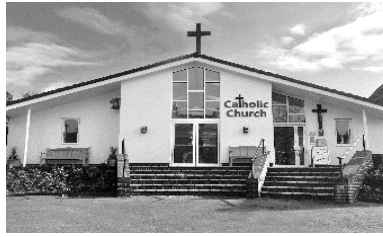


BRIDPORT CATHOLIC PARISH

Serving Bridport, Beaminster and Chideock

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26 th Week in Ordinary Time	Psalter 2	Year2	Mass Intention
Saturday 29 th September SS Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael	9.30am	Bridport	Mass Confessions from 9am Ada Ellis RIP
26 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6pm	Bridport	Mass Confessions from 5.30pm Thanks to all from Mo & Bernard
Sunday 30 th September 26 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10am	Bridport	Mass People of the Parish
Tuesday 2 nd October	11.40am	Bridport	Prayers to the Divine Mercy
	12 noon	Bridport	Mass Confessions from 11.30am Lillian Rocha RIP
The Holy Guardian Angels	12.45pm	Bridport	Soup & Cheese Lunch
Wednesday 3 rd October	10am	Beaminster	Mass Child Carers
	7pm	Bridport	Lectio
Thursday 4 th October	9.30am	Bridport	Rosary
	10am	Bridport	Mass Bishop Peter Doyle RIP
St. Francis of Assisi	2pm	Bridport	CWL half day of recollection
Friday 5 th October	10am	Chideock	Mass Charles Robertson RIP
	9.15am	Bridport	Meditation Group
Family Fast Day	10am	Bridport	Mother's Prayers
Saturday 6 th October St. Bruno	9.30am	Bridport	Mass Adoration & Confessions from 9am Ellen Rasmussen 80 th birthday
27 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Family Fast Day CAFOD 2nd Collection	6pm	Beaminster	Mass Confessions from 5.30pm Private Intention JS
Sunday 7 th October 27 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Family Fast Day CAFOD 2nd Collection	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:-

William Stuart, Nora West, David Hyde, Stella Rosario, Leon Meter, Elizabeth Biles, Gerald Runyard, Maura Delgado, Joyce Cummins, Maria Leyland, Thomas Hegarty, Maria Coate. John Bowen, Mary Collier, Felicia Fourt, Eva Owen, Henrietta Van-Heerd, Susan Sporne.

May they rest in peace.

The response to the psalm at our Masses this weekend is:-
“**The precepts of the Lord gladden the heart.**”

This week's quotation from our **Holy Father Pope Francis**:- “It is important to not let too much time pass after a storm, after a problem. It is important to build dialogue as soon as possible, because time allows the walls of resentment to grow taller, just as the weeds grow taller and get in the way of the corn – and when our walls grow tall, reconciliation becomes so difficult!”

This weekend you will receive CAFOD envelopes in anticipation of **CAFOD Family Fast Day on Friday**. Eat less that day and put the money you save into the envelope, along with any further donation, and bring the envelope to church next weekend and put it in the collection basket with your usual offering. Thank you.

Next weekend you will have, attached to your notice sheet, the customary annual request for names of your departed for whom you want special prayers said at Masses in the **November Novena for the Departed**.

In future all requests for **names of the sick and departed** to be remembered at Mass must be given in through Faith in the Parish Office, and in the case of the sick as far as possible with the permission of that person. This is to bring us into line with the provisions of the new Data Protection laws.

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.

The **new Sunday Missals (£5) and next year's Parish Diaries (50p)** will shortly be available in our churches. The Missals include all that is required for Masses from Advent, beginning on December 2nd. If and when you buy a Missal, please put your name inside; over the course of the year we have a number left behind in church with no evidence of ownership.

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.

We offer our prayers and congratulations to **Dominic Gilchrist and Rachel** who are getting married in Southampton next Saturday. We wish them a happy and fulfilling life together

Bridport is a Parish of the **Roman Catholic Diocese of Plymouth**. Reg. Charity No: 213227. Please make any cheques payable to: *PRCDTR Bridport RC Parish*.

Our Safeguarding Representative is Faith Leborgne 07970 532324

A REFLECTION
Jesus condemns those who lead
little ones astray.
What a shameful record of wickedness towards
children is now surfacing
throughout society, not least in the Church.
What have we done? What have we allowed to
happen? GOD forgive us.
We pray for the protection of children;
we pray for those working to bring healing
to the abused;
and Yes, we pray for the guilty too.
We need also to pray for the world in which
we live,
a world which encourages a culture of lust and
self-indulgence.

