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

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32ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
Year A2

Times of Masses & Services

Sat	**7th**	**November**	9.00 am	Okehampton	Adoration & Rosary
			10.00 am	Okehampton	Mass. St. Willibrord – For Velangani Matha
			5.30 pm	**Chagford**	**First Mass of Sunday – For David & Jean Rhodes**
Sun	**8th**	**November**	**11.15 am**	**Okehampton**	**32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME REMEMBRANCE DAY**
			5.30 pm	**Okehampton**	**For the People of the Parish**
Tue	10th	November	7.00 pm	Okehampton	St Leo the Great – Private Intention
Wed	11th	November	10.00 am	Okehampton	St Martin of Tours – **For Jim Egan & the family**
Sat	**14th**	**November**	**5.30 pm**	**Chagford**	**First Mass of Sunday**
Sun	**15th**	**November**	**11.15 am**	**Okehampton**	**33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
			5.30 pm	**Okehampton**	

Sacrament of Reconciliation by arrangement.

The Pope's Intention for November: For the proper use of wealth. Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that, not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Welcome to Councillor Laura Bird, who is representing the local town council for our Service of Remembrance held after the Mass on Sunday.

Remembrance Day: As usual, we will be laying two poppy wreaths in a short service after the 11.15 am Mass this **Sunday 8th November.** Councillor Laura Bird will be representing Okehampton Town Council. Please make Laura welcome.

Thank you to the kind parishioners who have sent in donations towards our recently held fundraising Craft Fair. For those parishioners who have enquired how much the draw made, it was a total of £1,000; we assume that all the tickets we had printed were sold either before the event or on the day of the fair. Thank you! **A date for your 2027 diary: Craft Fair and Big Raffle, 23rd October 2027.**

Commissioning Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers: The proposed date for this is January 3rd during the 11.15 am Mass.

Mass intentions: November is the month when we remember and pray for our deceased family and friends. Please use the envelopes, which are situated at both entrances, for your intentions, and place them in the purple box in front of the altar.

PPC Meeting: This is to be held on Saturday 14th November at 10.30 am in the church hall. You can suggest points for the meeting through the PPC members or can directly email Fr Anil.

Grand Raffle tickets for Our Lady of Assumption RC Church, Tavistock are now available at both entrances.

If you hold a DBS certificate for our Parish and you are subscribed to the "Update Service". Please look out for an email message from the "Government Update Service" asking you to respond; these tend to be sent annually and are not a scam. Thank you for the volunteer work that you do.

Orders for rich fruit Christmas cakes: Veronica Walford has volunteered to bake Christmas cakes to order. Please sign up on the sheet in the front porch if you would like to order a cake.

Offerings/loose Plate by Standing Order: For those of you who would like to set up a standing order for your offerings, our banking details are: **Account Name: PDT Okehampton RC Parish, Sort Code:54-21-14, Account Number: 05608775.** If you are a UK taxpayer, you might consider gift-aiding your offerings. Please note that it is easy to make payments for the amount you choose on our card machine by Our Lady's statue. Thank you for your continued generosity.

CWL: The next meeting of the Catholic Women's League will be on Thursday, 17th November at 10 am in the hall. All ladies are most welcome to attend.

Fair Trade and Chocolate Making, Saturday **14th November,** Okehampton **10.-3.30.** Young people **aged 10 - 16** are welcome to join us at the Drill Hall at the Conservative Club in Okehampton to explore the impact of the chocolate industry on people working within the industry and the environment. The day offers a chance to meet others from across the Diocese, join in games and activities, including making chocolate from raw ingredients to create Florentines. A £10 contribution towards costs. Booking essential: Chocolate Making Day, 14th November 2026 – Fill in form

CCSP: Did you know **70% of shoppers** will do their Christmas shopping online this year ? And did you know this shopping can **easily turn into funding for CCSP** ? Everyone's favourite Christmas gift retailers like eBay, Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, Currys, Etsy, M&S, Boots, Dunelm, Waterstones and even more will all donate money to our organisation when our supporters, volunteers, trustees and our community shop with them. **It's very easy** - an online shopper simply buys something from one of the above retailers or 8,000 others, and the retailer sends CCSP a free donation as a thank you, at no extra cost to the shopper. Please click this link and register to fundraise for CCSP whilst you shop this Christmas and throughout the year - www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Prayers: Norma Hynes, Patricia Almond, Cecilia Brunton, Mary Frain, Jan, Margaret Snell, Mary Sheridan, Jen Cleverdon, Helen, Ann Durden-Higgins, Doreen Hughes, Pat, Michele Collier, Paul Selwood Wielink, Alex Joyce, John Keating, Tilly Rhodes, Anne Brooks, Janet Vickers, Elizabeth Gregory, David Jennings, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Jamie Shott, Alan Pook, David & Jean Rhodes, Gill Williams, Sylvia Hawkins, Karin Dunlop, Olive Hennessey, Kevin Selby.