



# 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](mailto: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.*

## 4th Sunday of Lent

19 March 2023

**Psalter 4 Year A**

### Collections

November: £655.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £16.00 for Sierra Leone.

December: £465.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £750.00 Christmas collection for Parish Priest.

January: £755.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £47.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

February: £530.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £20.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

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 intention

For victims of abuse. We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering. 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](mailto:catholic@university.org.uk)

### Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

**Entrance:** No. 36 Amazing grace. **Offertory:** No. 158 Gifts of bread and wine.

**Communion:** No. 79 Christ be beside me. **Recessional:** No. 408 O Mother blest, whom God bestows.

## Phase 2 project at St Anthony's!

**Week 1:** Started on *Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022*, and it will take FIJ Building Service Ltd 26 weeks to finish.

**Week 46:** Demolition work is almost complete. Carpentry work is progressing; a lot more to be done in this area or work. Bricklayers should be busy this coming week.

**Week 47:** Work has been progressing steadily in several fronts.

## **Lent**

The Lenten season provides an opportunity each year to deepen our understanding of our faith by reflecting on the Gospels. During Lent we are called both to turn away from those things that encumber our faith journey with God and to turn towards God. Lent is a wonderful opportunity to open ourselves to changes that God wants to make in us so that we can truly flourish.

### **Are you sharing your talents?**

#### **8.- BRASS (SILVER, GOLD...) CLEANERS**

Current volunteer: *Angela Doyle*

Note: *A team of two/three people would be lovely!*

## **CAFOD & SIERRA LEONE MISSION Lent donations**

You can donate in church by taking a CAFOD envelope (available in the church porch) and place it in the basket by the inside door. Donations will be split equally between CAFOD and Sierra Leone Mission. Thank you.

## **Youth Events news:**

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

## **Caritas Diocese of Plymouth's March newsletter**

Is now available to read online at <https://tinyurl.com/yjmvuwmj> If you would like a printed copy, please phone Caritas 01364 645360

## **Gift Aiders**

If you are a tax payer and not a Gift Aider but would like to become a Parish Gift Aider please contact Pat Gough on 01404 813076 for more information.

## **Lent and Easter at St Rita's Shop**

Buy Lent and Easter religious articles now from St Rita's Shop, Honiton. Shop online at [www.stritascentre.shop](http://www.stritascentre.shop) where you will find an inspiring selection of items, books, statues, holy pictures etc. at competitive prices. You can also order online, by email [shop@stritascentre.org](mailto:shop@stritascentre.org), or by phone 01404 4263



### **Don't forget!**

To put the clock forward an hour next weekend.