


PLYMOUTH EAST ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES

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PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - YEAR C – 2nd February 2025

Plympton Ivybridge	Sunday 2nd February	9:00am 11:00am	Private Intention
Plympton	Tuesday 4th February	10:00am	Veronica Watson – Foundation Mass
Ivybridge	Thursday 6th February	10:00am	
Plympton	Friday 7th February	10:00am	Dame Alicia Lloyd-Still and Miss Violet Lloyd-Still – Foundation Mass
Efford	Saturday 8th February	5:00pm	
Plympton Ivybridge	Sunday 9th February	9:00am 11:00am	Rachel Frances Norton (RIP)

[Pope Francis Prayer Intention for February](#) – For Vocations to the Priesthood and religious life – Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

[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. Please especially pray for Peter James and Edward Pryce who are unwell.

[For those who have died](#)

Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently, especially Hugh Furlong, Maureen McCarthy, Margaret Bullock, Margaret Miles, Brian Ilbrey and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Catherine Nolan, Rafal Opalo and Kenneth Yates

[Weekday Missals](#) The new translations of the Weekday Missals are due to be released in April. If you would like to pre-order through us, we can pass on the benefit of our discount, making the cost of the Missal £49.50 rather than £59.95 (including P&P). If you would like to pre-order please email plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk

[Hugh Furlong \(RIP\)](#) The funeral Mass for Hugh Furlong will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes on Tuesday, 11th February, at 10am.

PLYMPTON

Donation Baskets Thank you all for your generous donations in January. In February we will be collecting for the Food Bank. Please see the notice by the baskets for details of what is needed.

Lighthouse Worship Come and join Lighthouse Worship at 7pm on Thursday 6th February in the annexe for an evening of reflection, scripture, song, prayer and praise. All welcome.

IVYBRIDGE

Ivybridge CWL meeting The next meeting will be on Friday 7th February at 11 am at the Priory. We welcome Tanya Trevena who will be telling us about Caritas. New members welcome.

CWL Produce Stall after 11 am Mass on Sunday 9th February. All proceeds to Jesuit Refugee Centre. Thank you to everyone who continues to support us every month.

NEWS FROM ACROSS THE DIOCESE

Society for the Protection of Unborn Children: Youth Conference 21-23 February 2025 TO ALL STUDENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE - Are you passionate about the right to life of each and every human being? Do you feel strongly about pro-life issues and the quarter of a million babies aborted in the UK last year, alone? The SPUC Youth Conference which will be held at: Yarnfield Park Training and Conference Centre in Stone, Staffordshire on 21-23 February. The cost for the weekend is £140 which includes conference fees, all meals, accommodation, ceilidh and social activities. (Parental consent forms must be completed for those under 18yrs of age.) **SPUC Plymouth branch is willing to support any student/person wishing to go but who is constrained by financial difficulties.** Please contact Christine Hudson: 07742320717 - [//spuc.org.uk/event/youthconference/](https://spuc.org.uk/event/youthconference/)

Gather Conference Come and share a weekend of faith, formation and friendship at the annual **Gather Conference** Fri 28th-Sun 30th March, Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay. David McLoughlin, theologian and lecturer will offer keynote presentations on the four great Constitutions of the Second Vatican Council: Dei Verbum, Sacrosanctum Concilium, Gaudium et Spes and Lumen Gentium. Booking forms are available from the parish office, Facebook or plymouthgather@yahoo.com for more info.

UNBOUND – a practical guide to deliverance and true Freedom in Christ In this Jubilee year where Pope Francis has asked us to be “Pilgrims of Hope” this day will offer practical guidance on the spiritual battle of life and how inner healing and deliverance can give us true freedom in Christ. The day is being led by Sue Wash the National Co-ordinator of Unbound Prayer ministry UK. This event will be held at Buckfast Abbey conference centre on Saturday 15th February 10am-3pm. There is an opportunity to go to the Abbey mass at noon. Bookings need to be done through plymouth-crownhill@prcdtr.org.uk Enquiries: 01752 701660. We look forward to seeing you.

Stay Awake 2025! **Date 5th April, Venue: All Saints School in Weymouth**, Sunnyside Rd, Weymouth DT4 9BJ. For more information and to book for this exciting, all day Catholic Conference which caters for all ages (Mass, speakers, workshops and children's streams), please click the link: <https://www.stayawakejc.com/2025> Bookings now open.

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

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