; Fr. Richard Finn
OP, University of Oxford.**

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TOWARDS A SYNODAL CHURCH – Conversations in the Spirit

How do we listen to each other well?
How do we step back from our own agendas to be attentive to where the Spirit is moving?
How can we make better decisions about organising ourselves as Christian communities?
How do we enrich our parish communal life with enriching conversations?

The Synod process has emphasised the importance of listening and good conversations in our community life. However, these are not always so easy in practice!

Blessed Sacrament Exeter are hosting a one day face-to-face facilitator training workshop with Fr Matthew Nunes, Director of the School for Synodality.

This Conversations in the Spirit workshop will run on Saturday 21st February and will introduce the principles of holding prayerful, truthful and safe conversations which value gracious listening and courageous speaking.

It is suitable for all levels of experience, including people who have not been involved in the Synod process so far.

All parishioners from across the diocese are very welcome to attend - please email exeter-heavitree@prcdtr.org.uk to let us know you're coming.

We're asking for a contribution of just £10 per person to cover costs - pay on the day. Please bring a packed lunch!

9:30am tea and coffee for a 10am start, 3:30pm finish, Saturday 21st February, Richard Reynolds Centre, Blessed Sacrament Church, 29 Fore Street, Heavitree, EX1 2QJ

Functional English for Adult Beginners - 2026

This English lesson program is designed to:

- Enhance communication skills
- Boost confidence
- Develop grammar proficiency
- Expand vocabulary
- Refine pronunciation

Sessions will be held every Tuesday from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM at 211A Wimborne Rd, Poole, BH15 2EG.

The program is scheduled to commence on Tuesday, January 13th. For further details, please contact Shelagh Cummings -

Smcummings@hotmail.co.uk

(This course is offered free of charge, and any voluntary contributions are greatly appreciated).

ST. ANTHONY'S GAMES AFTERNOON

Games Afternoon in St Anthony's Hall (Fourth Tuesday of the month)

This Tuesday, 27th January, 2pm – 4pm. Do come along to enjoy a social afternoon with games, refreshments and chat with new and old friends. All welcome and do bring a friend.

Tuesdays@St Mary's Reaching the Unreached

27th January

We are delighted to welcome Mo Houlden and John Duffy to introduce an inspiring film and answer our questions about the history, activities and achievements of this remarkable charity established by Brother James Kimpton.

Our Poole parishes have done so much to support RTU over the years, and Arlene Campbell has recently visited the project and will add her own impressions and experiences.

Everyone welcome. St Mary's Hall 7.15pm refreshments 7.30pm start.

Further information andrewwilliams1150@gmail.com 07522 968778



SATURDAY 7TH FEBRUARY

Dance away the Winter blues with a lively Ceilidh, in aid of HCPT's Easter pilgrimage to Lourdes. Join us on Saturday 7th February in St Mary's Church Hall at 6.30pm. Expect live music, a buffet, bar and raffle...and great craic! Tickets £8 can be bought after 9.30am Mass from HCPT volunteers in orange.


We're excited to invite you to our **First Latin Night 2026 (HCPT fundraising event)** — an afternoon full of music, fun, dancing, and amazing Latin vibes for the whole family!


 **Date:** Saturday, 31 January 2026

 **Time:** 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

 **Venue:** St Mary's Catholic Church hall, 211a Wimborne Road, Poole, BH15 2EG

 **What's Included:** Dance, Games, Karaoke, Piñata

 **Entry Fees:** - Kids: £1 - Adults: £5 per person

 Tickets are available now, or you can buy them at the door on the day.

 **For more information:**

07949 505921 / 07564 007937

Come along, bring your friends and family, and support a great cause while enjoying an unforgettable Latin night!

This event celebrates Latin culture through music, dance, games, and activities for children and families. All funds raised will support **HCPT's mission** of enabling children, young people, and adults with disabilities to experience pilgrimage and community.

We look forward to seeing you there   