

# Parish of St. Boniface, Okehampton

& Holy Family, Chagford

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THIRD WEEK OF EASTER

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## Times of Masses & Services

Sat	22 <sup>nd</sup>	April	6.00 pm	Okehampton	<b>Samuel Zeal RIP &amp; Stephanie Traynor RIP</b>
Sun	23 <sup>rd</sup>	April	9.00 am	Chagford	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
			11.00 am	Okehampton	<b>Deceased members of the Kennedy family RIP</b>
Tue	25 <sup>th</sup>	April	7.00 pm	Okehampton	No Mass
Wed	26 <sup>th</sup>	April	10.00 am	Okehampton	Eucharistic Service Jon Jarvis
Thurs	27 <sup>th</sup>	April	10.30 am	Chagford	
Fri	28 <sup>th</sup>	April	10.00 am	Okehampton	
Sat	29 <sup>th</sup>	April	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	30 <sup>th</sup>	April	9.00 am	Chagford	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
			11.00 am	Okehampton	

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

**Requiem Mass for Bishop Christopher:** In accordance with Bishop Christopher's instructions, his body will be received into the Church of the Sacred Heart, Exeter at 5.00pm on Thursday 4th May. His Requiem Mass will take place at the Sacred Heart on the following day, Friday 5th May, at midday. Archbishop John Wilson will preside. Please continue to keep Bishop Christopher, and all those who mourn him, in your prayers. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Bishop Christopher's body will be interred at the cemetery at Buckfast Abbey later that afternoon.

**Father Darline's Upcoming book:** As most of you might know Father Darline has been writing in the local press for nearly 12 years. Out of 150 articles 101 have been chosen for republication as a book. There is an order form, as well as Foreword from Jim Egan and reviews from some renowned people. Please take both and return the order form which is available in the porch.

**Prior warning of Ten Tors weekend 28th/30th April:** The road into town and Station Road may be busier than normal on Sunday, allow extra time for your journey to mass.

**Boot Fair in St Boniface Car Park:** 3rd Saturday of each month until September (**20<sup>th</sup> May, 17<sup>th</sup> June, 15<sup>th</sup> July, 19<sup>th</sup> August and 16<sup>th</sup> September**). £8 a pitch, keep a look out on our Face Book page, notice board and website for more details. The April Boot Fair was a huge success, the sun shone for us, and the rain held off. The event made a grand total of £307.70p towards church funds. Many thanks to "The Friends" for organising it so well and to everyone who helped by serving refreshments, making delicious cakes and cookies, acting as stewards in the car park and to the few parishioners who came to support. It will be good to see more of our parishioners at the next sale on **May 20th**. There will be a barbeque as well as homemade cakes, just come along to enjoy a chat, coffee, and a homemade cake, we will be pleased to see you. If you want to know more contact **Pam on 07917 054 625**. Maurice and Piers Teo are running the Parish Boot Pitch at the sale in May, all monies raised are for parish funds. If you have any items for them to sell that need collecting, please phone Pam on the number above.

**Missionary Appeal by Columban Fathers:** at all masses on the **weekend of 6th/7th May**. Father Pat O' Beirne is celebrating the masses, please make him welcome.

**The World of prayer for Vocations: Sunday April 30<sup>th</sup>:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection and Gift Aid Envelopes are available.

## **Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Camps 2023:**

**Junior Camp** 30<sup>th</sup> July- 4<sup>th</sup> August Grangehurst School years 3 – 6

**Senior Camp** 6<sup>th</sup> August – 11<sup>th</sup> August Grangehurst school years 7 – 10

**St Petroc's Camp** 14<sup>th</sup> August – 18<sup>th</sup> August St Rita's Honoiton school years 11 – 12.

**Camp fee £230 bookings now open leaflets in the porch**

**Catholic Children's Society Newsletters:** The new copies are available in the porch, please take a copy.

**"Rise to our Cause":** Holy Mass at midday plus lunch and guest speaker on ascension Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at Buckfast Abbey tickets £30. Please see the poster on the notice board for more details.

**The Pope's Intention for April:** For a culture of peace and non violence. We pray for the spread of peace and non violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

**Prayers:** Please pray for: Eve Harris, Margaret & Jorn Buhl Nielson, Hugh Wallace, Jenny Kennedy, Mary Frain, Jan, Margaret Snell, Mary Sheridan, Jen Cleverdon, Claire Brown, Helen, Ann Durden-Higgins, Doreen Hughes, Derek & Ruth, Pat, Michele Collier, Paul & Diana Selwood Wielink, Alex Joyce, John Keating, Jean & Tilly Rhodes, Anne Brooks, Sheila Rogers, Bob Bell, Molly Rogers, Jean Wood, Janet Vickers, Maureen Frances, Elizabeth Gregory, David Jennings, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Jamie Shott and Alan Pook.