

St. Anthony's R C Church

Served by the Order of Augustinian Recollects (O.A.R.) Mill Street, Ottery St Mary, EX11 1AF. Tel: 01404 812372.

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Sunday Masses: Saturday 6.00pm. Sunday 9.30am.

HOLY DAYS Masses at 9.30 am & 7.00pm. Weekday Masses 9.30am. Morning prayer: Mon to Sat 9.15am.

Confessions: after the daily 9.30am Mass (Otherwise on request)

Parish Safeguarding Rep: Deborah Stuart. 07973 153675 Email: dstuart9753@gmail.com

Items for Newsletter by 12 noon each Wednesday to: ottery@prcdtr.org.uk

Cheques to be made payable to "PRCDTR Ottery St Mary RC Parish".

Direct payments: Sort Code 53-50-55. Ac. No. 05126126. NatWest Bank, Honiton.

Ottery St Mary RC Parish is part of Plymouth Diocese: Registered Charity 213227.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 September 2024

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Collections

June: £850.00 + £687.00 by direct debit, £30.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission and

£30.00 for Peter's Pence.

July: £560.00 + £687.00 by direct debit, £20.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission,

August: £1,000.00 + £687.00 by direct debit, and £40.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

Thank you.

Confessions

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), please see Fr Frank after the 9.30am daily Mass.

Pope Francis' September Prayer Intention: Let us pray that each of us listen with our hearts to the cry of the Earth and of the victims of environmental disaster and the climate crisis, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit. See also https://thepopevideo.org/

Catholic University Chaplaincies

A new website has been set up to help young people find their Catholic chaplaincy when they arrive at college or university this autumn – <u>catholic@university.org.uk</u>

Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

Entrance: No. 456 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty. **Offertory**: No. 141 Fill my house unto the fullest. **Communion**: No. 295 Lay your hands gently upon us. **Recessional**: No. 408 O Mother best, whom God bestows.

Gratefully received in August 2024

- Your weekly donations towards the general church expenses.
- £500 towards St Anthony's Building Project from a Parishioner. Thank you!

We commend to the Lord

The soul of Ken Hooper, of Rockbeare, who died peacefully on Tuesday. May he rest in peace and rise in glory. Our condolences to his wife Jean and family.

There will be NO 9.30am Mass at St Anthony's on Monday 9th Sept.

Fr Frank has a Cremation Service at 10.00am at the East Devon Crematorium for a Honiton parishioner, Lucyna Wasilewska aged 103 years old. May she rest in peace!

Volunteers needed to count the collection

Could you spare an hour or two every two months to help count and bank our church cash offerings? This is not an onerous task, and volunteers work in teams of two on a rotational basis. If you are willing to help, please let Fr Frank know.

Mass readers

DATE		FIRST READING	SECOND READING	BIDDING PRAYERS
7 Sept.	2024	Cindy Yeoman-Edwards	Debbie Stuart	Tamara Snell
8 Sept.	2024			
14 Sept.	2024	Jess Hay	Daniel Hay	Ian Stuart
15 Sept.	2024			

Saturday evening Mass Coordinator: Ian Stuart Mob. 07816787848, Email: <u>istuart888@gmail.com</u>
Sunday morning Coordinator: Cindy Yeoman-Edwards Mob. 07910264888, Email: <u>cindyaedwards@yahoo.com</u>
New volunteers to read, please, contact Ian (for Sat. 6.00pm Mass) or Cindy for (Sunday 9.30am Mass).

Fr Jose Romero is on holiday in Spain until Friday 13th September

Fr Frank is saying the Sunday Masses and looking after the Honiton Parish in his absence.

	St Anthony's Church building Phase 2: Standing debt:	
1	Loan from Order of Augustinian Recollects (O.A.R.) on 20 Feb. 2024	£ 45,000.00
2	Loan from The Holy Family Parish, Honiton, on 18 March 2024	20,000.00
3	Several invoices paid by St Rita's Centre, Honiton, in 2024 amounted to	31,899.96
4	2024 Easter Collection for Parish Priest (to pay to St Rita's)	485.00
5	Parish Priest's wages (upkeep, board & lodging) £550.00 per month (to St Rita's)	4,400.00
6	Total debt:	£101,784.96
7	There are four other invoices to be claimed.	
8	St Anthony's RC Church Bank Balance on 31 July 2024	£ 1,123.35

Youth Rally 2024

Saturday 28th September £10 Please join us at St Rita's in Honiton for the infamous Youth Rally! As usual there are many activities for all to join in, including the obstacle course, penalty shoot out and various inflatable activities. Young people from 6–16 are welcome to form teams of 6 to compete against others. Do not worry if you can't find a group of 6, I will combine you with another parish. For booking and further questions please contact Saskia youth@prcdtr.org.uk