

SUNDAY READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & COFFEE TEAM

READERS:

SAT 15 NOVEMBER 6.00PM A BARTLETT/S KOWAL

SUN 16 NOVEMBER 10.30AM D WOTTON/M CARSON

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT 15 NOVEMBER 6.00PM A RODGERS/P EVANS

SUN 16 NOVEMBER 10.30AM L BETTESWORTH/J BROWNING/M & L BRIONES

COFFEE TEAM 16 NOVEMBER GIAMPAGLIA FAMILY

The Assumption of Our Lady & Holy Angels Parishes

A Journey of Faith, Peace, and Spiritual Renewal! Please join us on our deeply spiritual 5th Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, where countless pilgrims have experienced peace, healing, and a renewed connection with God and Our Lady.

MEDJUGORJE

Tuesday 2nd /Tuesday 9th June 2026

Return EasyJet flights from Bristol to Split 7 nights half board at Hotel Grace****

£820 per person (based on two sharing) Single Supplement: £140

Deposit: £300 per person when booking For more information & to book:

Barney Bettesworth - local organiser

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New Parish Course: Mary, the Mother of God.

Following our popular course on Prayer, we now turn to Mary in a new CaFE series: **“Let It Be – done unto me according to your word”** How Mary helps us to be filled with God. **Wednesdays, 5 Nov – 3 Dec, 6.30 for 7.00pm start in the Parish Hall.** An inspiring five-week journey through Mary’s life. A perfect preparation for Advent.

All are welcome — please just come along! Organised by The Assumption of Our Lady Parish Faith Group. The course aims to help people pray more effectively and deepen their relationship with God. The course is open to all, so why not bring a friend or relative? Tea & coffee will be available from **6.30 for 7pm start**, finishing About 8.30pm. **PLEASE FEEL FREE TO COME ALONG AND JOIN US** or email:

teresa_em_bailey@hotmail.com or barney@bettesworths.co.uk

PARISHES OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY

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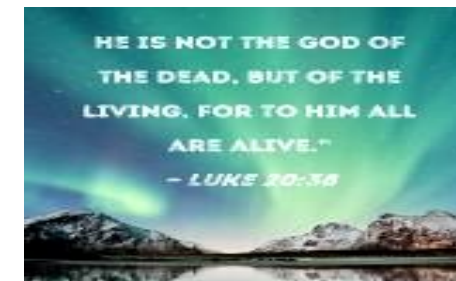
Parish Priest: **Fr Ignatius Maria Joseph**. Deacon: Rev Robert Giampaglia E-mail: robgiampaglia@sky.com

Safeguarding Reps Assumption: Andrea Rodgers & Bernadette Hattersley

Parish Secretary: Gabriela Brodacka, Safeguarding Reps Holy Angels: Margaret Carson & Andrew Fiderkiewicz.

Parish Website: www.assumptionofourlady.org E-mail: torquay-abbeyroad@prcdtr.org.uk

Diocesan Website: www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk



32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ***THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA***

Sat 08 November 2025	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 5.30 - 6.00pm 6.00pm	<i>Rosary/Confession</i> <i>People & Parishes</i>
Sun 09	<u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u> 8.30am 9.00am <u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.30am	<u>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY</u> <i>Confessions</i> <i>People & Parishes</i> <u>Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>Dr Janet Osbourn R.I.P. and all deceased of the Parish</i> <i>Cipriano Balas</i> THERE WILL BE 1 MINUTE’S SILENCE AT THE BEGINNING OF MASS
Mon 10	NO MASS	
Tue 11	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am	<u>St Martin of Tours. Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Wed 12	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am	<u>St Josaphat. Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Thu 13	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 9.30am	<u>Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>K C George R.I.P. and Brian Bailey R.I.P.</i>
Fri 14	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am	<u>Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Sat 15	<u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.00am 5.30 - 6.00pm 6.00pm	<i>Rosary/Confession</i> <u>Novena Mass Holy Souls</u> <i>Holy Souls</i>
Sun 16	<u>MASS HOLY ANGELS</u> 8.30am 9.00am <u>Holy Mass Assumption</u> 10.30am	<i>Confessions</i> <i>People & Parishes</i> <i>Susan Thomas R.I.P.</i> <i>Eileen Hubbard R.I.P.</i> <i>Cipriano Balus</i>

Save the date



Parish Annual

Christmas Carols
and
Mulled wine evening
a festive celebration of
carols,
music and poems

SATURDAY 13TH DECEMBER
Further information
to follow

Interested in training and volunteering as a Relationship Counsellor with Marriage Care?

We are a Catholic organisation specialising in relationship support and are currently looking for those who would be interested in training via our ***Certificate in Relationship Counselling (CRC) course***. We are reaching out early to give you the opportunity to benefit from a new and additional pathway we are offering - the option to volunteer with our marriage preparation service prior to the CRC selection. To find out more and to register your interest either for entry at this stage or prior to our CRC selection process in Autumn 2026 please visit: www.marriagecare.org.uk or email: volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

Parish Rooms Hire Charges

1. Main Hall and Kitchen £16 per hour
(In house catering available with Beatrice Deloffre)

2. Upper Hall (Refreshment facilities) £10 per hour.

Parishioners 1/3 off listed prices.

All hirers will sign a contract that must be strictly adhered to.

All hall bookings to be made via Parish Secretary -
Parish Office Weds to Fri 9.30 to 12.30



Our mission is to provide every child with an education which has Christ at its heart. Children have the opportunity to be involved in daily worship as well as receive regular RE lessons from the new "To know you more clearly" religious education directory. Our curriculum is inspired by Gospel values and Catholic Social Justice principles. If you would like to come and have a look around our lovely school then please get in touch. We have one or two places available in most year groups and would love to meet you! Use the QR code below to go to our school website for further information.



SAVE THE DATE!

CAROLS, NATIVITY AND PARTY

DECEMBER 6TH - Further Information to follow

Fancy winning an air fryer bundle?

Thanks to HBH Woolacotts and The School Wear Shop in Plymouth who have donated an AF140 Ninja Air Fryer and a £100 supermarket gift card of your choice, we are delighted to be running our third Crowdfunder prize draw to raise funds to help support our Essential Grants programme. The draw will close at 9am on Monday, 24 November 2025. To enter, please visit

www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/ccsp-ninja-air-fryer-bundle

Or you can scan this QR code using your smart phone and you will be Directed to our Crowdfunding page.



'I Was Sick & You Visited Me.'

Please pray for the sick & housebound

Jillian Browning, Jennifer Cayanar, Simon Thomas, Siobhan Berryman, Ann Fisher, Alan Sanders, Julie Hooker, Jacqui Hoath, Roy Bezzina, Virginia Williams, Maureen Vine, Janet Margetts, Barbara Hynes, Hilary & Kevin Johns, Nkosi, Mr Con Allen, Sr Damian, Tony Evans, John Fear, Bernard Hynes, John Adams, Anna, Pat Long, Philip, Claire, Kathleen Rowlands, Stephen Fear, Julie Evans, Doreen Smyth, Chris Rodgers & Leslie Green.

Call Parish Secretary to add /omit.

Pope's Intentions for the month of November

For those who have lost a child. Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community, and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit on Consolation.

CRAFT CLUB

NEXT MEETING TUES 11TH NOVEMBER - 2.00pm



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

NEXT MEETING THURSDAY NOVEMBER 13TH

RCIA: Journey in Faith "Come and see"

Next Thursday Meeting will be held on **Thursday, 20th November from 6.30-7.30pm in the Parish Centre** (refreshments from 6pm). Following meetings: 20th & 27th November, 4th & 11th December, 8th January. Dates of future meetings will be provided. No commitment is required. A warm welcome awaits.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2026

NEXT MEETING FOR CHILDREN

THURSDAY 13TH NOVEMBER



Prayer Breakfasts

Next Prayer Breakfast Sat 6th DECEMBER
at 8.00am In The Main Hall

Drina is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom ROSARY meeting.

Rosary Meeting every Wednesday at 6.00p.m. Greenwich Mean Time

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/77657578466?pwd=6Ha41VBp9pn1g31MBzBwS_TMPHeI2v.1

Meeting ID 776 5757 8466 Password 3cGZSb

Confessions

Fr Ignatius is available for confessions before or after any Mass.

Please feel free to speak to Fr directly



OUR NEXT SUNDAY LUNCH 'A TASTE OF CARIBBEAN TAPAS'
WILL BE NOVEMBER 16TH. Two Courses and Coffee £16
PLEASE BOOK AND PAY IN ADVANCE AT THE PARISH OFFICE

UPDATE: PILGRIMAGE FOLLOWING ST PAUL



Greece 15-23 April 2026 the pilgrimage closely follows St Paul's second missionary journey as described in the Acts of the Apostles (chapters 16-18). Starting in Kavala and travelling to Philippi, Thessalonica, Berea, Athens and Corinth. We will stay in the sacred mountain area on our way to Athens, plus visiting the Oracle of Delphi. As we ponder the magnificent architecture of ancient Greece and Rome and the culture St Paul challenged and enlightened, we feel the resonances in his letters that confront and nurture us to this day. We don't have to agree with Paul, we may not even like him, but we cannot remain untouched by him. His love and joy are infectious. **Practical details:** The cost of £2,115.00 pp sharing a room includes all the Greek land costs except lunch. 4-star hotels, modern private coach, superb licensed guide, our chaplain, and all entrance fees and taxes. Your flight is additional and currently BA scheduled direct flights from London cost £275.00 each. The single room supplement is £350.00. Numbers are limited and to reserve please be ready to pay a deposit of £100. After that no further payment will be required until mid-February. We are holding a presentation evening in the parish hall with Mediterranean refreshments on 7 or 8 November at 6:30pm. Do come along and please also let Della Shenton (5th Gospel Retreats) know if you are interested. Tel 07808 957604 email della@5gr.org.

Cake Sale in Aid of Children's Christmas Party.

There will be a cake sale after the 6pm Mass on Saturday 22nd November and after the 10.30 Mass on Sunday 23rd November. The sale is aid of the Christmas party, for the children of our parishes. The children's Nativity and Christmas party will be in the afternoon of Saturday 6th December. Please support the sale.

PARISH JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE

The next Parish Jubilee Pilgrimage is to Crediton and it will take place on Saturday 22nd November. Time to be announced later.



NOVEMBER NOVENA MASSES

Leaflets are at the back of church for parishioners who wish to remember those who have died.

SPONSOR A LILY IN NOVEMBER

£1 In honour of a loved one - All lilies will be offered on the Feast of Christ The King