St. Anthony's R C Church



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Ottery St Mary RC Parish is part of Plymouth Diocese: Registered Charity 213227.

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time 27th June 2021 Psalter 1 Year B

Collections

February: £275.00 + £457.99 by direct debit, £60.00 for Sierra Leone Mission and £30.00 for CAFOD.
April: £230.00 + £457.99 by direct debit, £30.00 for Sierra Leone OAR Mission, £15.00 for CAFOD.
£30.00 for Holy Places and £350.00 Easter collection for Parish Priest.

May: $\pounds 505.00 + \pounds 310.44$ by direct debit, $\pounds 47.00$ for Sierra Leone Mission and $\pounds 10.00$ for CAFOD. Thank you.

Confessions

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), please see Fr Frank after the 9.30am daily Mass.

Mass attendance

The overall Mass attendance the week starting 19 to 25 October was 42 people The overall Mass attendance the week starting 22 to 28 March was 48 people The overall Mass attendance the week starting 24 to 30 May was 54 people The overall Mass attendance the week starting 14 to 20 June was 70 people



Pope's June Intention. Intention for evangelization – The beauty of marriage. Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community; may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience. See also <u>https://thepopevideo.org/</u>

The Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul

Is celebrated each year, on June 29th and commemorates the martyrdom of the two great Apostles. This is probably one of the oldest feast days celebrated in the Christian calendar and was assigned by tradition, in the year 67. In 2010, images of Peter and Paul were found on the wall of catacombs dating back to the 4th Century AD. It is said that Peter and Paul were martyred at the command of Emperor Nero. They were imprisoned in the infamous Mamertine Prison of Rome and both had foreseen their approaching death. Even though they were killed on the same day, their method of execution would have differed. Saint Peter was crucified, head downward as he didn't feel worthy of being crucified in the same way as Jesus. Saint Paul would have been beheaded with a sword as he was a Roman citizen and afforded a quicker execution.

It will not be long now!

Our surveyor in charge of the Church building development Phase 2 has received a document 25 pages long with the items that need to be addressed in the next project and all accompanying drawings to be used as references for the schedule of works from our architectural engineer Luis Torres. That should be enough material to prepare the report that will go out to tender in mid July.

The Bishops' Conference

Regular updates from the Bishops' Conference can be found at <u>ccn@cbcew.org.uk</u>



Planter outside the church. Brian Nelson, Chairman of Ottery in Bloom, asked me some time ago if they could replace the old rusty planter in St Anthony's property with a new one more modern and practical. I was delighted with his idea and we agreed to finally put it in the right position when we have finished our church development plans, that will include a safety retention low wall and Notice Board in that corner of our property.

Future day events

If all remains according to the government Road map it is hoped that in July, we have a couple of day events at St Rita's in Honiton. On July 2 there will be a social justice day, Care for Creation. This is aimed at young people 13 to 25. On July 10 there will be a chance to explore *'Expressing your faith through creativity'*. Members from the Stay Awake band will join us. This event is aimed at young people aged 10 upwards. More details to follow. For more information on any of these events please email Saskia at <u>youth@prcdtr.org.uk</u>

Cana Week for Married Couples

A marriage retreat at Sclerder Abbey, Looe, Cornwall from 25 -31 July. For more details see <u>www.chemin-neuf.org.uk</u>

Sunday 27 June

- First Reading Wisdom 1:13-15;2:23-24 It was the devil's envy that brought death into the world. Psalm Response I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me.
- Second Reading 2 Corinthians 8:7.9-13-15 In giving relief to others, balance what happens to be your surplus against their present need.
- Gospel Mark 5:21-53 Little girl, I tell you get up.