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SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST 2024—18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Saturday 3rd: Vigil 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

5.30pm Mass at St Paul's. Int: Lina Janacos RIP

Sunday 4th: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am Mass at Holy Family. Int: Brian Leyland RIP

10.30am Mass at Holy Redeemer. Int: People of the Parish

Monday 5th Weekday

6pm Mass at Holy Family Int: Marlene Williams RIP

Tuesday 6th The Transfiguration of the Lord

10am Mass at St Paul's Int: Jim Sullivan RIP

Thursday 8th St Dominic

10am Mass at Holy Redeemer Int: Mary Cox RIP

Friday 9th St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

9.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

10am Mass at Holy Family: Int: Thomas Doidge RIP

Saturday 10th: Vigil 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

5.30pm Mass at St Paul's. Int: Victor Spiteria RIP

Sunday 11th: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am Mass at Holy Family. Int: People of the Parish

10.30am Mass at Holy Redeemer. Int: Charles Joseph, Sarah & James Kavanagh (FDN)

Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available after Mass or upon request

Pope's Intentions for August—For Political Leaders

Let us pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and the common good, taking care of those who have lost their jobs and giving priority to the poor.

We pray for:

- The sick and the housebound of our Parish
- The repose of the Soul of Marlene Williams who died recently. Her Requiem Mass will be at Holy Family Church on Tuesday 20th August at 1:15pm.
- The repose of the soul of Thomas Doidge. His Requiem Mass will be at 11:30am at Holy Redeemer on Friday 16th August.
May they Rest in Peace.

Fundraising for New Lectionaries

Our current fundraising efforts have so far realised £924.09 of which £90 has been Gift Aided. Thank You Holy Trinity Parishioners for your continued support.

Can you help?

We need help cleaning our Holy Redeemer Church, please contact Charles Petrie. Thank You.

RCIA—HOLY TRINITY PARISH 2024/25

We will be starting a new Course in September on Tuesday evenings 7pm-8.30pm starting on Tuesday 10th September. The sessions will be held in the Presbytery, 70 Westeria Terrace, Beacon Park, PL2 3LR. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to register.

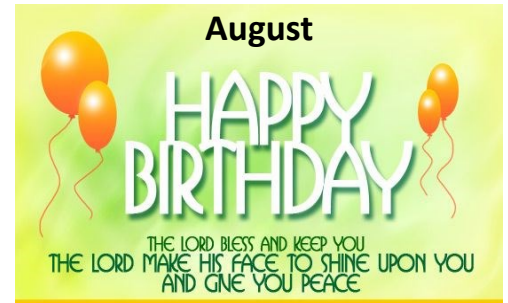
The RCIA, which stands for Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a **process** through which non-baptized men and women enter the Catholic Church. It includes several stages marked by study, prayer and rites at Mass. Participants in the RCIA are known as catechumens. They undergo a process of conversion as they study the Gospel, profess faith in Jesus and the Catholic Church, and receive the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and Holy Eucharist. The RCIA process follows the ancient practice of the church and was restored by the Second Vatican Council as the normal way adults prepare for baptism.

St Paul's School

St Paul's School urgently needs more Catholic governors. Have you considered volunteering? The Board of Governors supports and challenges the school to provide an excellent Catholic education for all pupils. We meet six times per year (each half term), training is provided and no prior experience is needed other than enthusiasm! We would welcome any parishioners from Holy Trinity as well as other parishes to join us. If you can help, please speak with Fr Appollos or Shona Bray, or email sbray@stpaulsplymouth.com. Please pray for more Catholic Governors for St Paul's.



To all those born in the Month of



Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)

The theme of Pope Francis' message for this year's World Day of the Poor is: *The prayer of the poor rises up to God* (cf. Sir 21:5) In this year of prayer running up to the Jubilee in 2025, we are invited to reflect on how we reach out to those in need. One of the social action themes chosen by Pope Francis for the Jubilee Year is poverty. We are asked to listen to the prayer of the poor, becoming aware of their presence and needs. We are also called to implement initiatives that concretely help the poor and to recognise and support the many volunteers who dedicate themselves passionately to those most in need. The Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth) remains an essential part of the way in which our Diocese responds to the Cry of the Poor. The Society responds week in week out to the many people asking for help to meet the most basic needs. Whilst they make every effort not to turn anyone away, there is always unmet demand. The Society has benefitted enormously from the compassionate and generous giving of so many people. They need your continuing support to enable them to carry out their mission of charity to those in need in our Diocese.

I appeal to your generosity, once again, to support the remarkable work of the Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth), through its Annual Appeal. Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th August 2024

Thank you for your generosity in the past, and may God bless you for responding as generously as you can to this year's Appeal.



Canon John Deeny,
Chair, Caritas Plymouth

Weekend Mass

Psalm Response "The Lord gave them bread from heaven."

Gospel acclamation "Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, say the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me. Alleluia!"

Entrance Hymn W. Williams (1717-91), tr. P. and W. Williams

Guide me, O thou great Redeemer,
pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty,
hold me with thy pow'rful hand:
bread of heaven,
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through:
strong Deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
bid my anxious fears subside,
death of death, and hell's destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side;
songs of praises
I will ever give to thee.

Preparation of the Gifts Suzanne Toolan R.S.M.

I am the Bread of life.
You who come to me shall not hunger;
and who believe in me shall not thirst.
No-one can come to me
unless the Father draw him.
*And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,
and I will raise you up on the last day.*

The bread that I will give
is my flesh for the life of the world,
and if you eat of this bread,
you shall live for ever,
you shall live forever.

Unless you eat of the flesh of the Son of Man,
and drink of his blood,
and drink of his blood,
you shall not have life within you.

I am the Resurrection, I am the Life.
If you believe in me,
even though you die,
you shall live for ever.

Yes, Lord, I believe,
that you are the Christ,
the Son of God,
who have come into the world.

Communion Hymn Bernadette Farrell

*Bread of life, hope of the world,
Jesus Christ, our brother,
feed us now, give us life,
lead us to one another.*

As we proclaim your death,
as we recall your life,
we remember your promise
to return again.

The bread we break and share
was scattered once as grain;
just as now it is gathered,
make your people one.

We eat this living bread,
we drink this saving cup;
sign of hope in our broken world,
source of lasting love.

Communion Hymn Cont.

Hold us in unity,
in love for all to see;
that the world may believe in you,
God of all who live.

You are the bread of peace,
you are the wine of joy,
broken now for your people,
poured in endless love.

Recessional Hymn Traditional

Immaculate Mary! Our hearts are on fire;
that title so wondrous fills all our desire.

Ave, Ave, Ave Maria!

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We pray for God's glory,
may his kingdom come!
We pray for his vicar,
our father, and Rome.

We pray for our mother,
the church upon earth,
and bless, sweetest Lady,
the land of our birth.

For poor, sick, afflicted,
thy mercy we crave;
and comfort the dying,
thou light of the grave.

In grief and temptation,
in joy, or in pain,
we'll ask thee, our mother,
nor seek thee in vain.

In death's solemn moment,
Our mother, be nigh;
as children of Mary -
help us when we die.

And crown thy sweet mercy
with this special grace,
to behold soon in heaven
God's ravishing face.

To God be all glory
and worship for aye,
and to Gods virgin mother,
an endless Ave.