

St. Anthony's R C Church

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Sunday Masses: Saturday 6.00pm. Sunday 9.30am.

HOLY DAYS: Mass at 9.30 am. **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

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Items for Newsletter by 12 noon each Friday to: **fjuo8245@yahoo.com 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.

15th Sun in Ordinary Time 13 July 2025

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Collections

April: £495.00 + £767.00 by direct debit, £75.00 for Holy Places and £595.00 Easter Sunday.

May: £770.00 + £790.00 by direct debit, and £31.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

June: £785.00 + £790.00 by direct debit, and £40.00 for Peter's Pence.

Thank you.

Confessions

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

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. 61 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart. **Offertory**: No. 511 Take our bread, we ask you. **Communion**: No. 498 Soul of my Saviour. **Recessional**: No. 627 You shall cross the barren desert.

Mass readers

DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	BIDDING PRAYERS
12 July 2025	Jess Hay	Debbie Stuart	Debbie Stuart
13 July 2025	Ros Temple	Simon Knight	
19 July 2025	Tamara Snell	Paul Doyle	Jess Hay
20 July 2025			

Saturday evening Mass Coordinator: Ian Stuart Mob. 07816787848, Email: istuart888@gmail.com

Sunday morning Mass Coordinator: Louise Jarvis Mob. 07905 418444

News to share this week

- The staircase has been manufactured, but it will not be delivered until our carpenter is available for work after recently having a small operation.
- The new upstairs storeroom is now completely full with all sorts of items.
- The upstairs children's catechetical room has been fitted with a new carpet, a table and some chairs, a cupboard, two pairs of window lace curtains and two bookcases full of books.
- The loft is beginning to look less chaotic, as the spring cleaning has started.
- We are grateful to the two ladies who bought and fitted the two pairs of curtains in the children's catechetical room, and to the anonymous 'locksmith' who fixed the lock on the outside door leading to the house from the inside yard.
- And, of course, we are most grateful for all your weekly/monthly donations that help to cover the running cost of the Parish and the building project.

Refreshments after 9.30am Mass

You are most welcome to have some refreshments in the Parish Hall after the 9.30am Sunday Mass.

Going into Hospital

Because of the Data Protection Act chaplains may now only visit you if they have your permission. Please let the hospital chaplain know if you are going into hospital or if one of your family is admitted so that your details can be passed to the hospital chaplain so that you/they can be visited and ministered to.

Gift Aiders

If you are not a Gift Aider and you pay tax maybe you would consider joining the parish scheme. For each £1 you donate HMRC will add 25p for the parish which is a great help at the moment with our parish finances. If interested, please contact Pat Gough on 07787135644. Thank you

Diocesan Prayer Group

An online group has been sharing Morning Prayer and Night Prayer, Monday to Fridays, for the last two years. We simply pray the Divine Office together (over about twelve minutes) - 'for the sake of the Church and the world'. People dip in, as they can (no apologies needed when we can't). There is no obligation to read, just join us in prayer. For more information contact <deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

We commend to the Lord

The soul of Harriet Paluch aged 95, of Mill Street, Ottery St Mary, who died on Thursday 10th July in the R, D & E Hospital, Exeter. No details of her funeral are available yet. Our condolences to her family.