



# 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.*

## 6th Sunday of Lent, Palm Sunday

2 April 2023

**Psalter 2 Year A**

### Collections

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.

March: £355.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £110.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission and £110.00 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.



### 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. 19 All glory, laud and honour. **Offertory:** No. 320 Lord, accept the gifts we offer. **Communion:** No. 556 This is my body. **Recessional:** No. 465 Ride on! Ride on in majesty!

## **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 48:** Work has been progressing steadily in several fronts.

**Week 49:** Carpenters and bricklayer have been busy three days this week. The outside walls are going up nicely, and they are almost ready to receive the new roof.

## **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?**

#### **10.- CASHIERS**

Volunteers: Team 1: *Ronnie Harwood & Deborah Stuart*. Team 2: .....?

Note: **We desperately need another team of two people** to count the monthly collection at a convenient time every other month, and bank it. Husband and wife may not be members of the same team.

## **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.

## **TH HOLY WEEK AND EASTER 2021**

**Sunday 2 April: Palm Sunday - Blessing of palms, at 9.30am & Sat. 6.00pm.**

**Monday 3 April: Morning Prayer, at 9.15am; Mass, at 9.30am.**

**Tuesday 4 April: Morning Prayer, at 9.15am; Mass, at 9.30am.**

**Wednesday 5 April: Morning Prayer, at 9.15am; Mass, at 9.30am.**

**Maundy Thursday 6 April: Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, at 7.00pm.**

**Good Friday 7 April: Celebration of the Lord's Passion, at 3.00pm.**

**Holy Saturday 8 April: Office of Readings, at 9.15am.**

**The Easter Vigil, at 8.00pm.**

**Easter Sunday 9 April: Sunday Mass at 9.30am.**

## **Gift Aid**

Boxes of Gift Aid envelopes for the Tax Year 2023 -2024 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 your box of envelopes is not there please contact Pat Gough on 01404 813076

If you are a Tax payer and would like to join the parish Gift Aid scheme please contact Pat on the telephone number above. Every £1 you donate gains an extra 25p for the parish and all you have to do is fill in the form.