

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

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30TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
Year B2

Times of Masses & Services

Sat	26 th	October	5.30 pm	Chagford	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	27 th	October	11.15 am	Okehampton	30 TH Sunday - Maureen Frances (RIP)
			5.30 pm	Okehampton	For the People of the Parish
Tue	29 th	October	7.00 pm	Okehampton	
Wed	30 th	October	10.00 am	Okehampton	
Fri	1 st	November	10.00 am	Okehampton	ALL SAINTS (OBL)
			6.00 pm	Chagford	ALL SAINTS (OBL)
Sat	2 nd	November	9.00 am	Okehampton	Rosary & Adoration
			10.00 am	Okehampton	ALL SOULS' DAY
			5.30 pm	Chagford	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	3 rd	November	11.15 am	Okehampton	31 ST SUNDAY – For the People of the Parish
			5.30 pm	Okehampton	

Sacrament of Reconciliation by arrangement.

The Pope's Intention for November: For those who have lost a child. Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.

Card Donations to our Parish Funds: A reminder that we now have a card machine for card payments if you prefer to donate by card in place of cash or bank transactions. The machine is situated at St Boniface Church by Our Lady's statue. The machine is only set up for donations to our parish funds and not retiring collections.

PPC Meeting: Committee members please note that the next meeting is to be held on **Tuesday evening November 12th at 6.30 pm in the church hall.** Evening mass will be at the earlier time of 6 pm. Fr Anil requests all members of the PPC to attend and to forward any items for the agenda to him in good time.

All Souls Day: Please leave the names of your deceased relatives in the box by the altar.

Remembrance Service: This will take place on the lawn by our Lord's cross after the 11.15 am Mass on Sunday 10th November. The Deputy Mayor, Richard Colman, will join us for the Mass and lay the wreath in respect of all fallen heroes.

Christmas Craft Fair: Sunday 24 November, before Mass 10.30-11 am and afterwards 12.15 – 1 pm. The RAFFLE BOX is now in the Church porch for your donations, thank you. We still need more promises of Craft items to sell – can you, or any of the children perhaps, make something suitable, please? Gifts, decorations, cards etc? Or do you know someone crafty who might donate something they have made? Or if anyone wants to have their own stall that is also an option – come and speak to me, call me, or sign up on the sheet on the Notice Board. Many thanks, Karen kgutans@gmail.com / 01363 82266 / text 07958334930.

Christmas draw: A few parishioners have been enquiring about the parish Christmas draw. Watch this space for more details as we approach the festive season. Lists for draw items will be available soon. The draw will take on last year's idea of £5 in an envelope, with your details, or as many envelopes as you wish to enter.

A reminder that British Summer time ends on October 27th, and clocks go back one hour.

Assisted Suicide Bill Resources: The CBCEW website has been updated with a raft of resources for your people to be informed regarding the assisted suicide legislation that is currently working its way through Parliament. This link will take you to the relevant page on the website: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/> Please see the information at all entrances.

Our Story: Our Mission: Do you want to discover your true purpose, meaning and identity in your life with Christ? Are you aware of the part you are called to play in salvation history? In response to Pope Francis' call to be "Pilgrims of Hope" for this forthcoming Jubilee year, Fr. David Marsden will lead us through this inspirational day. Come to Schiller Hall, Buckfast Abbey on Saturday 2nd November from 10 am (tea/coffee) to 10.30-3 pm. (Mass at 12 noon). To reserve a place contact: plymouth-crownhill@prcdtr.org.uk OR <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=ImGab5THgECYLxFSFnRJd76Dtpj19ZZEhXH6wK1wfpJUNEk2RTIyM1REVlkwUVdNNzKzRkcyVUtLUy4u>

World Day of the Poor 2024: The Eighth World Day of the Poor is on Sunday 17 November. In his message for this World Day of the Poor, the Holy Father reiterates that "*the poor hold a privileged place in God's heart*" and invites everyone to learn to pray for the poor and to pray together with the poor, with humility and trust. We know that poverty is a significant issue both in the UK and globally. In the week running up to World Day of the Poor, we are all encouraged to pray, reflect and engage in concrete actions against poverty by deepening our encounter with the poor in our communities and considering how we can respond to their needs. We can all take small actions that together make a big difference.

Prayers: Jerome Twomey, Norma Hynes, Peter Moy, Patricia Almond, Cecilia Brunton, 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, Elizabeth Gregory, David Jennings, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Jamie Shott, Alan Pook and David Rhodes.