



St. Anthony's R C Church

Served by the Order of Augustinian Recollects (O.A.R.)

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Sunday Masses: Saturday 6.00pm. Sunday 9.30am.

HOLY DAYS Masses at 9.30 am & 7.00pm. **Weekday Masses** 9.30am. **Morning prayer:** Mon to Sat 9.15am.

Confessions: after the daily 9.30am Mass (Otherwise on request)

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Cheques to be made payable to "PRCDTR Ottery St Mary RC Parish".

Direct payments: Sort Code 53-50-55. Ac. No. 05126126. NatWest Bank, Honiton.

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



3rd Sunday of Lent

20 March 2022

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Collections

November: £490.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £35.00 for Sierra Leone Mission.

December: £665.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £690.00 Christmas (PP) and £98.00 for Sierra Leone Mission.

January: £710.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £165.00 for Sierra Leone Mission, £5 for CAFOD.

February: £400.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £20.00 for Sierra Leone.

Thank you!

Confessions

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



Pope's March prayer intentions

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

See also <https://thepopevideo.org/>

Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

Entrance: No. 36 'Amazing grace'.

Offertory: No. 141 'Fill my house unto the fullest'.

Communion: No. 83 'Christ is my light, lights up my day'.

Recessional: No. 61 'Be thou my vision, O Lord of my h.'.

About the Order of Augustinian Recollects (O.A.R)

Members from the 5 Provinces of the Order and from 22 different countries are gathered in Rome since the 1st March 2022 for the 56th General Chapter of the Order of Augustinian Recollects.

Phase 2 project at St Anthony's!

The builders 'FIJ Building Services' have told us that they will be ready to start work at St Anthony's on **Monday 28th March**. We all are confident that in the next few working days the final fixed cost will be agreed by both parties concerned. Please, keep it in your prayers.

Lent

Lent is the penitential season of 40 days (excluding Sundays) set aside by the Church in order for the faithful to prepare for the commemoration of the Lord's Passion, Death and the celebration of His Resurrection.

Lent begins at midnight of Ash Wednesday and officially ends at the start of the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday.

The Church encourages us to take on 3 activities during Lent that focus our attention on God, ourselves and neighbour: *Prayer* – strengthens our relationship with God; *Fast* – helps our personal spiritual life; *Almsgiving* – for the benefit of our neighbour.

Thank you

For your monthly/weekly offerings and for your continued generosity to the parish.



**Augustinian Recollect Mission
in Sierra Leone**

**Holy Apostles catholic Church
MAHARIBO**

<<< Holy Apostles Catholic Church
Village way of life – typical house>>>



CAFOD & SIERRA LEONE MISSION Lent Family Fast Day was last Friday 18th March

You can donate in church today by taking a CAFOD envelope (available in the church porch) and depositing in the collection basket by the entrance church door. Charity donations during Lent will be split equally between CAFOD and Sierra Leone Mission.

Gift Aid

Boxes of Gift Aid envelopes for the Tax Year 2022 -2023 are in the porch. Please take your box home with you. If you pay by Direct Debit you still need your envelopes for the special collections throughout the year.

If you are a Tax payer and would like to join the parish Gift Aid scheme please let Fr Frank know. Every £1 you donate gains an extra 25p for the parish and all you have to do is fill in the form.

Lenten Retreat at St Rita's Centre, Honiton, on Saturday 2nd April 2022

The day will be led by Fr. Tom Dubois, and it will begin with coffee/tea on arrival at 9.30am. First Talk will start at 10am, second talk will be at 11am. Exposition and Adoration of the holy Sacrament in silence will be at 12pm. Lunch will be served at 1.00pm, Mass at 2.45pm and there will be an opportunity for Confession. Charge for the day, including lunch, is just £25.00.