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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.

18th Sun in Ordinary Time YA

6 August 2023

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Collections

April: £445.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £525.00 Easter collection for Parish Priest,

£90.00 for Holy Places on Good Friday, £50.00 for CAFOD and £55.00 for

Sierra Leone Mission.

May: £480.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £30.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission. June: £385.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £25.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission. July: £665.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £500.00 donation towards the painting and

decoration of the church.

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 Francis' August prayer intention

We pray that World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the gospel in their own lives.

See also https://thepopevideo.org/

Catholic University 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 – <u>catholic@university.org.uk</u>

Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

Entrance: No. 404 O Lord my God, when I am in awesome wonder. **Offertory**: No. 133 Father, I place into your hands. **Communion**: No. 226 I am the bread of life. **Recessional**: No. 183 God's spirit is in my heart.

Phase 2 project at St Anthony's!

- **Week 1:** Started on *Tuesday 19th April 2022*, and it will take FIJ Building Service Ltd 26 weeks to finish.
- **Week 67:** The roofers have nearly finished what they had to do. Work will continue indoors and under cover, if all goes well.
- **Week 68:** There was very little progress last week. The roofing above the Sacristy, the lobby and the North Wing is complete. The builders were not seen during the week and will be off site until they receive all the information they require.

An invitation to survivors of abuse

The diocese would very much appreciate hearing from people who have a lived experience of abuse, so that we can involve them in the work we are doing to support survivors. We would welcome the opportunity to hear survivors' feedback and ideas so that we can improve our response to those who have been hurt by abuse. If you think you might be able to help us in this work, or if you would like to find out more about what we are doing in the diocese to support survivors, please contact: Sophie Scagell (Survivor Support Caseworker) on 01364 645436 / sophie.scagell@prcdtr.org.uk

Parish Finance Committee

Are having a meeting on Saturday 5th August after the evening Mass to reassess the current situation of St Anthony's Phase 2 Building Project.

Gratefully received in July

An envelope with £100 cash offering in the collection and a letter with a £500 cheque 'to go towards the cost of the painter and decoration'. We do appreciate any help particularly at this time of great financial difficulty.

Welcome to the Order of Augustinian Recollects (O.A.R.)

Twelve young men from Argentina, Brazil, Mexico, Peru, Venezuela and Costa Rica made their Simple Profession in the O.A.R. Noviciate House in Monteagudo, Navarre, Spain on Saturday 29th July 2023. They will continue their formation in Madrid where they will study Theology at the Jesuit Comillas University. Congratulations! May the Holy Spirit guide their way and fill them with joy.

August edition

Of Caritas Diocese of Plymouth newsletter available at https://tinyurl.com/mu5semx2

Youth Rally Saturday 23rd September, St Rita's Honiton 12-6pm.

Join youth from across the diocese in fun, games and challenges at St Rita's Honiton. Are you ready for the infamous obstacle course? Or are a keen to score lots of goals in the penalty shoot-out or netball challenge? They'll be bouncy castles, Didi cars, sumo wrestling challenges and much more for you to have a go at. The event is open to anyone aged 7-16. Come as part of a parish/school or group team or sign up and be placed in a team. The £8 contribution includes BBQ and drinks. To book: https://forms.office.com/e/L2jn7EwXfH or contact Saskia for further info: youth@prcdtr.org.uk