

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC PARISH

St. Mary, Immaculate Mother of God, Barnstaple
& St. Joseph's, South Molton

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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Year B) Ordinary Time Week 9; Psalter Week 1 Sunday 2nd June

BARNSTAPLE SERVICE TIMES

Date		Time	Feasts & Mass Intentions
Saturday	1st	10:00 10:30	St Justin - Patron of Philosophers <i>Confession and Exposition</i>
Sunday	2nd	09:30 15:30 18:30	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Private Intentions Syro - Malabar Mass Mr Frederick Norman
Tuesday	4th	10:00	Ann Marley RIP
Wednesday	5th	10:00	NO MASS
Thursday	6th	10:00	Rev Fr Michael Harrington RIP
Friday	7th	10:00	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Thanksgiving for the Sacred Heart
Saturday	8th	10:00 10:30	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>Confession and Exposition</i>
Sunday	9th	09:30 18:30	10th Sunday in OT <i>(with Children's Liturgy)</i> Teresa and Albert Lucas The People of the Parish

SOUTH MOLTON SERVICE TIMES

Date		Time	Feasts & Mass Intentions
Saturday	1st	17:30	The People of the Parish
Saturday	8th	17:30	The Recently Deceased

Please note that there is no Mass on Wednesday 5th June.

Live Streaming of Mass from St. Mary's: Sunday at 9.30 am

Sunday Mass is live streamed from St Mary's, Barnstaple at 9:30am. This can be found on the Barnstaple parish Facebook page: www.facebook.com/BarnstapleCatholicParish.

Office Closed (27/05 - 05/06)

Please be advised that the parish office will be closed from Monday 27th May to Wednesday 5th June. If you need to speak to Fr Peter urgently, please telephone the Presbytery or email him directly. All contact information can be found on the front cover.

The Pope's Intention for June: For those fleeing their own countries.

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

First Holy Communion Classes (06/05/24)

The next First Holy Communion class will take place on Thursday 6th June at 5pm in the Presbytery.

Freedom Centre/ Foodbank Collection

- South Molton: 08/06/24
- Barnstaple: 30/06/24

Please leave any donations in the labelled boxes. Thank you.

'Who's looking after you?' - A talk by Mary Jackson (08/06/24)

3:30pm. Parish Room, Runnacleave Road, Ilfracombe. The talk centres around the importance of self-care & self-compassion; finding ways to look after yourself, which are so often neglected. It will include mindfulness, relaxation techniques, chocolate, breathwork and an invitation to engage with your senses. Cream tea included! Please come along with ideas to share as there will be time to interact, have a bit of fun and then enjoy a cream tea together. All welcome aged 16+. Please notify Rosalind on 01271 863563 of any dietary requirements. All donations will go to the church roof repair fund.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Crediton (09/06/24)

St Boniface Church, Park Rd, Crediton presided over by Cannon Paul Cummins. Parishioners are warmly invited to the celebration of the Feast of Saint Boniface, Patron of our Diocese. Pilgrims are invited to gather from 4PM at the Church for Vespers and Benediction. Light refreshments will be provided. For further information, please see poster or e-mail crediton@prcdtr.org.uk. Parking is available nearby for coaches.

Requiem Mass for Roger Sainsbury (12/06/24)

Roger passed away in Spain and was cremated there. His Requiem Mass will take place in the presence of his ashes at St Mary's on Wednesday 12th June at 12 noon.

Second Collection: Day for Life (8-9/06/24)

The Shape of Authentic Hope: A Talk by Bill Keimig (26/06/24)

In this difficult, disillusioned age, why do we *need* the Church? In preparing for the Jubilee year 2025, Pope Francis has asked us to explore the key documents of Vatican II. Bill Keimig, Deputy Director of the Catechetical Institute Franciscan University of Steubenville, in his visit to the UK, will be speaking to us on the document on the Church (Lumen Gentium: A light to all peoples). Come and join us at Schiller Hall, **Buckfast Abbey on Wednesday June 26th** 6-8pm. The event will begin at 5pm with tea/coffee and chance to connect and chat with Bill and his team. To reserve a place contact:

deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

or:

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Jesus is in the house! (Mark 2:1) Come and encounter Him (29/06/24)

10am-6pm. A day of encounter for all ages, at St Cuthbert's Conference Centre, Buckfast Abbey. Experience joyful praise and worship, ways of connecting to God's voice, prayer from the heart, workshops, prayer ministry, Adoration, and Mass. Hot/cold drinks included, optional two course lunch or bring your own packed lunch. Tickets available from Eventbrite [https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/jesus-is-in-the-house-mark-21-tickets-871769073767?](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/jesus-is-in-the-house-mark-21-tickets-871769073767?aff=ebdshpsearchautocomplete&keep_tld=1)

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Summer Ignatian Silent Retreats

These retreats are open to those who would like to step back from everyday life and review their journey in faith and be strengthened in their vocation as disciples of the Lord. Location: Sclerder Abbey, nr Looe. Price includes full board & lodging. Please email diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk or phone 01752 769164 for further information or booking.

- July 5th - 7th (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat (£140)
- July 8th - 12th (Mon - Friday) Midweek Retreat (£280)
- July 5th - 12th (Fri - Fri) 6 day Retreat (£475)

Plymouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes (26/07/24)

6 nights. £955 per person sharing. Full board. Including guided walking tours of Lourdes visiting the places associated with St Bernadette, the Sanctuaries, Grotto, Baths and Basilicas. There will also be a full religious programme including Mass at the Grotto, Anointing of the Sick, Torchlight Procession & Blessed Sacrament Procession. For any more information contact Fr Chris Findlay-Wilson at Christopher.Findlay@pcdtr.org.uk. To book, please contact Joe Walsh Tours on 0808 1890468, or email info@joewalshstours.co.uk.

Diocese of Plymouth: Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes (26/07/24)

6 nights. £495 per person sharing. Financial help will be provided by the parish to those wishing to go. Full board. Including guided walking tours of Lourdes visiting the places associated with St Bernadette, the Sanctuaries, Grotto, Baths and Basilicas. There will also be a full religious programme including Mass at the Grotto, Anointing of the Sick, Torchlight Procession & Blessed Sacrament Procession. For any more information contact Fr Anthony O’Gorman at Anthony.ogorman@pcdtr.org.uk. To book, please contact Joe Walsh Tours on 0808 1890468, or email info@joewalshstours.co.uk.

Gift Aid

For those tax payers interested in registering as Gift Aiders, please contact the parish office.

Financial Support of the Parish

Parishioners who wish to contribute to the financial support of the parish can do so in the following ways:

- Placing a donation in a collection basket in the church
- Posting cheques or money to the presbytery
- By Standing Order or BACS Transfer (contact the parish office for details)

<p>Parish Office Hours Mon, Tue, Thurs, & Fri. 8.30 - 12.30 St. Mary’s Church House, Higher Church Street, Barnstaple. EX32 8JE Parish Secretary: Claire Spears Plymouth Diocesan Trust Registered Charity Number 213227</p>	<p>Parish Primary School Our Lady’s Catholic Primary School Chanter’s Hill, Barnstaple. EX32 8DN Tel: 01271 345164 Principal: Rob Meech Chair of Governors: Lydia Cawsey</p>
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Safeguarding Rep. (Barnstaple): Ruth O’Donovan (Tel: 01271 342493)

Please contact her if you have any safeguarding concerns.