



St. Anthony's RC Church

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Sunday Masses: Saturday 6.00pm. Sunday 9.30am.

HOLY DAYS Masses at 9.30 am & 7.00pm. **Weekday Masses** 9.30am. **Morning prayer:** Mon to Sat 9.15am.

Confessions: after the daily 9.30am Mass (Otherwise on request)

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Items for Newsletter by 12 noon each Wednesday to: ottery@prcdtr.org.uk

Cheques to be made payable to "PRCDTR Ottery St Mary RC Parish".

Direct payments: Sort Code 53-50-55. Ac. No. 05126126. NatWest Bank, Honiton.

Ottery St Mary RC Parish is part of Plymouth Diocese: Registered Charity 213227.

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Psalter 2

Year A

Face coverings in church

Masks coverings are now mandatory in places of worship; all those attending church must wear a face covering unless they are exempt from doing so. This is for the good of all who gather in the church for Mass.

Church accident repairs

Have been almost completed; the damaged stained-glass window was put in place recently. The next step forward will be to build the outside porch and accommodate the repaired section of the church to move there from the hall so that we can do our church building development without interfering sometime in the near future.

Sunday Mass

The obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains suspended – if you do not feel safe coming to Mass please stay at home and don't worry – there is absolutely no requirement for you to attend Mass at all. And remember, if you feel ill and have flu-like or coronavirus symptoms, please do not come to church. Likewise, if you have been in contact with anyone who may have symptoms of coronavirus please do not come to church.

We all can do that much

Let us keep in our prayers those who are sick and housebound in our parish and local community.

You will be asked

To give your contact details for *track and trace* purposes. The church toilet remains closed.

Confessions

If you would like to receive the Sacrament of Confession, please stay behind after Mass in your place until the church is vacated.

Things to pray for this week

*Pope Francis' Intention for September · We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered but shared in a just and respectful manner.

*World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation – 1st September:

- We renew our personal participation in our vocation as custodians of creation and thank God for the marvelous works that He has entrusted to our care.

-We ask His help for the protection of creation, and His mercy for the sins committed against the world in which we live.

Planned Giving Envelopes

The boxes with the weekly envelopes are available for those in the Scheme. If you would like to be included in it, please let Fr Frank know about it.

Mass attendance

The overall Mass attendance the week starting 10 to 16 August was 40 people.

The overall Mass attendance the week starting 17 to 23 August was 43 people.

Let's hope that the congregation will go up steadily.