

Parish of St. Boniface, Okehampton
& Holy Family, Chagford

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19th WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Times of Masses & Services

Sat	6 th August	6.00 pm	Okehampton	Mass at grotto Rose & Dominic O'Brian
Sun	7 th August	9.00 am	Chagford	Mass at grotto 19 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
		11.00 am	Okehampton	People of the Parish
Tue	9 th August	7.00 pm	Okehampton	No service due to Church redecoration
Wed	10 th August	10.00 am	Okehampton	No service due to Church redecoration
Thurs	11 th August	10.30 am	Chagford	St Clare
Fri	12 th August	10.00 am	Okehampton	No service due to Church redecoration
Sat	13 th August	6.00 pm	Okehampton	VIGIL OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Sun	14 th August	9.00 am	Chagford	THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
		11.00 am	Okehampton	People of the Parish

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 5.15 p.m. to 5.45 p.m. or by arrangement.

Fund raising Car Boot Sale: at St Boniface Church **Saturday 13th August 2022**. Set up at 8.30am £8 a pitch, light refreshments are available. Open to the public from 9.30am. If any parishioners have any items to sell, please donate as the church is also having a stall to sell items as a church fund raiser. It would be great to see our parishioners supporting this new idea.

Final announcement on Centenary celebration: We are finalising the list for the Church attendance on Sunday 18th September at 4 pm for the centenary celebration. Those of you who have not signed up please email as soon as possible (latest by 8th August) on saintbonifacechurch2016@gmail.com if you are planning still to attend. The latest invitation is attached with this email. **Those who have already put their names down on the noticeboard for attendance need not do anything.**

Interior Decorating of St Boniface: It is approximately 18 years since St. Boniface was last decorated. I am very pleased to announce that a decorator will be starting work on Thursday 4th August. The works will not affect Saturday and Sunday Masses but unfortunately weekday Mass will be suspended from 4th August and the church closed for safety reasons while this vital work is carried out. Weekday Mass will recommence on Tuesday 23rd August. Apologies for the inconvenience. Special thanks to: Piotr Glusniewski, Elzbieta Glusniewska, Pawel Glusniewski, Anna Glusniewski, Norbert Gluniewski, Nicola Glusniwska, Karol Niezgodka, Piotr Grabia, Justyna Grabia, Zuzanna Grabia, Amelia Grabia and Peter Sneak for preparing for the church for painting. Your help was greatly appreciated.

Wanted Urgently: A new Parish representative for the Christians Together Okehampton (C T O). If you are interested let Father Darline know. Contact Bill Hennessey for details of what is involved (Tel 01837 659257 or wahren@sky.com).

Relics of Saint Bernadette at the Plymouth Cathedral: If anyone who has attended the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes and would like to be involved in the Lourdes Liturgy at the Plymouth Cathedral at 6pm on Friday 9th September, please contact Fr Kieran Kirby on 01392 272815 or email Kieran.kirby@prcdtr.org.uk

Father Darline's reflection about 100 years of our church has come out in the local newspaper. A video of the same is done which is available on YouTube. Here is the link if anyone wants to watch it https://youtu.be/Dx_OltBBMv4 Please share it with those who may have some connections with our Church and the Parish.

Church Cleaning Rota: We are trying to reinstate the church cleaning Rota, please sign up on the list in the porch if you can help. We are just asking for volunteers once a month in pairs. Thanks in advance.

Together for our Common Home: Following progress for both the 1st October Conference at the St Mellion Estate Conference Centre and each town's 'pre-event', please now find the poster attached for our 'three parish / five market town' event with Churches Together and other interested parties.

Please find the link to the latest Youth E-newsletter of our Diocese: <https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t/t-D7CDA7DF44786AB02540EF23F30FEDED>

The theme of our CCSP Annual Appeal this year is 'Extend a Hand : Give Hope – Putting all Children First There will be an appeal on the weekend of 27th/28th August.

Season of Creation: More information in the porch as well as sent in attachment.

Financial statement: For the year is now on the notice board for the parishioners.

MISSIO: Summer 2022 magazine is available in porches.

The Pope's Intention for August: For small businesses. We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

Prayers: Please pray for: Beryl Allan, Jen Cleverdon, Claire Brown, Patricia van Kuyk, Helen, Ann Durden-Higgins, Doreen Hughes, Derek & Ruth, Pat, Michele Collier, Paul & Diana Selwood Wielink, Alex Joyce, John Keating, Jean & Tilly Rhodes, Jenny Kennedy, Anne Brooks, Sheila Rogers, Bob Bell, Molly Rogers, Jean Wood, Janet Vickers, Margaret Snell, Maureen Frances, Elizabeth Gregory, David Jennings, Maureen Hartwell, Jean Arnold Jones, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Jamie Shott and Alan Pook.