
THE IVYBRIDGE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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now based at St. Boniface House, Ashburton

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31st JANUARY 2021 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. YEAR B.

Masses

St Austin's Priory 10.30 am

St. Monica's, Modbury 8.45 am

Weekday Masses

Tuesday at 10.00 am at the Priory "The Presentation of the Lord."

Intentions

Tuesday 2nd February for Nuala Keating's recovery from surgery.

Sunday Mass Obligation

Advice from the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales states that during the pandemic "there is no duty or responsibility to come to church and ... there is no obligation to attend Mass on Sunday". Anyone who feels that their personal circumstances entail that it is appropriate for them to stay away from church should do so. Also, those who can attend midweek, are asked to consider doing so as an alternative to attending on Sunday.

SACRAMENTS

Marriage

6 months notice.

Reconciliation

on request.

Baptism

is celebrated after Sunday morning Mass at the Priory at 12.00 noon.

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 the is time, especially Kate McCormick, John Haines, Laura Godfrey, Jean Depree, Helen Bonell, Jean Yeatman, Francis Brian Smith, Ellen Csorsz and David Snelling

..... **May they rest in peace.**

FOR URGENT SITUATIONS please contact Fr David on david.mclean@prcdtr.org.uk .

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION. "My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament . I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen"

DURING LOCKDOWN if you know of anyone on their own who would benefit from a phone call or needs some shopping doing, please ring the parish office. Or maybe you could help yourself.

"May the Word of God sown in the soil of our hearts, lead us in turn to sow hope through closeness to others. Just as God has done with us."
Pope Francis "Twitter"

DURING THE COVID CRISIS BIY HOME ABORTIONS WERE INTRODUCED. The government want to know if they should continue when we return to more "normal" times. Apart from the destruction of the unborn child these drugs which can be taken without the supervision of health professionals can also cause serious medical complications. Please respond to the government's consultation by writing to your MP or Prime Minister saying "*Please protect women and unborn babies by making sure home abortion is not made permanent in our country*". There is also a more comprehensive consultation process which can be accessed online b y typing: **Home use of both pills for early medical abortion**. It is the Department of Health's Consultation on DIY abortions and is quite a process.

STAY AWAKE 2021 Booking is open via the webpage www.stayawakejc.com for more info and receive the Zoom link for entry. This is the *third* year for our home grown **all age** event and takes place on **Saturday 27th February** on line, via Zoom from 11.00 am to 3.00 pm with inspiring/encouraging talks, praise, worship and fellowship, in the comfort of your own home. Includes a session for kids 10.00 -13.30 (Reception – Year 9). Stay Awake allows us to go deeper with Jesus and build Christian discipleship. This is a **FREE** event!

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IVYBRIDGE FOOD BANK. If you want to donate dry or tinned foodstuffs to the Food bank they have a plastic box outside Ivybridge Methodist Church on Wednesdays. It is there all day but they prefer any donations to be left in the morning From 10.00 am to 12.00 noon.

WORK ON TREE ROOTS IN MILLSWOOD SCHOOL CAR PARK is now planned to commence on Wednesday 10th February. Please ensure you approach the area with care and caution.

WELCOME THE STRANGER – Celebrating the Feast of St. Josephine Bakhita 8th February 2021 5-6.30pm

All are invited to join Bishop Mark and Bishop Declan Lang for an evening of prayer and reflection on the issues facing refugees and migrants. The event will take place via zoom. To register please email caritas@prcdtr.org.uk

Last week's collection:- Stos. £1,122.00p Gift Aid £65.00p Loose Plate £ 70.93p Total £1,257.93p. Many thanks.

ROTAS	Priory Jan 31	Priory Feb 7	Modbury Jan 31	Modbury Feb 7
Eucharistic Ministers	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Readers	Teresa	John	Richard	Chris
Cleaners	Hazel	Hazel/Betty	N/A	N/A
Collection Counters	N/A	N/A	Readings: <i>Deuteronomy 18:15-20</i> <i>Psalm 94: 1-2.6-9</i> <i>1 Corinthians 7: 32-35</i> <i>Mark 1: 21-28</i>	
Children's Liturgy	N/A	N/A		
Tea & Coffee Hosts	N/A	N/A		
Flowers	Moir	Dee		
Newsletter	Hazel	Hazel		



All Masses are now celebrated on Sundays and Tuesdays. 1 Metre + social distancing plus MANDATORY facial covering, in accordance with the Government Guidelines for Covid-19. If you have and cold/flu or Covid symptoms, please stay at home.