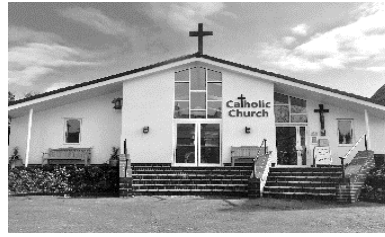


BRIDPORT CATHOLIC PARISH

Serving Bridport, Beaminster and Chideock

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25 th Week in Ordinary Time	Psalter I	Year2	Mass Intention
Saturday 22 nd September Dedication of our Cathedral	9.30am	Bridport	Mass Alvaro Rocha RIP <i>Confessions from 9am</i>
	1pm	Chideock	Wedding Caroline & Edward
25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6pm	Chideock	Mass <i>Confessions from 5.30pm</i>
Sunday 23 rd September 25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10am	Bridport	Mass People of the Parish
Tuesday 25 th September	11.40am	Bridport	Prayers to the Divine Mercy
	12 noon	Bridport	Mass Aiida Vine RIP <i>Confessions from 11.30am</i>
	12.45pm	Bridport	Soup & Cheese Lunch
Wednesday 26 th September	10am	Beaminster	Mass Mr M.F. & Miss M.K. Duffy RIP
	7pm	Bridport	Lectio
Thursday 27 th September	9.30am	Bridport	Rosary
St. Vincent de Paul	10am	Bridport	Mass In thanksgiving to Ss Jude & Joseph <i>Adoration after Mass till 11am</i>
Friday 28 th September	10am	Chideock	Mass The Welds of Chideock living & dead
	9.15am	Bridport	Meditation Group
	10am	Bridport	Mother's Prayers
	10.30am	Bridport	World's Biggest Coffee Morning
Saturday 29 th September SS Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael	9.30am	Bridport	Mass Ada Ellis RIP <i>Confessions from 9am</i>
	6pm	Bridport	Mass Thanks to all from Mo & Bernard <i>Confessions from 5.30pm</i>
Sunday 30 th September 26 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10am	Bridport	Mass People of the Parish

We remember in our prayers: our parish school; our house bound, those who are sick; and whose

Anniversaries occur around this time:-

Carmen Fernandez, Edward Sinden, Georgina Shadek, Tom Roberts, Charlotte Dear, Cyril White,
 Hugh Donovan, Barbara Hyde, Pierre Freullet.

May they rest in peace.

The response to the psalm at our Masses this weekend is:-
“**The Lord upholds my life.**”

This week's quotation from our **Holy Father Pope Francis**:- “What does “evangelize” mean? To give witness with joy and simplicity to what we are and what we believe in.”

This is the first weekend for the **Revd Deb Smith as the new Rector of Bridport**. We wish her well and commend her and her family, her team and parishes to GOD for his blessing.

In gratitude for GOD's blessing on a special family occasion a parishioner has made a **generous gift of £150 to CAFOD**. What a lovely idea.

It has been wonderful to have with us for the first of a few weeks' stay **Rhoda and Josephine from the Solomon Islands**, staying with Pat McEvoy and Fr Cor. Rhoda was Father's housekeeper for 30 years, and Josephine was his secretary in the Chancery.

Next weekend you will receive CAFOD envelopes in anticipation of **CAFOD Family Fast Day on Friday, October 5th**.

Note that **Mass on Saturday evening (29th)** is neither at Beaminster nor at Chideock, but in the parish church in Bridport, as is our custom on a 5th Saturday of the month.

Those who come to **Beaminster** for Mass on a Saturday evening are reminded that we have undertaken **not to park at the St John's House end of the car park** in any way that blocks the entrance and exit of the family living there, and their visitors.

We will be taking part in **The World's Biggest Coffee Morning** on Friday the 28th for Macmillan Cancer Support. It will be from 10:30am. Make a note of it in your diary please, and think about baking some cakes for the occasion. **If you are able to help on the day please put your name on the list in the hall.**

APF Red Box Holders. Please give your box to your promoter for emptying, ensuring that your name is on the bottom. If you have any queries please contact Mike Murless on 01308 485442.

Leweston School Open Doors – see the school in action on a normal teaching day! On 15th October at 2pm. **The Sixth Form Introduction Evening** will be on 5th October at 5pm. For further information see the posters in each of our Churches.

The Service to celebrate the life of **Jo O' Farrell** will be held on **MONDAY, OCTOBER 8TH at 3.00 p.m.** in Bridport United Church, followed by refreshments in the Church Hall. If you wish to contribute to the afternoon tea finger food, please let Daphne Ekins (me!) know the food you will bring. Alternatively contact Sue Herman 01297 489658 or Pat Crawford 01308 456297.

SPUC is asking people to send a postcard to the Home Secretary, urging him not to recommend or promote legislation to outlaw peaceful pro-life vigils, which have helped many women to choose life for their unborn baby. Postcards are available on the repository stall. For more information call SPUC on 020 7091 7091.

The Bible that Jesus Knew. Weymouth Parish are holding six evenings throughout the year, exploring themes from the Old Testament. The first will be on Thursday 4th October from 7.30pm till 9pm at Our Lady Star of the Sea Weymouth. All welcome. For further information please see the flyers in each of our Churches.

Southwest Celebrate Weekend. A joyful and faith-filled event for young and old. 13th/14th October. Notre Dame School, Looseleigh Lane, Plymouth PL6 5HN. *Main Speakers:* Maria Heath, Fr. Oscar Ardila, Charles Whitehead. Separate streams for children & young people. Lively worship, drama, a variety of workshops, family Mass. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Reconciliation available. Online booking now open (Prior booking essential) More details: www.celebrateconference.org Email: southwest@celebrateconference.org Rebecca 01395 489902 Or Susanne 01803 606256.

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Our Safeguarding Representative is Faith Leborgne 07970 532324

A BLESSING FOR THIS SUNDAY

**May the Lord help you to grow in his love
so that you may live a life
worthy of the calling he has given you.
May the Lord bless you with a joyful spirit
and a loving heart.
May the Lord keep you in his care
now and always.**

