



# 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. **Mon. to Fri. Mass 9.30am. Morning prayer: Mon to Fri. 9.15am.**

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

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Items for Newsletter by 12 noon each Friday to: [fjuo8245@yahoo.com](mailto: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.

## 1<sup>st</sup> Sun of Easter

5 April 2026

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### Collections

Jan.: £725.00 + £790.00 by direct debit.

Feb.: £660.00 + £790.00 by direct debit.

March.: £855.00 + £790.00 by direct debit, Easter £30.00 and £5.00 Holy Places.

Thank you.

### Confessions

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), please see Fr 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 – [catholic@university.org.uk](mailto:catholic@university.org.uk)

### Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

**Entrance:** No.86 Christ the Lord is risen today. **Gloria:** No. 491 Sing to God a song of glory.

**Offertory:** No. 541 There is a river. **Communion:** No. 560 This is the day. **Recessional:** No. 554

Thyne be the glory.



*May the Risen Lord bring you and your family an abundance of hope, joy and love.*

*Fr Frank*

## Mass readers

DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	BIDDING PRAYERS
11 April 2026 12 April 2026	Debbie Stuart	Kate Egan	Ian Stuart
4 April 2026 4 April 2026 4 April 2026 4 April 2026 4 April 2026 4 April 2028 5 April 2026	Paul Doyle – Paschal Message Elizabeth Williams Genesis 1:1 – 2:2 Etta Deardon Genesis 22:1 – 18 Lukasz Badek Exodus 14:15-15 Debbie Stuart Isaiah 55:1-11 Simon Knight Ezekiel 36: 16 Ross Temple	Elizabeth Williams      Louise Jarvis	Ian Stuart
Saturday evening Mass Coordinator: Ian Stuart Mob. 07816787848, Email: <a href="mailto:istuart888@gmail.com">istuart888@gmail.com</a> Sunday morning Mass Coordinator: Louise Jarvis Mob. 07905 418444			

## Easter Collection

Is your personal gift to St Anthony's parish priest. Thank you

## GIFT AIDERS

Boxes of envelopes for those Gift Aiders who donate by envelope are in the porch. Please take your box home with you. Thank you for your continued support.

## Refreshments after 9.30am Mass

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

## First Holy Communion classes

Are held on Sundays in the church after Mass (approx 10:45am). New candidates are welcome.

## Contemplative Retreats at St. Rita's Centre April 20th – 24th

An Introduction to the Gries Path of Prayer as well as an opportunity for a short retreat for those familiar with this way of prayer. For further details contact the retreat co-ordinator Paddy Rylands [paddyrylands@gmail.com](mailto:paddyrylands@gmail.com)

## A thanksgiving gift token

With the best wishes of the Easter season has been delivered to The Exeter Sacred Heart Parish on behalf of St Anthony's for their very generous donation of forty seven comfortable chairs.

## 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.

## Called to Love 2nd-3rd May

A retreat for singles, dating and engaged young adults who want to think more deeply about relationships and the call to marriage. A relaxed weekend with input, prayer, discussion and social, as well as the opportunity to meet like-minded others! This year's retreat theme: masculinity and femininity. <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/called-to-love/>

## Youth Events news:

<https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t/t-64E01E0D3DFDA49C2540EF23F30FEDED>