



**Church of The Most Precious Blood  
DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH**

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**Fourth Week in Ordinary Time C1 Psalter 4**

<b>Saturday</b>	5:30pm	Vigil Mass	<i>Private Int.</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	10:30am	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
<b>Monday</b>	10:00am	Weekday Mass	
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:00pm	St Agatha	<i>Margaret Myles R.I.P.</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	10:00am	St Paul Miki & companions	<i>Olive Mahoney R.I.P.</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	9:00am	Weekday Mass	<i>Ken Johnson R.I.P.</i>
<b>Friday</b>	10:00am	Weekday Mass	<i>Betty May R.I.P.</i>

**Confessions** After weekday Mass or by appointment

**Let us keep in our prayers those who are sick and housebound in our parish** including Joyce Long, Jean Shoreland, Connie Loebell, Mary Wallace, Clifford Brown, Christopher Brown, Robert Walsh, Eileen Brown, Suzanne Hosker, Rebecca Warren-Heys, Sister Bernadette, Brian Slattery, Gilda Wachala, Ursula Layland, Anne Sanderson, Adam Smith and Kath Welch.

**Welcome to all our visitors,** we hope you have a lovely stay in Sidmouth. Please join us for tea and coffee in the hall after Mass on Sunday and visit the parish library and Traidcraft stall too while you're there.

A special welcome to baby **Ella Carlos** and her family and friends as we celebrate her baptism. Please continue to keep Ella, her parents Joanne and Michael and sister Mckenzie in your prayers.

There will be a **second collection next weekend** for the Diocesan Lourdes fund. Parish donations are invaluable for helping some of our sick pilgrims and in particular our youth to be able to go on pilgrimage each year.

Please pray for Anna, Christeen, Eleanor, India, Lettice and Louis this week as they prepare to receive the **sacrament of Reconciliation** for the first time on Saturday (9<sup>th</sup>).

Things to pray for this week

**Pope Francis' intention for February – Human Trafficking**

- For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.
- For those who have suffered as a result of human trafficking through being bought, sold, transported into slavery for sexual exploitation, domestic servitude and forced labour.
- For those who offer pastoral support to victims who have suffered psychological damage from their traumatic experiences.
- For all agencies working in collaboration to combat human trafficking.

**Day for Consecrated Life – 2<sup>nd</sup> February**

- For vocations to the Consecrated Life; may those whom God calls find a place of contemplation and nurture.
- For all committed to the Consecrated Life; may their prayers and their actions give life to the Church.

**Olive Mahoney R.I.P.** Many thanks for your prayers, kind words, cards and support during this special time. God bless you all. *Dianne, Geoff and Helen*

**Tea ‘n’ chat** 2pm this Monday (4<sup>th</sup>) in St Teresa’s Hall. Free tea and biscuits. Come and have a chat with friends and join in the activities on offer.

**Knit and Natter** this Tuesday (5<sup>th</sup>) 2-4pm, in the Presbytery Meeting Room. Everyone is welcome. We have tea and cake, too - no charge. If you don’t knit, bring something else to do, or just come for the natter! The following meeting will be on Tuesday 19th February. Any queries, please phone Jill McGauley on 512745.

**Car Parking Permits** ó a new year means a new parking permit! If you would like to renew / apply for a permit to use St Teresa’s Hall car park and the church car park outside of service times please:

- Put your name and car registration number on an envelope
- Enclose a cheque for £17.50 made payable to RC Church Sidmouth
- Post the envelope through the presbytery door

**NB** these permits allow use of the car parks outside of service times; you do **not** need a permit if you are attending a church service. Please also remember that these permits do not give anyone the automatic right to park, but the facility to park if a space is available, and that there is **no overnight parking** unless specifically agreed. *Thank you.*

Notes from the most recent **PPC meeting** are now available in the glass cabinet in the porch and on the website

Please help yourself to a ‘**Giving a future**’ leaflet and prayerfully consider your response to the appeal.

**First Aid Training** - Sid Valley Help is offering free Basic First Aid Training (accredited by Red Cryer) on 6th and February from 10am to 2pm. If interested please contact Peter McGauley (512745) or [peter.mcgale@btinternet.com](mailto:peter.mcgale@btinternet.com)

**Baby clothes** and other items - the demand for baby things seems to have slowed down, so at the moment we have sufficient supplies. Grateful thanks to all our generous parishioners who have contributed over the last couple of years and we will not hesitate to appeal again if the need increases. *Ann L and Ann F*

**World Day of Prayer** Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March ó two opportunities to join in: 2:30pm at St Francis church, Woolbrook followed by refreshments, and 7:30pm at All Saints church with refreshments from 6:45pm. All welcome.

<b>Monday</b>	Rosary before Mass ó starts at 9:35am Mothers Prayer Group 10:30am in the Presbytery
<b>Tuesday</b>	Fortnightly prayer group at Fr Paddy’s 7pm Knit and Natter on each first and third Tuesday of the month 2-4pm in the Presbytery
<b>Wednesday</b>	Prayer for Youth on the second Wednesday of the month 7pm in the church Evangelisation Prayer Group on the last Wednesday of the month 7pm in the church
<b>Thursday</b>	Marian Prayer Group in the church 6ó7pm
<b>Friday</b>	Choir Practice in the church from 4.45pm
<b>Saturday</b>	On the last Saturday of the month choir practice is usually at 10am in the church

<b>Next Weekend (9th/10th February)</b>	<b>5:30pm Vigil</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Readings</b>
<b>Reader 1</b>	Mary Turner	Geoffrey Burton	<i>Is 6:1-8</i>
<b>Reader 2</b>	Kathleen Dollery	Gwen Larter	<i>1Co 15:1-11</i>
<b>Ciborium</b>	Peter McGauley	Margaret Draper	
<b>Eucharistic Chalice</b>	Angie Walsh	Tanya Trevena	
	Stephanie Turner	Norma Hoare	
<b>Welcomers</b>	Anne Reece	Eileen Church	
	Mary Spittel	Philippa Crouch	
<b>Cleaners</b>	Marlene & Christine & Sheryl		
<b>Counters on 4th</b>	Catherine Gunnell & George Lavender		
<b>Flowers</b>	Cicely Cook		
<b>Hall Refreshments</b>	Brigid, Steve and Cathryn Griffiths		
<b>Last week’s collections</b>	Gift Aid £176.710	Cash £245.45	
<b>Newsletter</b>	Rebecca 513340		
<b>Hall Bookings</b>	Ann Faherty 579414 or email: <a href="mailto:sidmouth-pastoral@predtr.org.uk">sidmouth-pastoral@predtr.org.uk</a>		
<b>Parish Safeguarding Reps</b>	Una Cunningham 577391, Cathy Gunnell 519302 Ann Murphy 07779986217		