



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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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.

5th Sunday of Easter

28 April 2024

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Collections

January: £495.00 + £310.44 by direct debit and £20.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

February: £865.00 + £310.44 by direct debit, £95.00 for CAFOD and £90.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission.

March: £1,410.00 + £687.00 by direct debit, £40.00 for Sierra Leone O.A.R. Mission and £20.00 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 Francis' April Prayer Intention. For the role of women – let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognized in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world. 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 – catholic@university.org.uk

Music in church, Sunday 9.30am Mass

Entrance: No.242 Immortal, invisible, God only wise. **Offertory:** No. 320 Lord, accept the

gifts we offer. **Communion:** No. 359 My God loves me, his love will never end. **Recessional:**

No. 408 O Mother blest, whom God bestows.

Phase 2 project at St Anthony's!

Started on Tuesday 19th April 2022, managed by FIJ Building Service Ltd, and was expected to be finished in 26 weeks. After 94 weeks on *Friday 19th January* FIJ Building Service Ltd. offered to end their involvement and passed it on to the Parish to carry on the building project and see it come to a happy end.

Week 13 managed by Parish: The plasterers will finish their work by Friday this coming week. They were absent from St Anthony's most of last week. The decorator/painter has already started painting the ceiling and the walls. The electricians have restored the power to the South wing and the new area above the altar. Two carpenters will continue working on doors, windows, ceilings, walls, etc. Good to know that we are moving forward in the right direction and soon we'll be able to tear down the partition and take over the whole church.

Gratefully received in March

- Your weekly donations towards the general church expenses.
- A gardener's saw.
- £100 towards the building project from a regular visitor to St Anthony's.

Thank you!

Fr Sean Flannery O.A.R.

After two days in a very critical situation due to septic shock was called by the Lord to His presence in Exeter Hospital on Wednesday morning. His funeral will be at 11.00am 1st May at The Holy Family Church, Honiton, followed by burial in the Order of Augustinian Recollects Cemetery in the grounds of Ivybridge Catholic Church. May he rest in peace and rise in glory and may his family and confreres find consolation and peace.

Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse 30th April

The Bishops of England and Wales have set aside the Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Easter as a Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse. This is a day of prayer for those who have been abused, during a season of hope and new life. This year's focus is on communities who have been directly affected by allegations or convictions related to abuse – especially, but not exclusively, within the Church.

Gift Aid

Boxes of Gift Aid envelopes for the Tax Year 2024-2025 are in the porch. Please take your box home with you. If your box is not there, contact Pat Gough 01404 813076

Wednesday 1st May

There will be NO MASS at St Anthony's. We all are invited to Fr Sean Flannery's funeral Mass at 11.00am at The Holy Family, Honiton.

Youth Events news:

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