

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



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SEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME **FEBRUARY 2019** C1 Psalter 3

Saturday 23rd

Vigil Reconciliation at St Anthony's 4.15pm - 4.45pm

> Mass at St Anthony's 5.00pm: People of both parishes

Sunday 24th

Mass at St Mary's: 9.30am: PJ Barrett & Mary Hanley RIP

Mass at St Mary's: 5.30pm: Sunil Mudalige RIP

Monday, 25th **ST WALBURGA** Mem

No Mass

Tuesday, 26th

6.40pm Evening Prayer at St Mary's

7.00pm Mass at St Mary's: Rita Russell Intentions

Wednesday, 27th

9.40am Morning Prayer at St Mary's

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

10.30am Rosary for Vocations at St Anthony's, followed by St. Pio Group in the hall

7.00pm Holy Hour with Benediction at St Mary's

Thursday, 28th

10.10am Morning Prayer at St Anthony's

10.30am Mass at St Anthony's:

6.30pm Hospital Mass:

MARCH

Friday 1st ST DAVID - Patron of Wales **WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER**

FEAST

9.15am Mass at School: Year 3 /4 (parishioners welcome)

12 Noon Mass at St Mary's: Mary Mooney Intentions - followed by Hunger Lunch

Saturday, 2nd

9.40am Morning Prayer at St Mary's

10.00am Mass at St Mary's: Monique Griffin RIP - followed by Reconciliation

EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Vigil Reconciliation at St Anthony's 4:15pm - 4:45pm

> Mass at St Anthony's 5.00pm: Bernard Maguire RIP

Sunday 3rd

Mass at St Mary's: 9.30am: Ermitano Family Thanksgiving

Mass at St Mary's: 5.30pm: People of both parishes

Ll: p859 (Sir 27:4-7 Ps 90 1Co 15:54-58 Lk 6:39-45)

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WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

ALL THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Dilly O'Leary and Celia Berry.

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

INCLUDING: Desmond McDermott, Fr Richard Veal, Percival Thurgood, Joe Wyatt, Bernard Maguire, Robert Cathcart, Marjorie Turgoose, Felix Wilson, Peter Everitt, Vera Harley, Marian Fernley, John Feilding.

THE SICK: Patrick Walsh, Helen Barnes, Don Gange, Margaret Quinlan, Jennie Vincent, James Duffy, Fr Keith Collins, Edna Archer, Coro Stone, Gino Mondino, Sylvia Welch, Corinne Rivers, Baby Thomas Torak, Alice Fitzgibbon, Cecelia Grimston, Pat Lodge, Harry Greene, Nickki Pink, John Mondino, Millie Cross, Robert Williamson, Noel Walker, Joan Poole, Pip Cambell, Philip Philbin, Ena Exall, Fern Harrison, Nora Muspratt, Mark Howson, Gordon Jennings, Alex Dennett, Laura Gonzalez, Anna Potter, Laurie Jones, Joan Lovery, Doreen Jones, Betty Dooey, Sally Price, Judy Butt, Margaret Padwick, Margaret Callow, Edna Price, Jon Boon, Pamela Greder, Maria Scott, Vicky Beswick, Mary Abreu, Dominic Chandler, Stephen Ivings and Brian Chandler.

For: All those in nursing homes and those who care for them

For: Lily Diane Kent who is to be baptised this weekend.

<u>With other churches in Broadstone</u>: We pray for expectant parents to be. We thank the Lord for the gift of new life and the hope, love and happiness a new child in the family brings. We pray for a safe delivery of these infants and we thank God for the commitment and dedication of midwives and doctors. We pray too for the World Day of Prayer on 1st March and the people of Slovenia to whom this day is dedicated this year.

<u>Happy 90th Birthday: Fr Denis Collin</u> celebrates his 90th birthday on Tuesday 26th February and <u>Olive Reeves</u> celebrates her 90th birthday on Thursday 28th February. We wish them both very happy birthdays. All our love and best wishes.

For WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

at a church near you on Friday March 1st 2019 people will gather to celebrate the service prepared by the women of Slovenia. The Day of Prayer is celebrated in over 120 countries. It begins in Samoa and prayer in native languages travels throughout the world --- through Asia, Africa, the Middle East, Europe and the Americas before finishing in American Samoa some 38 hours later.

FOR OUR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES AS THEY ATTEND FLAME:

FLAME 2019: National Youth Conference. Flame is the biggest Catholic youth event in England and Wales. Up to 10,000 young people will gather on Saturday 2nd March in Wembley Arena.

The theme for the day is 'Significance'.

Significance is defined as "worthy of attention," "with meaning," "important."

In terms of Scripture, it is a word which resonates deeply with God's words from heaven at the Baptism of Jesus, and the Transfiguration, "You are my Beloved."

We are in a world where it's easy to feel constrained to measure self-esteem in Twitter and Instagram "likes", responses to Facebook status updates, and Snapchat conversations.

We hope that Flame2019 offers a fresh depth of perspective for young people, centred in their creation in the image and likeness of God.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT AT ST MARY'S

As is our usual practice we will be having Stations of the Cross during Lent on Fridays at 6.00pm and Sundays at 4.00pm. If you as an individual or a group would like to lead the stations, then please sign up on the list at the back of church or contact the office on 01202 675412.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT AT ST ANTHONY'S

Wednesday evening at 7.00pm throughout Lent from 13th March to 17th April incl. We are looking for Readers and Leaders to join us during this time of reflection. Can you spare 30 mins per week, during Lent, and make this your Lenten offering? Please contact Philomena in the church office for more information – 01202 693336 (leave a message) or email poole-stanthony@prcdtr.org.uk – We Need Your Help!

LENTERN HOUSE GROUPS - CHURCHES TOGETHER IN BROADSTONE

Why not consider joining an Ecumenical Housegroup for five weeks during Lent. Each group will be following the Lenten Cover to Cover course *Meekness and Majesty* by Elizabeth Rundle. Please see the notice board in St Anthony's for more details of the location and dates of the groups being offered and then contact Dorothy Brant (01202 698204, dot.brant@sky.com) to book a place with your chosen group.

St Mary's Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 26th February.

CHAIR YOGA AT ST ANTHONY'S

Amended start date of next session: The first course has been wonderful. The next 6 week course begins **Tuesday 5**th **March 2019** from 10.30 – 11.30am at St Anthony's church hall. £60 for the course. Come and try one. Perfect to increase mobility in a gentle way due; to ageing and loss of mobility and strength; illness or injury that needs healing movement; anyone who wants a gentle and restorative movement practice. Please contact Leah Thomas on 07845 982132 to reserve a place.

VOCATIONS RETREAT AT BUCKFAST ABBEY 22nd – 24th March 2019

'Call on me, and I will show you great and wonderful things which you have not known' (Jeremiah 33:3)

A two-day retreat with space to pray and reflect on the call of God and what it might mean for you in the beautiful monastic setting of Buckfast Abbey, near Buckfastleigh, Devon.

For those discerning their vocation... an opportunity to meet others who are also wondering about God's call... and to meet those who have already made the choice to live the religious life in the Church.

Dates and times: Friday 22nd March at 4.00pm till Sunday 24th March after lunch.

If you feel that the Lord is calling you in some way - as a priest, or as a brother, or you are not too sure - get in touch with me, Fr. Ralph Candy, Vocations Director, Diocese of Plymouth. Email: vocation@prcdtr.org.uk or Tel: 01803 557518 for further details.

THANK YOU to all who supported St Anthony's 'Valentine's Sensation' Cake auction last weekend in support of the Diamond Jubilee Fund. Another great evening was had by all when £450 was raised. A special thank you to Julie and her team who worked exceptionally hard.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ST MARY'S SCHOOL!

Rated 'GOOD' by Ofsted

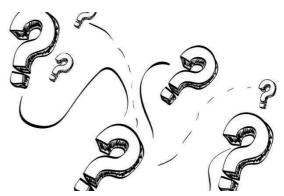
The report demonstrates the unwavering commitment that everyone in our school has given, not only to raise standards but also to ensure that pupils and parents alike can be proud of our school!

IMPROVEMENTS have been recognised by Ofster inspectors who have graded it as 'good'.

St Mary's Catholic primary school in Devon Road was graded as 'requires improvement' when inspectors visited in October 2016.

But a report published following a recent inspection highlights the improvements made since by head teacher Helen Armstrong and her team.

Lead inspector Andrew Lovett said: "Leaders and teachers are working together effectively to raise standards. They responded quickly to the criticisms made in the last inspection and have made significant improvements."



QUIZ AND LENTEN SUPPER

ST ANTHONY OF PADUA – DIAMOND JUBILEE EVENT

Saturday 9th March from 7.00pm –Quiz and Lenten Supper. Come and test your knowledge and have a fun evening in St Anthony's Church Hall. Groups of six and as usual bring a bottle of your own choice to lubricate the brain matter! Home-made soups with bread and desserts. Cost £3 per person. See poster for more information. Tickets on sale after mass (at St Anthony's) or via St Anthony's parish office) Numbers limited. Raffle prizes wanted.

A talk by local author Vicki Goldie: Monday 4th March at 7:30pm at St. Joseph's Hall

Everyone is welcome to come along to a talk by the author of Blind Witness, Vickie Goldie. The CWL meeting will follow.

CANCER RESEARCH UK – BIG BREAKFAST

At the United Reformed Church, Higher Blandford Road, Broadstone. Saturday 9th march 9.30 – 12.30 Entrance £5 Raffle, cake stall and Easter egg raffle.

<u>Broadstone Day Centre</u> - Please note St Anthony's team is on duty Tuesday 5th March.

POOLE FOOD BANK

We have now completed our 're-sorting' and audit of stocks held here at Poole Foodbank and our present needs are: Long grain rice, Tinned Potatoes, Longlife milk, Tinned Fish Jams and Spreads, Carrier bags!

Thank you so much to those of you who have already responded to these needs - you are keeping us afloat!

NB: We are very well stocked with baked beans, soup and

WELCOME

pasta.

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 (St Mary's) and Saturday evening Mass (St Anthony's) to get to know your fellow parishioners?

A meeting in solidarity, humility, and penitence

"If one member suffers, all the members suffer together" (1 Cor 12:26)

"Faced with widespread and growing discomfort following new reports and revelations of very serious cases of sexual abuse involving members of the clergy, on September 12, 2018, at the end of one of the meetings of the Council of Cardinals it was announced that the Holy Father had decided to call a meeting in the Vatican for February 21-24, 2019. The meeting would be a broad approach to the theme 'The Protection of Minors in the Church.'

This is a letter from Cardinal Vincent Nichols to all parish priests as he travelled to Rome to attend this meeting.

Dear Father,

Tomorrow, Wednesday, I travel to Rome to take part in the meeting called by Pope Francis to address the protection of minors within the Catholic Church worldwide in the light of the abuse suffered by them within the communities of the Church. I write to ask for your prayers and those of your people, for the positive outcome of this meeting and for all survivors of such abuse who will find these days particularly difficult as so much public attention is given to this reality.

The broad themes of the meeting are those of responsibility - knowing what is to be done; accountability - the ways in which we are responsible to each other; and transparency - the determination that there are no hiding places in these matters. These are the virtues, the qualities of our life together, that need to be renewed and strengthened.

An excellent website provides detailed information about this event: www.pbc2019.org.

On Saturday evening there will be a Penitential Liturgy. I ask that at Mass on Saturday evening, you add a prayer or a comment uniting your parish to Pope Francis and all taking part in that liturgy so that together we ask the Lord's pardon for our failings. On Sunday morning, at 8.30 UK time, we will gather in Rome for the celebration of Holy Mass, seeking the Lord's blessings on the work accomplished and for the challenges ahead. Please do unite your parish celebration of Mass with this intention.

I am sure you will know the best ways in which to respond to these requests.

Finally, at a very personal level, please do keep me in your own prayers. These will be difficult and painful days and I need your prayers.

With my best wishes and prayers, Yours devotedly, Cardinal Vincent Nichols Archbishop of Westminster

Please keep the Pope and all the clergy gathered at this meeting in your prayers.

Psalm and Gospel Acclamation

St Mary's 9.30am Mass Responsorial Psalm: O my soul, bless the Lord.

St Mary's Gospel Acclamation for 9.30am

The Word of the Lord lasts for ever. What is the Word that is living? It is brought to us through his Son, Jesus Christ.

St Mary's 5.30pm Mass Responsorial Psalm: The Lord is compassion and love.

ST ANTHONY'S 5.00PM (VIGIL) Responsorial Psalm:

The Lord is compassion and love. (sung)

Parish weekly giving – thank you for your generosity			
St Mary's Parish		St Anthony's Parish	
10 rd February	Attendance	3 rd February	Attendance
£1,492	549	£251.30	100
Lourdes Fund £250.10		Lourdes Fund £42.90	
Cheques for St Mary's to be made out to: PRCDTR Poole RC Parish			
Cheques for St Anthony's to be made out to: PRCDTR Broadstone RC Parish			
St Mary's Safeguarding reps are Mary Norrish and Sue Fernley			
St Anthony's Safeguarding rep is Mr Barry O'Brien (contact via St Anthony's parish office)			

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