
THE IVYBRIDGE PARISH NEWSLETTER

St. Austin's Priory, Cadleigh, Ivybridge PL21 9HW

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Priest in Charge:- vacant

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Safeguarding Reps:- Teresa Cussen, Christina Stapley

St Monica's Palm Cross Modbury PL21 0QN

Website:- www.staustinsivybridge.co.uk

Diocesan Safeguarding Office Tel 01364 645430

now based at St. Boniface House, Ashburton

For hire of Parish Rooms contact Dorothy on 07394 946043. Accessible toilet available.

APRIL 26TH THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER. YEAR A.

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| Masses (all suspended) | St. Austin's Priory | Saturday 6.00 pm | Sunday 10.30 am with Children's Liturgy |
| | St. Monica's | Sunday 8.45 am | (suspended) |
| Weekday Masses | No weekday Masses until further notice | | |
| Sacraments | | | |
| Marriage | 6 months notice. | | |
| Reconciliation | by request . | | |
| Baptism | is celebrated after Sunday morning Mass at the Priory at 12.00 noon. (suspended) | | |

Please pray for all those who are ill in the parish, and for all those who have died, and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially John Roy Bowden, Mabel Colley, Stella Cummings, Harold Hunter, Richard Zebedee and William Parker. **.May they rest in peace.**

THE POPE'S INTENTIONS for April: Universal prayer intention- Freedom from Addiction We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.– Catholics in China. We pray that the Church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity. See also <https://thepopevideo.org/>

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY please contact Fr Petroc Cobb on 07717 221265 or Fr Jaromir on 01752 331288.

PLEASE SEE BISHOP MARK'S STATEMENT on <https://bit.ly/3bnBIOQ> regarding the closure of the churches.

*****COVID-19*****

Due to the Corona Virus all Masses and pastoral gatherings are suspended. Also, all churches are closed until further notice.

During this time of closure we, as a parish still have bills to pay. Those of you who do not pay by standing order will not be able to put anything in the collection plate. You may wish to consider sending a cheque with your envelope . Please make cheques out to:- PRCDTR Ivybridge R.C. Church. *Thanks to those of you who have already sent cheques.*

OR, you may consider completing a Gift Aid Declaration and/or and Bankers Standing Order. These have been sent to you separately. If you are unable to print them at home, please give us a ring on 691800 and we will put a form in the post.

There will be live streaming of daily Masses from Our Lady of Lourdes, Plympton.. On Facebook..."Plym Churches."

There will be live streaming of daily Masses from the Cathedral at 11.00 am and Evening Prayer..

THE SICK AND ELDERLY If you know of any parishioners who are housebound and need assistance in any way, shopping, etc., please contact Hazel on 691800.

Also, just make a phone call to any elderly or vulnerable person you may know, especially if they live on their own.

MISSION MADE POSSIBLE. Normal life may have "paused" but the mission of the church can continue and grow. We have a great opportunity within the diocese to deepen our discipleship and answer the call to mission. You are invited to learn from your home, how to have conversations about faith, with friends, family or in everyday encounters that don't make you or anyone else feel awkward. Join disciples across the globe who are learning together to spread the Good News. To begin register your interest to be part of the great mission at info@genesission.co.uk and click on the link <https://youtu.be/nmigFaMrs4w> to watch the 40 minute overview.

ANDREA BOCELLI performed a live concert on Easter Sunday from Milan Cathedral. Check it out on Youtube.... Also..... **PLYMOUTH CATHOLIC CHOIR** ..watch their performances on Youtube from the Priory.....

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YOUTUBE is also showing live recordings of Andrew Lloyd Webber's musicals and National Theatre Productions. Check them out.

Gift Aid letters have been sent out either by post or by email last week.

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: The next sessions of the Diocesan teaching tour have had to be postponed. BUT...the talks which were enthusiastically received have been recorded and are available on the Diocesan website...
<https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk> and on Facebook (@plymouthdiocese on Facebook).

“Our God is near and asks us to be near to one another, not to distance ourselves. Right now, in this pandemic crisis, that we are living through this nearness asks to be manifested more, to be made more visible. Perhaps we cannot draw near physically to others for fear of contagion; but we can awaken in ourselves a habit of drawing near to others in prayer, mutual help and many other ways of nearness. Why do we need to be near to one another? Because our God is near to us..”
 Pope Francis (On line Daily Message.)

Last week's donations:- STOs £216.00p Many thanks

| ROTAS | Priory April 19 | Priory April 26 | Modbury April 19 | Modbury April 26 |
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| Eucharistic Ministers | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Readers | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Cleaners | N/A | N/A | N/A | M/A |
| Collection Counters | N/A | N/A | Stay safe. God bless. | |
| Children's Liturgy | N/A | N/A | | |
| Tea & Coffee Hosts | N/A | N/A | | |
| Flowers | N/A | N/A | | |
| Newsletter | Hazel | Hazel | | |

***Dear God, protect me and my family from any sickness and viruses. You are our shield and our Hope. You are greater than any disease. We Trust You.
 Padre Pio of Pietrelcina***

