

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

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12TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
Year B2

Times of Masses & Services

Sat	22 nd June	6.00 pm	Okehampton	For the People of the Parish
Sun	23 rd June	9.00 am	Chagford	12 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
		11.00 am	Okehampton	Ces Mills (RIP)
Tue	25 th June	7.00 pm	Okehampton	
Wed	26 th June	10.00 am	Okehampton	
Fri	28 th June	10.00 am	Okehampton	St Irenaeus (Bp) Martyr
Sat	29 th June	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	30 th June	9.00 am	Chagford	SS Peter and Paul - APOSTLES
		11.00 am	Okehampton	For the People of the Parish

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

The Pope's Intention for June: For those fleeing their own countries: Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

Filipino's Choir: Filipino friends of mine will be singing at the Vigil Mass on Saturday, June 22. You are welcome to join us. I appreciate their help and God bless them all.

Second collection: There is a mandatory retiring collection for "Peter's Pence" next weekend 30th June. Baskets at both church entrances. Thank you for your cooperation!

New Rotas: Please can you help to keep our church looking beautiful? There are new rota sheets on the notice board in the entrance porch for you to sign up for altar flowers and church cleaning. The more parishioners who offer help the less burden it is on the few. We are only asking for a once-a-year commitment. If you can spare a little time, it would really be appreciated. Speak to Ann Radnor if you have a query. Thank you in anticipation!

Card Machine: "Card Machine" is now installed and activated, giving you access. While this method may not suit everyone, cash donations will still be accepted, especially during the second collection. Rest assured that you can still donate using cash or choose to use the new system. Thank you for your cooperation!

Parish New Census Forms: New Census Forms are still available at all Masses. Please ensure to promptly return the completed forms. Thank you for your cooperation!

Coffee Morning at Chagford: We are organizing a Coffee Morning on Saturday, July 6th at Endecott House in Chagford to raise funds for our churches. More information will be available in the coming weeks, and we hope that parishioners and friends will join us to show their support. We require a few raffle prizes, as well as cakes and savoury items for the event, as these are always popular. Additionally, we will have a plant stall and quality bric-a-brac, so if you can donate these items, it would be greatly appreciated. Donation boxes are placed in the porch of each church. Thank you for your support.

CWL Meeting: The next meeting of the Catholic Women's League will be on Friday 12th July at 10.30 am in the Hall. All ladies are most welcome.

The Relic Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe visits St Joseph and St Walburga, Poole, from 28 - 30 June 2024. Mass of Reception is 6 pm followed by refreshments. This will also begin Forty Hours of Adoration as part of the Knights of St Columba 'Bouquet of Prayer' with prayers also offered to celebrate life. Please see the posters for more details. All are welcome.

Segway Olympics and obstacle course, 29th June at Devon Activity Centre: This event is for young people aged 10 – 16. Many of our young people have enjoyed building friendships with others across the diocese at these events. Young people will have the chance to explore the scripture 2 Tim 1:7, whilst facing the challenges of the Segway Olympics and the wet obstacle course. A recommended contribution is £20 per person or £15 for multiple siblings and those on low income. For more detailed information and to book follow: <https://forms.office.com/e/C7E07CArSj> Contact Saskia, at youth@prcdtr.org.uk

The Shape of Authentic Hope: In this difficult, disillusioned age, why do we need the Church? In preparing for the Jubilee year 2025, Pope Francis has asked us to explore the key documents of Vatican II. Bill Keimig, Deputy Director of the Catechetical Institute Franciscan University of Steubenville, in his visit to the UK, will be speaking to us on the document on the Church (Lumen Gentium: A light to all peoples). Come and join us at Schiller Hall, **Buckfast Abbey on Wednesday, June 26th 6-8 pm.** The event will begin at 5 pm with tea/coffee and a chance to connect and chat with Bill and his team. To reserve a place contact: deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

Plymouth Diocese Catholic Charismatic Renewal Event: A day of encounter for all ages, at St Cuthbert's Conference Centre, Buckfast Abbey 10 am-6 pm 29th June. Experience joyful praise and worship, ways of connecting to God's voice, prayer from the heart, workshops, prayer ministry, Adoration, and Mass. Hot/cold drinks include an optional two-course lunch or bring your own packed lunch. Please get in touch with info@swccr.org.uk for more information or if you have any questions.

Prayers: Please pray for: Jerome Twomey, Norma Hynes, Peter Moy, Patricia Almond, Cecilia Brunton, Jorn Buhl Nielson, Jenny Kennedy, Mary Frain, Jan, Margaret Snell, Mary Sheridan, Jen Cleverdon, Claire Brown, Helen, Ann Durden-Higgins, Doreen Hughes, Pat, Michele Collier, Paul & Diana Selwood Wielink, Alex Joyce, John Keating, Tilly Rhodes, Anne Brooks, Sheila Rogers, Molly Rogers, Jean Wood, Janet Vickers, Maureen Frances, Elizabeth Gregory, David Jennings, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Jamie Shott, Alan Pook and David Rhodes.