



# 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 28<sup>th</sup> May 2023, EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, PENTECOST SUNDAY, Year A, PSALTER 4

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**Sunday 28 May 8.45am Mass, Ugbrooke**

*Pentecost Sunday* **10.30am Mass, Bovey Tracey (People of the Parish)**

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**Monday 29 May NO MASS**

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**Tuesday 30 May 10.00am Mass (Andrew Bernard Dahl & Mary Matilda Dahl RIP)**

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**Wednesday 31 May NO MASS THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY FEAST**

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**Thursday 1 June NO MASS OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST FEAST**

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**Friday 2 June 10.00am Mass (David Roth RIP)**

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**Saturday 3 June NO MASS**

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**Sunday 4 June 8.45am Mass, Ugbrooke (People of the Parish)**

*9<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time* **10.30am Mass, Bovey Tracey**

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**SUNDAY TEA/COFFEE:** Please join us for tea or coffee after Mass in the Hall. It's a wonderful opportunity to get together socially.

**POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR MAY:** For Church movements and groups. We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelisation each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

**POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR JUNE:** For the abolition of torture. We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

See also <https://thepopevideo.org/>

**SAINTS OF THE WEEK: 1<sup>st</sup> June: St Justin (C.100-165)** Born of pagan parents in what is now Palestine, he took an early interest in philosophy which led him at length to Christianity. Moving to Rome he opened a Christian School there and composed a number of works justifying Christianity and defending it against various charges against it and trying to reconcile elements of classical rational thought with it. Among those he addressed were the Emperor Antoninus and Marcus Aurelius (later to become the "Philosopher Emperor"). Eventually he was charged with refusing to sacrifice to the state gods and executed. He is patron of philosophers.

### PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS OUR SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Ronald Asbury, Nick Martin, Susan Smith, Samuel Horton, Pamela Lekis, Elizabeth Newton, Chelsea Fowler, Peter Dowse, Adriene O'Mara, 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, Sam Griffiths & 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.

**A TRIBUTE TO BISHOP CHRISTOPHER BUDD:** Please click on the link to read a special newsletter dedicated to Bishop Christopher Budd RIP with excerpts from his pastoral letters, photographs and quotes from those whose lives he touched. <https://tinyurl.com/mrxhxtc9>

**THE LATEST SYNODAL UPDATE IS AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH – PLEASE TAKE A COPY HOME WITH YOU.** Not only does it outline the progress being made towards the general Synod to be held in Rome in October but reminds us of the eight major marks of a Synodal Church which Pope Francis hopes is/will be a mark of every parish. These are: Journeying Together, Listening, Discerning, Eucharistic, Inclusive, Participative, Humble and Missionary. How are we doing?

If you have any thoughts about them and would like an opportunity to discuss them, please add your name to the list at the back of the Church. If there are sufficient numbers, we would hope to hold a meeting (45min max) after Mass on a Sunday in Bovey, date to be arranged.

**Did you know** that Church teaching says that we should not only support those in poverty but also tackle the root causes of poverty? Pope Benedict XVI said that "Love — caritas — is an extraordinary force which leads people to opt for courageous and generous engagement in the field of justice and peace." For decades CAFOD has spoken out against injustice. To find out more and get involved in tackling the root causes of poverty, please go to [cafod.org.uk/latestcampaigns](http://cafod.org.uk/latestcampaigns)

**MARRIAGE CARE**, a long-established Catholic charity, is looking for new volunteers, especially anyone willing to train as a Marriage Preparation course facilitator. Facilitators present our 'Preparing Together' workshops to groups of engaged couples - either face-to-face or via Zoom. If you think you might be interested in this very worthwhile role, further details are available on the Marriage Care website (<https://www.marriagecare.org.uk/get-involved/marriage-preparation/>). Or, if you have any other questions, please contact the local coordinator, Jenny Allen ([jennifer.j.allen1966@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.j.allen1966@gmail.com)).

**Vision: 'To Live the Gospel by following Christ's Command to love our neighbour as He loved us'**

*Caritas Diocese of Plymouth's* annual review <https://heyzine.com/flip-book/1b4e58a4d0.html> sets out our work across the Diocese in 2022 and our plans for 2023. Caritas aims to be a witness to the Gospel by encouraging and initiating Catholic social action and support the network of charities, schools and parishes to help those who are poor, vulnerable and marginalised. We work closely with and through existing Catholic and other partner charities. SVP, Stella Maris and CCS(P) are part of our managing committee and help guide our path. If you have any questions, would like to get more involved or would like support in developing local projects, please contact: [Caritas@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:Caritas@prcdtr.org.uk) 01364 645421.

**June 17, Midday, A Mass for Marriage.** We will have a Mass to celebrate marriage again this year at Plymouth Cathedral. Please pray for this event. Send us your anniversary dates to add to the Order of Service - whether you have been married for one week or sixty + years. Let us know too when your wedding is planned to take place if you are engaged. Light refreshments will be provided and (not so light) wedding cake. For more information, please contact [deborah.vanKroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:deborah.vanKroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk)

**PLYMOUTH DIOCESAN IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY GROUP:** Please see the notice board for details of the Summer and Autumn silent, individually guided retreats available in the Plymouth Diocese or please contact Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group at [diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk) or phone 01752 769164 or 07823 447637 for further information or booking form.

**Retrouvaille: A Programme for Couples Struggling in their Marriages. Help Your Marriage** – Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples who have difficulties in their marriage. It brings a positive focus, new hope and helps nourish your marriage to grow. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on 6-9 July or a Face to Face weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 13-15 Oct, call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443 or email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) - or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

**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](mailto:deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk)

**COLLECTIONS: 23.04.23** updated £104.70, Standing Orders £77.50. **30.04.23** £110.00, Standing Orders £627.50. **07.05.23** £107.20, Standing Orders £515.83. **14.05.23** £100.00, Standing Orders £372.50. **Thank you to all who contribute so generously.** NB. Please make cheques to the parish payable to: **PRCDTR Bovey & Chudleigh RC Parish.**

**PLYMOUTH SECULAR CLERGY FUND:** TODAY there will be a collection for the Plymouth Secular Clergy Fund. This fund supports our retired and sick priests who have given years of service to our diocese and who are known by many of our parishioners. Contributions to the PSCF can be gift aided using the gift aid envelopes available in the porch.

**GIFT AID:** *If you have any queries regarding Gift Aid or would like to request a Gift Aid Declaration or Standing Order form please contact Colin Parnell by email [boveytracey-giftaid@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:boveytracey-giftaid@prcdtr.org.uk) or 07789 543012.*

**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](mailto: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 - Friday 9am-9pm, Saturday 9am-1pm & Sunday 1pm-5pm.** Tel: 0300 303 1056, Email: [safespaces@firstlight.org.uk](mailto:safespaces@firstlight.org.uk), LiveChat: [www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk](http://www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk), Website: [www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk](http://www.SafeSpacesEnglandandWales.org.uk)

**UKRAINE MEDICAL EMERGENCY:** Please help if you can via the box in the porch with bandages, pain relief, antiseptic and soap etc. to relieve the suffering of those injured; any spare disability aids are also much needed to fill the next truck due in 2 weeks; thanks to your efforts we have collected £80 towards truck fuel etc. which will be given to Christian Response to Eastern Europe (Mary Roberts - Moldova). Thank you, Veronica Sharam.

For more information please visit: <https://www.cr2ee.org.uk/>

