



Catholic Parishes of St Mary's Poole and St Anthony of Padua Broadstone.



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THE SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

January 2018

**THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
PEACE DAY**

Psalter 2

Saturday 13th

Reconciliation at St Anthony's:

4.45pm – 5:15pm:

Mass at St Anthony's:

5.30pm: People of the Parish

Sunday 14th

Mass at St Mary's:

9.30am: Romeo Mataga & Gaudoso Gonzales RIP

Mass at St Anthony's:

11.00am: Deceased members of the Manser Family

Mass at St Mary's:

5.30pm: People of the Parish

Monday, 15th

No Mass

Tuesday, 16th

7.00pm Mass at St Mary's: Anne Lee RIP

Wednesday, 17th St Anthony Ab

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10.00am Mass at St Mary's: Joan Cawdery RIP

6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament *before Alpha* at St Anthony's

7.00pm Holy Hour with Benediction at St Mary's

Thursday, 18th Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity (until 25th)

10.30am Mass at St Anthony's: Tregaskis Family

6.30pm Mass at Poole Hospital: Mark Howson Intentions

Friday, 19th

12.30pm Mass at St Mary's: Sebastian Plant intentions – followed by Hunger Lunch

Saturday, 20th

10.00am Mass at St Mary's: Maria Silva RIP

The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Vigil

Reconciliation at St Anthony's: 4.45pm – 5:15pm:

Mass at St Anthony's:

5.30pm: People of the Parish

Sunday 21st

Mass at St Mary's:

9.30am: People of the Parish

Mass at St Anthony's:

11.00am: Geoff Robinson RIP

Mass at St Mary's:

5.30pm: Bernard & Lucy Daby RIP

Ll:p743 (Jo 3:1-5.10 Ps 24 1Co 7:29-31 Mk 1:14-20)

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

All those who have recently died: *Veronica Chart and Johanna Sheppard*

Those whose anniversaries occur about this time including: Mary Sallnow, Helena Corbett, Margaret Duggan, Mark McGuckin, Paula Shear, Rose Cockle, Vernon Singleton, John Clauson, Leonard Ingrams, James Hickey, Rita Luff, Alan Corrall, Shirley Ryan, Bernard Doyle, Leslie Watts, Percy Wilson, Cliffe Moore, Marta McDonald and William Neylon.

The sick: Mavis Bell, Sally Lees, Joan Wood, Patrick Walsh, Dorothy Hartnett, Helen Barnes, Don Gange, Cora Stone, Margaret Quinlan, Ted Parsons, Jennie Vincent, Helen Pearce, James Duffy, Monica Browne, Fr Keith Collins, Edna Archer, John Hayes, Gino Mondino, Sylvia Welch, Fr Brian Reeves, Corinne Rivers, Baby Thomas Torak, John Friberg, Hugh & Alice Fitzgibbon, Cecelia Grimston, Pat Lodge, Harry Greene, Paul Donlon, Nickki Pink, John Mondino, Monique Griffin, Millie Cross, Robert Williamson, Noel Walker, Barbara Ivings, Jill Humphries, Joan Poole, Joy Marston, Pip Cambell, Philip Philbin, Ena Exall, Patricia Tomholt, Paul Holsworthy, Fern Harrison, Nora Muspratt, Louise Sueur, Mark Howson, Gordon Jennings, Alex Dennett, Lucas Dennett and Laura Gonzalez.

LIVING OUR FAITH

Advance Notice

Jo Boyce from CJM Music will be in the parish for the weekend of 2nd to 4th March.

She will be in St Edward's and St Mary's inspiring the children on the Friday, running a fun music and singing workshop for the Deanery on the Saturday (10.00am to 3.00pm), holding a concert in St Mary's church on the Saturday night and leading the music at the 9.30am Mass on Sunday morning.

Poole Foodbank

The Foodbank have confirmed that food donations may be resumed.

Please see message below from the Foodbank Co-ordinator "Here at the Foodbank we had an incredible time leading up to Christmas.

We were overwhelmed with deliveries of essential food items and also 'special' items that we were able to bless people with over the Christmas period.

This was just as well, as the number of visitors to the Foodbank doubled during that period. On one day, our valiant volunteers prepared 26 food parcels. So a huge 'Thank you' to them, as they also sorted and stored the food that was delivered.

Also, a Huge thank you to everyone out there who supports us with food, finances and prayer. Your gifts of love and support never cease to amaze me and miraculously it all seems to come together. God is good!

We now look to 2018 and to our plans to work together to make this essential service work even better in support of

those in the Poole area who unexpectedly find themselves in crisis.

An update of our current needs:

- Small jars of coffee
- Tinned potatoes
- Packets of long grain rice

Many many thanks to you all - you are the special ones who keep Poole Foodbank going!

Wishing you God's blessing and peace for 2018

NOTICES – ST MARY'S

Justice and Peace:

Today after Mass members of Justice and Peace will be handing out prayer cards to celebrate Peace Sunday – this year's theme is based on Pope Francis World Peace Message 2018

'Migrants and Refugees- Seekers of Peace', Please keep in your prayers Pax Christi and all those who work for Justice and Peace.

(Extracts from Pope Francis message 2018 on the back of the newsletter, for the full content please visit www.paxchristi.org.uk)

For more information : visit: www.paxchristi.org.uk Tel : Chris 01202 678922

SOUP RUN ROTA- The new rota is now available and can be collected from your pigeon hole. Please would all team leaders ensure each member has a copy. Also, please take a moment to re-read the guidance notes at the end of the rota. Thank you to all that participate. David

St. Mary's Ramblers

walk in the Dorset countryside every Tuesday leaving the St. Mary's church car park at 9.50am. This week's walk will be 7.5 miles near Bere Regis stopping at a pub for lunch for more details contact Alison 01202 676350

St Mary's Safeguarding reps are Mary Norrish and Sue Fernley.

Psalm for 9.30am Mass

Here I am, O God, I come to do your will,
I come to do your will.

Gospel Acclamation 9.30am Mass

Your words are spirit Lord and they are life,
You have the message of eternal life.

Psalm for 5.30pm Mass

Here I am Lord, I come to do your will.

NOTICES – ST ANTHONY'S

With other churches in Broadstone:

We pray for the elderly, those suffering from the cold weather, the sick and house bound.

St. Padre Pio Prayer Group

The group meet every Wednesday at 10.30am in St Anthony's Hall for the Rosary and prayers for the sick and those in need. Do come along – tea and coffee served. Everyone welcome.

School Governors required at Broadstone First School and Broadstone Middle School. If you have an interest in local education or wish to give something back to the local community, why not volunteer and join the friendly team. Closing date of applications: Friday 2 Feb 2018. See poster for further information.

COG's Meeting now changed from Friday 26th January to Friday 2nd February 2018. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Catholic South West – January 2018 issue for sale 50p

NEW HEATERS

We ask you kindly **NOT TO TOUCH THE HEATERS OR TIMERS.** Any issues please discuss with Philomena or Fr Colin.

St Anthony's Safeguarding rep is Mr Barry O'Brien. (contact via the office).

Psalm for 5.30pm Saturday (vigil) 11am Sunday

Here I am Lord, I come to do your will. (sung)

NOTICES – FOR BOTH PARISHES

The Unity Service during the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is here at St Anthony's next Sunday January 21st at 4.00pm preceded by tea and cakes at 3.15pm in the hall. It is hoped that this will be an enjoyable opportunity for us to chat with our fellow Christians in Broadstone prior to the ecumenical service which Rev Fraser Smith, Chaplain at Poole Hospital, to give the homily. Do come along if you can. (Donation of cakes welcome !)

United Service for the Week of Prayer

"Celebration and Prayer"

God is on the "Move"!

Opportunity to hear & celebrate

Praying together for "Thy Kingdom Come"

We are in time of the greatest harvest in history

It is our time where we live!!

So come and be a part of history making

Sunday 21st January

Church of the Good Shepherd

Herbert Avenue

6.30pm

Valentine's Acoustic Night 10th February 7.30pm St Mary's Hall

Save the date! By popular demand, another evening of singalong requests for all ages and tastes. Details to follow.

Health check no.5

In our two parishes we seek to be...a learning Church...

- where we hunger to deepen our understanding of our Faith through homilies, home groups and in private

Prayer Partners

Thank you to all who kindly agreed to be prayer partners for our children preparing for their First Holy Communion. However, we had more offers this year than were needed as we try to match Mass times and parish attended (St Mary's or St Anthony's) as well as including a few new people, so please do not be upset or offended if you have not been allocated a child. Instead, please continue to pray for all the children and their families at this important time in their lives.

Letters from the children are available in the porch for you to collect after Mass and there is also a list with the names, showing their partners.

Serenity - A Caring Addiction Service

Thank you to all who supported Serenity in the run up to Christmas by purchasing our recycled cards. We made over £200! If you have any used Christmas cards please don't throw them away, we can reuse them next year. So please bring any used cards to church next weekend and place them at the back of church in a box labelled Serenity and I will collect them. Also we would be grateful for any unwanted gifts or used DVD's which we can recycle or sell to raise funds. Thank you in anticipation of your support. Mike Royles

Alpha

Please pray for all involved in this initiative which runs until March.

NEW BEGINNINGS FAMILY MEDIATION.

Family relationships sometimes have their difficulties; if you are affected by family breakdown (divorce/separation) and need some help or guidance in sorting out issues relating to children and/or finances, then you might be helped by professional mediation (a confidential service.) New Beginnings Mediation is led by a qualified Family Mediator, who is a practising Catholic and a member of St Mary's parish. For more information, telephone Johanna 07900 815721.

Catholic Marriage Enrichment

Focus on your marriage, spend a day together and enrich your life as a couple. For the long-time married, newly married, engaged couples and marriage mentors.

Sharing with spouse only, no group work is involved.

Saturday 27th January 2018 at Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Dorchester. Free parking, no charge for the day. For more information please see the poster in the entrance porch. Book a place or info on 07961 099173 or email deborahvankroo@gmail.com

Welcome

If you are a visitor, we hope you enjoy your stay with us. If you are new to the parish, we invite you to fill out a parish registration form. Why not join us for tea or coffee in the hall after Sunday morning mass (both St Mary's and St Anthony's) to get to know your fellow parishioners?

Extracts from the Pope's World Peace Day Message 2018

Migrants and refugees: men and women in search of peace

it is not enough to open our hearts to the suffering of others. Much more remains to be done before our brothers and sisters can once again live peacefully in a safe home. Welcoming others requires concrete commitment, a network of assistance and goodwill, vigilant and sympathetic attention, the responsible management of new and complex situations that at times compound numerous existing problems, to say nothing of resources, which are always limited.

... government leaders should take practical measures to welcome, promote, protect, integrate and, “within the limits allowed by a correct understanding of the common good, to permit [them] to become part of a new society.

...the increased numbers of displaced persons is one of the consequences of the “endless and horrifying sequence of wars, conflicts, genocides and ethnic cleansings” that had characterized the twentieth century. To this date, the new century has registered no real breakthrough: armed conflicts and other forms of organized violence continue to trigger the movement of peoples within national borders and beyond.

...Many destination countries have seen the spread of rhetoric decrying the risks posed to national security or the high cost of welcoming new arrivals, and thus demeaning the human dignity due to all as sons and daughters of God. Those who, for what may be political reasons, foment fear of migrants instead of building peace are sowing violence, racial discrimination and xenophobia...

A contemplative gaze

The wisdom of faith fosters a contemplative gaze that recognizes that all of us “belong to one family, migrants and the local populations that welcome them, and all have the same right to enjoy the goods of the earth...

When we turn that gaze to migrants and refugees, we discover that they do not arrive empty-handed. They bring their courage, skills, energy and aspirations, as well as the treasures of their own cultures; and in this way, they enrich the lives of the nations that receive them. We also come to see the creativity, tenacity and spirit of sacrifice of the countless individuals, families and communities around the world who open their doors and hearts to migrants and refugees, even where resources are scarce.

Milestones for action

Offering asylum seekers, refugees, migrants and victims of human trafficking an opportunity to find the peace they seek requires a strategy combining four actions: welcoming, protecting, promoting and integrating.

“Welcoming” calls for expanding legal pathways for entry and no longer pushing migrants and displaced people towards countries where they face persecution and violence. It also demands balancing our concerns about national security with concern for fundamental human rights....

“Protecting” has to do with our duty to recognize and defend the inviolable dignity of those who flee real dangers in search of asylum and security, and to prevent their being exploited...

“Promoting” entails supporting the integral human development of migrants and refugees. Among many possible means of doing so, I would stress the importance of ensuring access to all levels of education for children and young people...

“Integrating”, lastly, means allowing refugees and migrants to participate fully in the life of the society that welcomes them, as part of a process of mutual enrichment and fruitful cooperation in service of the integral human development of the local community...

Proposals for international cooperation

... 2018 will lead the United Nations to draft and approve two Global Compacts, one for safe, orderly and regular migration and the other for refugees. As shared agreements at a global level, these compacts will provide a framework for policy proposals and practical measures. ...they need to be inspired by compassion, foresight and courage, so as to take advantage of every opportunity to advance the peacebuilding process.

.. from Saint John Paul II: “If the ‘dream’ of a peaceful world is shared by all, if the refugees’ and migrants’ contribution is properly evaluated, then humanity can become more and more a universal family and our earth a true ‘common home’.”[18] Throughout history, many have believed in this “dream”, and their achievements are a testament to the fact that it is no mere utopia.

Full text of the message is available here

<http://paxchristi.org.uk/news-and-events/peace-sunday/>

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