

PLYMOUTH EAST ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES

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| Our Lady of Lourdes 17 Vicarage Road Plympton Plymouth PL7 4JU plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk | Our Lady of Mount Carmel & St. Teresa Efford Plymouth PL3 6HA | St. Austin's Priory Cadleigh Ivybridge PL21 9HW ivybridge@prcdtr.org.uk | St Monica's Palm Cross Modbury PL21 0QN |
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PENTECOST SUNDAY - 19th May 2024

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| Efford | Saturday 18th May | 5.00pm | People of the Parish |
| Plympton | Sunday 19th May | 9.30am | Fr Martin J Rossman – Foundation Mass |
| Ivybridge | | 11.30am | People of the Parish |
| Plympton | Tuesday 21st May | 10.00am | Robert Osmond (For a Quick Recovery) |
| Modbury | Wednesday 22nd May | 5.00pm | People of the Parish |
| Ivybridge | Thursday 23rd May | 10.00am | For the Sick and Housebound |
| Plympton | Friday 24th May | 1.00pm | Funeral Mass – Mrs Violet Francis |
| Efford | Saturday 25th May | 5.00pm | ----- |
| Plympton | Sunday 26th May | 9.30am | Sarah and Shane – Thanksgiving |
| Ivybridge | | 11.30am | ----- |

Pope Francis Prayer Intention for May - For the Formation of Religious, Monks, Nuns, and

Seminarians The Pontiff urges prayers “so that religious, monks, nuns, and seminarians may grow in their vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual, and communal formation, leading them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel.”

ADORATION for 30 minutes before weekday Mass. Join us for this opportunity to have quiet time with the Lord.

CONFESSIONS are available after weekday Mass, or by request.

ROSARY every Wednesday morning at 10.30am and evening at 7pm at Plympton.

For the sick

Please pray for the sick & housebound in our parishes and for 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 died recently, especially Violet Francis, Sr Margaret Mary, Fr Michael Cole, Mgr George Hay, Margaret Primrose Ciambriello, Mairead Connelly, Karen Martyr, Virginia Morgan-Evans and Susan Foster and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Sally O’Connell, James Murdock, Daniel Adametz, Brian Hopper, Maryann Cooper. May their souls rest in peace.

Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

The Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje will take place between 15th and 22nd October 2024. The cost will be £716 (plus single room supplement £150) per person including flights, transfers and accommodation. For more information, please contact plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk or ring 07840649424.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – 26th July to 1st August

There is still time to book for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. See the noticeboard at the back of the church for more information.

Find us on Facebook You can connect with your Church and keep up to date on our new Facebook page, search for ‘Plymouth East RC Churches’ and click ‘follow’.

[Caritas Art exhibition at Plymouth Cathedral 18 – 24 May.](#)

Caritas is hosting 3 free events exploring **Care for Creation** at **Plymouth Cathedral** during May. Come and join a conversation about the small actions we can all take to change the world around us, both for the people and the environment. All are welcome. See the poster at the back of church for more details or e-mail caritas@prcdtr.org.uk for more information.

[Jesus is in the house! \(Mark 2:1\) Come and encounter Him](#)

A day of encounter for all ages, at St Cuthbert's Conference Centre, Buckfast Abbey 10am-6pm 29th June Experience joyful praise and worship, ways of connecting to God's voice, prayer from the heart, workshops, prayer ministry, Adoration, and Mass. Tickets available from Eventbrite, simply visit their website at www.eventbrite.co.uk and search "Jesus is in the house". We want to make the day as accessible as possible for everyone so there is also a 'pay what you can' option for tickets.

Please contact info@swccr.org.uk for more information or if you have any questions.

[Caritas Anniversary Newsletter](#)

This May marks the 5th Anniversary of Caritas Diocese of Plymouth's launch. Read about the work they have done and continue to do by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/2cdt6h5w>

[Third Annual Mass for Marriage](#) Saturday June 8th 2024, Midday at Plymouth Cathedral. Send us your anniversaries to add to the Order of Service - whether you have been married for one week or sixty + years (or about to marry). Let us know too when your wedding will take place if you are engaged. Light refreshments will be provided and (not so light) wedding cake. For further information please contact: deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

[PLYMPTON](#)

[Date for your Diary](#)

Tuesday 28th of May after 7 pm Mass a meeting for the pilgrims going to Medugorje in October.

Film Night South Pacific 7pm **Friday 24th of May**. Come and enjoy this classic film, tap your feet and sing along to the songs. The evening includes Fiji dancing lessons and a surprise!! Just £7 for a great evening including some South Pacific style food. Please add your name to the sheet at the back of the church if you are interested.

Diary Date Our Lady of Lourdes International Night and Barbecue. **Friday 28th of June**. Details to follow.

[Salvation Army Baby Baskets](#)

Throughout May the collection will be for the Salvation Army which needs items for its baby bank in Whitleigh. Please see the notice at the back of the church over the baskets for details.

[Gift Aid Organiser – can you help?](#)

We are in need of a volunteer to take over the position of Parish Gift Aid Organiser. The role description is at the back of the church for your information. If you think you may be interested, please see Gary or Fr. Victor.

[IVYBRIDGE](#)

[Dates for your Diary](#)

[Quiz Evening](#) at the Priory on Saturday 15th June at 7 pm. Admission fee and all proceeds to go to parish funds. More details nearer the time.

[Annual Parish BBQ](#) at the Priory on Sunday on 14th July after Sunday Mass. More details nearer the time.

[Faith-Chat](#) We shall be having a discussion about our faith on Thursdays after Mass in Ivybridge.

Priest- in- charge: **Fr Victor Agbaka**

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