



St. Anthony's R C Church

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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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Items for Newsletter by 12 noon each Wednesday to: ottery@prcdtr.org.uk

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.

2nd Sun of Christmas YA

1st January 2023

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Collections

August: £640.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £40.00 for Sierra Leone.

September: £410.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £30.00 for Sierra Leone Mission.

October: £410.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £120.00 for CAFOD, £20.00 for Missio and £20.00 for Sierra Leone.

November: £655.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £16.00 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 December prayer intention

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

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

Catholic Chaplaincies

A new website has been set up to help young people find their Catholic chaplaincy when they arrive at college or university this autumn – catholic@university.org.uk

Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

Entrance: No. 27 *All people that on earth do dwell.* **Gloria:** No. 491 *Sing to God a song of glory.* **Communion:** No. 430 *Oh, the love of my Lord is the essence.* **Recessional:** No. 218 *Holy Virgin, by God's decree.*

Phase 2 project at St Anthony's!

Week 1: Started on *Tuesday 19th April*, and it will take FIJ Building Service Ltd 26 weeks to finish.

Week 34: At the meeting with the Structural Surveyor on Monday (19th) options were provided, and the steelwork installation will be completed after the Christmas and New Year's break.

Week 35: Christmas and New Year's break.

Week 36: Christmas and New Year's break.

Week 37: Builders return to work on Wed. 3rd January.

Youth Events news:

<https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t/t-64E01E0D3DFDA49C2540EF23F30FEDED>



From
Rev John Park, Deacon,
and
Fr Frank Umendia O.A.R., Parish Priest.

NEW TRANSLATION OF THE LECTIONARY FOR MASS

The Bishops of England and Wales, at their recent meeting in Leeds have given their final approval to a new lectionary for Mass which uses the Catholic Edition of the English Standard version, and Abbey Psalms and Canticles. The new lectionary has been sent to Rome for approval. If approval is given by the Holy See, the new lectionary will be ready for publication and for use at the beginning of the Advent season this year.

FLAME 2023

Flame, the bi-annual National Youth Gathering at Wembley Arena, will be held on Saturday 4th March 2023. More information will be available in the new year.

Christmas Collection

All donations given at the Christmas Eve and Christmas morning Masses were your personal gift to the Parish Priest. They have not been counted yet. Many thanks for your donations, greeting cards and seasonal gifts.

A big thank you

To a parishioner who donated £300 last week to pay the Structural Surveyor fees for the meeting we had with him on Monday 12th December.

Prayer for Ukraine: *Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen*