## PLYMOUTH EAST ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES

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Our Lady of Lourdes	Our Lady of Mount	St. Austin's Priory	St Monica's
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# THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A – 5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023

PLACE	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
Modbury	Saturday 4th November	12.00 noon	People of the Parish
Efford		5.00 pm	Holy Souls
Plympton	Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	09.30am	Ann Whyte (RIP)
Ivybridge		11.30am	Zofia & Waldemar Ceglowski (RIP)
Plympton	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	10.00am	CWL Mass for deceased members
Ivybridge	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	11.00am	Requiem Mass for Christel Pryce (RIP)
Ivybridge	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	11.00am	Requiem Mass for Paul Kenyon (RIP)
Plympton	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	10.00am	For the intentions of Monica Wilkinson
Modbury	Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	12.00 noon	
Efford		5.00 pm	
Plympton	Sunday12 <sup>th</sup> November	09.30am	Joseph Joyce (RIP)
Ivybridge		11.30am	Ala and Henio Gorlow (RIP)

## **Pope Francis Prayer Intention for November - For the Pope**

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

# **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

We shall be having **30mins** adoration before each weekday Mass. It is a good opportunity to have quiet time with the Lord.

#### Confession

Confessions are available after weekday Masses, or by request.

## **Praying the Rosary for Peace at Our Lady of Lourdes**

Join us at 9.30am on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November for Adoration and praying the Rosary for peace in our world, followed with Mass at 10.00am. Tea and coffee will be served in the annexe afterwards.

#### For the sick

Please pray for the sick and housebound in our parishes and those who are particularly poorly at this time.

### For those who have died

Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have recently died, especially Christel Pryce and Paul Kenyon and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: - John Rhodes, Peter Cahill, Margaret Campion, Bernard Tonkin and Terry Barton. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

#### **Holy Souls**

November is the month of Holy Souls: November Offering Envelopes are available for those who wish to use them. The name/s of your deceased family, friends and all departed whom you wish to be prayed for during the November Masses, should be put inside the envelope and returned to church. It is customary to put a donation inside the envelope. There will be a container in front of the altar throughout November, for your envelopes.

#### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS - 2024**

**First Holy Communion** – for children who are eight years old or above. **Confirmation** – for young people who are 13 years old or above. If you would like your child to participate, please contact the Parish Office on 01752 331288 or via email plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk

## **WORLD DAY OF THE POOR 2023 - Sunday 19 November**

The theme of this year's the World Day of the Poor 2023 is: 'Do not turn your face away from anyone who is poor'. Tobit 4:7. We are invited at all times, but particularly on this Sunday, to reflect on how we can draw close to those who are poor and bring hope and dignity to all who are in need both at a personal and parish level. You can find more information on the Diocesan website www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/wdp23/

## "The Catholic Faith Explained"

Discover Sycamore Webinar. Thursday, 16 November 2023, 7.00pm-8.00pm

You are warmly invited to join us for an online introduction to "Sycamore" which is a programme about the Catholic faith and its relevance today. For more information or a link to the webinar please contact deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

## Advent Retreat Day - "Prepare a way for the lord" Faith and Works

St Rita's Centre, Honiton, Devon Advent Retreat Day Saturday **9th December** 2023 9.30am – 4.00pm with Deacon Nick Johnson. Please see the poster for more information.

## Society for the Protection of Unborn Children - Advent Coffee Morning

10.30am − 12.15pm Saturday, **25th November** at Plymouth Cathedral Centre. £1 Entry to include tea, coffee & a mince pie. Raffle, Stalls etc. Please come and support a good cause. Thank you!

## Proposed Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje - September 2024

If you would like to learn more about Medjugorje, the messages from Our Lady and the proposed pilgrimage in September 2024, please come along to one of the information meetings at Plympton after Mass on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm or Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am.

#### PARISH RETREAT with a shared lunch

Fr Victor invites you to a Parish Retreat at Our Lady of Lourdes, Plympton on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November**. There will be Adoration at 09.30am, Mass at 10.00am followed by a Talk and workshop then lunch at 1pm.

## Christmas Toy Appeal 2023 -

Thank you for responding to the Salvation Army Christmas Toy Appeal so generously. There are **three Sundays** to go for anyone who would still like to bring along **new and unwrapped toys** for children in need in our city. Many thanks.

## **PLYMPTON**

## **Social Evening**

Parish Murder Mystery on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November** at 7pm. Tickets - £10 including a 3-course meal will be on sale soon. A night of intrigue and hilarity. All monies raised will go towards the running of our Church.

#### **CAFOD Family Fast Day**

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this autumn's Family Fast Day appeal. We raised £139.25 through the envelope collection and we know that many more of you also donate monthly by direct debit. Together, we are supporting local experts like Dr Nasha in Pakistan to get help to families and communities when they need it most. It's not too late to give online at cafod.org.uk. Thank you. Nuala and Sue.

#### **Monthly Craft Sale**

Table-top Sale of handmade gifts and crafts in the annexe TODAY. All monies raised go to our Church.

#### **IVYBRIDGE**

Catholic Women's League (CWL) Produce Stall after Mass TODAY (Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November).