# PARISH OF ST JAMES & ST BONIFACE with St John's Catholic Primary and Pre-School A Catholic Community in the Heart of Mid Devon

# NEWSLETTER

# Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) Sunday 24 October 2021 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



#### Parish Clergy:

Canon Kristian Paver - Parish Priest Revd Michael Tosh – Deacon Revd Peter Found - Deacon

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#### **World Mission Sunday**



World Mission Sunday is being celebrated in every Catholic parish around the world today! It supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries like Sister Veronica build peace in Nigeria and share the love of Christ with those most in need. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give

what you can to this very important collection which will sustain the future of our Church. There is a basket at the entrance to church for your donation, with some envelopes for those who can Gift Aid their donation. Alternatively, please call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit Missio's website to give a single gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible: <a href="https://www.missio.org.uk">www.missio.org.uk</a>.

# **Monthly Lunch**



The Monthly Lunch will be restarting this Tuesday 26 October, 12noon-2.00pm. Helpers are required on the day to serve and tidy up. Please have a word with Margaret Found for further information or email her at margaretfound@btinternet.com.

# "Book"/Lunch Group

At long last the "Book"/Lunch Group will be returning to the College Café on Thursday 4 November at 12.30pm. If anyone is unable to come, please let Sheelagh know (01884 256312).

# **Preparations for the Christmas Fayre and Christmas Draws**

There will be a workshop at 7.00pm in the church hall on Friday 5 November to get items ready for the Christmas Fayre planned for Saturday 20 November. Anyone is welcome to come and help. There will be a Christmas draw too, and so donations are needed for that. The draw will take place Sunday 19 December. Tickets for this draw and for Canon Kristian's Christmas Cake will be on sale in November.

#### **Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)**

In the entrance to St James there is a box for items which can be recycled to raise money for the Catholic Children's Society. The following items can be recycled: jewellery, coins and currency, phones and gadgets, and stamps.

#### **Christmas Shoe Boxes**

Just a reminder that filled shoe boxes must be returned to the church hall by the weekend of 6/7 November. If you have any queries, please contact Sheelagh Bourdon (01884 256312).

#### **Parenting for Faith**

Want to help the children you love find God in everyday life? CELEBRATE is running the **Parenting for Faith** course on Zoom. It's not just mums and dads who long for children and teens to know God for themselves. Whether you are a parent, guardian, grandparent, family member, friend or catechist, you can help the young people in your life develop a vibrant and connected relationship with God – whatever their age!

The course dates are: **Block one:** 2, 9, 16, & 23 November 2021 with an optional evening on 30 November 2021 with Rachel Turner, Parenting for Faith Pioneer; **Block two:** 11, 18, 25 January & 1 February 2022. During the sessions there will be opportunity to discuss the content in small groups online. These will be organised in regions, so that you can get to know other families in your area. Watch the trailer for the course here. To book your free place on the course, register here: <a href="https://www.celebratetrust.org/parentingforfaith">www.celebratetrust.org/parentingforfaith</a>.

### **Prayer of Invocation for the Worldwide Synodal Journey**



We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity

so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen

# Journey to 2030

The Diocesan Education Service, CAFOD and Caritas recently held an event looking at how individuals, schools and parishes can respond to Pope Francis' call to put *Laudato Si'* into action to help our communities thrive, at the same time as tackling huge world issues on the Journey to 2030. The issues can feel daunting, but small steps are so important – the little things add up!

There is a new website <a href="https://journeyto2030.org/">https://journeyto2030.org/</a> which offers a parish guide to <a href="https://journeyto2030.org/">Laudato Si' and an online encyclopaedia for individuals and parishes trying to respond to the Pope's teaching on care for our common home, pulling together inspiring stories and practical actions, wisdom and goals in one place. There are also lots of resources on our <a href="mailto:Diocesan website">Diocesan website</a>. If you would like any more information on environmental issues, please contact <a href="mailto:caritas@prcdtr.org.uk">caritas@prcdtr.org.uk</a>

#### **Parish Services and Events This Week**

#### Saturday 23 October – Weekday

Holy Mass at 6.00pm (Vigil Mass) Anthony Cooper RIP

#### **Sunday 24 October – Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)**

- Holy Mass at 10.00am *Pro Populo*
- Holy Mass at 11.30am (at St Boniface) Anouchka Baudena (sick)

### Monday 25 October – Weekday

Singing to Remember at 2.00pm in the Hall

#### Tuesday 26 October - St Chad and St Cedd, Bishops

- Holy Mass at 10.00am Walter Gore Allen, Sydney William Letcher Richards and their Relatives (FM)
- Monthly Lunch at 12noon in the Hall

#### **Wednesday 27 October – Weekday**

- Funeral Service for Kathleen Chilcott RIP at 10.00am (at St Boniface)
- Holy Mass at 12 Noon (at St Boniface)

# Thursday 28 October – St Simon and St Jude, Apostles

Holy Mass at 6.00pm

#### Friday 29 October – Weekday

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions at 11.30am
- Holy Mass with Prayers for Healing at 12noon

# Saturday 30 October – Weekday

Holy Mass at 6.00pm (Vigil Mass)

#### \*\*\*\*\*CLOCKS GO BACK ONE HOUR\*\*\*\*

#### **Sunday 31 October – Solemnity of All Saints** (transferred)

- Holy Mass at 10.00am *Pro Populo*
- Holy Mass at 11.30am (at St Boniface)