



Parish of The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey & Saint Cyprian, Ugbrooke

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

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Sunday 27 th November 2022			First Sunday of Advent	Year A
Sunday	27	November	8.45am	Mass, Ugbrooke
<i>First Sunday of Advent</i>			10.30am	Mass, Bovey Tracey (People of the Parish)
Monday	28	November	NO MASS	
Tuesday	29	November	10.00am	Mass (Bettina & Denis Sisley RIP)
Wednesday	30	November	NO MASS	ST ANDREW – APOSTLE FEAST
Thursday	1	December	NO MASS	
Friday	2	December	10.00am	Mass (Christopher Leete RIP)
Saturday	3	December	NO MASS	
Sunday	4	December	8.45am	Mass, Ugbrooke (People of the Parish)
<i>Second Sunday of Advent</i>			10.30am	Mass, Bovey Tracey

ADVENT: TODAY sees the beginning of the season of Advent, a time of preparation for the celebration of the birthday of Christ Our Saviour. It's a time when the Lord calls us at the beginning of Advent to a renewed level of spiritual attentiveness.

PLEASE PRAY for the repose of the soul of Sally Silsby who died this week. As many of you will know, Sally was the Church Warden at St John's Church. May she rest in peace.

POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER: For children who suffer. We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection. See also <https://thepopevideo.org/>

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS OUR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Ronald Asbury, Bishop Christopher, Nick Martin, Susan Smith, Samuel Horton, Pamela Lekis, Elizabeth Newton, George Lentern, Chelsea Fowler, Peter Dowse, Adriene O'Mara, Diana & Ron Linfield, Mai Clifford, Jean Humphrey, Jill Huish, Colin & Maureen Parnell, John Long, Christine & John Horton, Claire Bovill, Pat Smith, Tony Potter, Marian Chmiel, Nancy Macpherson, Paddy Bamsey & please remember in our prayers all the priests in our diocese who are ill. At this time, we remember in particular both those who are suffering with the coronavirus and those looking after them.

WALK WITH ME booklets, a journey of prayer for Advent and Christmas with a thought for each day through to the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord are available at the back of the Church, please take one and if you wish place payment of £1 in the wall box marked publications, thank you.

DIOCESEAN YEAR BOOKS 2023: It is hoped that the Year Books will be available in the church porch to collect this weekend, for those who have ordered them. Please tick your name off the list and place any monies in the publication box or hand to a welcomer. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES 2022:

Saturday 24th December	6.00pm	Blessing of the Crib and Mass, The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey
Vigil of Christmas	8.30pm	Blessing of the Crib and Mass, St Cyprian's Chapel
Sunday 25th December	<i>Please note there will be no Morning Mass at St Cyprian's Chapel</i>	
The Nativity of the Lord	10.30am	Christmas Morning Mass, The Holy Spirit, Bovey Tracey

DIPPING INTO THE CATECHISM – A RESPONSE TO THE SYNOD Each week we offer an excerpt from the Catechism along with a simple explanation. *Copies are available online or if you would like a paper copy please contact the parish office.* If you would like to further explore the teachings of our faith, there are several groups across the diocese that meet locally and online. Please contact deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

Thank you from CAFOD Your support over this challenging year has been life-changing and very much appreciated. Thank you for praying, campaigning, donating or volunteering to support people and communities in their struggles against poverty and in the face of huge humanitarian crises, such as the war in Ukraine, the Pakistan Floods and the World food Crisis, particularly in East Africa. For example in South Sudan, where many communities have taken in displaced people fleeing violence and natural

disasters. With your support our local experts help the communities give the arrivals food, and some are also given land. They erect temporary structures as shelter and helped to start farming. Thank you for helping to support people and communities like this throughout the world. Please pray for our sisters and brothers around the world this Advent and Christmas time. Wishing you a truly blest, peaceful and joyful Advent and a happy Christmas from all at CAFOD.

VACANCY: SAFEGUARDING ADMINISTRATOR, St. Boniface House, Ashburton with some home working to meet COVID Secure requirements. £12.20 per hour pro rata'd to 3 days (Actual Salary £13,322 per annum) 3 days a week preferably Mon, Tues & Wed. The Safeguarding Administrator works as part of the Diocesan Safeguarding Team delivering measures to ensure the safety of the young and vulnerable within the Diocese. For an informal discussion, please contact the Safeguarding Co-ordinator Robert Brown on robert.brown@prcdtr.org.uk or Annette Moody-Burkinshaw on annette.moody-burkinshaw@prcdtr.org.uk The job description is obtainable from the HR Dept on 01364 645383 or email recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk. Applications by application form and covering letter. The closing date is Monday 5 December. Interviews will be held during week commencing Monday 12 December. **The appointee to this post will be subject to an enhanced clearance through the Disclosure & Barring Service.**

FLAME 2023 – Saturday 4th March, Wembley Stadium times tbc Age: 14 – 21. Join Youth Events at Wembley Stadium on Saturday March 4th. Tickets are £35 which include entry and travel to Wembley. Coaches will pick up from locations in Dorset and Devon. It's a great chance to hear from speakers like Robert Bilott, singer/ songwriter Adenike and award winner Guvna B. This is the largest catholic gathering in England and Wales. To book: <https://forms.office.com/r/i7rv7WzbG4> Or contact Saskia or Michelle at: youth@prcdtr.org.uk

NEWSLETTER: The Weekly Newsletter and Sunday Message are available on our website www.holyspiritbovey.org For those who cannot access it, please contact the Parish Office, if you would like a copy posted to you. *Newsletter items can be sent in by post, email or please call Angie on 07434 635722. Please note the deadline is Wednesday at 11am.*

GIFT AID: Thank you so much to all those who kindly moved from envelopes to standing orders last year. As we have so few envelopes in use now we have decided to stop the expense to the parish of getting the boxes. This will also make things easier for the volunteers counting and banking. If you still use an envelope and do not wish to move to standing order then the parish will still be able to get the same benefit from your donation if it is £30 or less if you put it loose into the basket (as currently there is a scheme which means we claim an extra 25% from HMRC on what is put in the basket). If you would still like the privacy an envelope affords you then please do just pop your donation in an ordinary blank envelope. If you would like to give more than £30 one week then please use one of the yellow One Off envelopes provided at the back of church and we will match your donation to your gift aid declaration. *If you have any queries regarding Gift Aid or would like to request a Gift Aid Declaration or Standing Order form please contact Colin by email boveytracey-giftaid@prcdtr.org.uk or 07789 543012.*

COLLECTIONS: 20.11.22 £101.00, Standing Orders £259.50. *Thank you to all who contribute so generously. NB Cheques to the parish, please make payable to: PRC DTR Bovey & Chudleigh RC Parish.*

CHRISTMAS FLOWER COLLECTION: TODAY we will take a retiring collection in Bovey & Chudleigh, to help towards the cost of decorating the Churches beautifully over the season of Christmas.

RED BOXES – Holy Spirit: Please bring your Red Boxes to Church on Sunday 4th December, thank you.

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 Monday-Saturday 10am-6pm, apart from Thursdays when the service is open 12-8pm. Tel: 0300 303 1056, Email: safespaces@splitz.org, LiveChat: www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk, Website: www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk



SHOEBOX TRUCK TO MOLDOVA/UKRAINE: Many thanks for your amazing generosity – we now have £125.00 towards fuel for the truck and driver, due early December.

FOODBANK (T.H.A.T.) tell me that they are hoping we can help towards Christmas treats for those who would otherwise not have any selection boxes, Christmas biscuits and cake would be especially welcome; it would be lovely if we could help. Veronica Sharam.

