



**Church of The Most Precious Blood  
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**Second Week of Lent C Psalter 2**

<b>Saturday</b>	5:30pm	Vigil Mass
<b>Sunday</b>	10:30am	Second Sunday of Lent
<b>Monday</b>	10:00am	Monday of the Second Week of Lent
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	St Joseph
<b>Wednesday</b>	10:00am	Wednesday of the Second Week of Lent
<b>Thursday</b>	9:00am	Thursday of the Second Week of Lent
<b>Friday</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Mass for the Sick and Housebound</b>

*Mickey Radece R.I.P.*

*Geoffrey Tigar R.I.P.*

*Sick of the Parish*

*Holy Souls*

**Confessions** After weekday Mass or by appointment

**Let us keep in our prayers those who are sick and housebound in our parish** including Brenda Jupp, Chris Jupp, Connie Loebell, Mary Wallace, Clifford Brown, Christopher Brown, Eileen Brown, Suzanne Hosker, Rebecca Warren-Heys, Sister Bernadette, Margaret Albrow, 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.

**CAFOD Fast Day** – please give generously to the second collection this weekend for CAFOD. Their Lent fast is an opportunity to support our brothers and sisters around the world. CAFOD's global Church network is one of the largest aid networks in the world, and this means that your support can reach to the ends of the earth!

Please note that Mass on Tuesday is at 10am this week to celebrate the solemnity of **St Joseph**.

**Prayer for youth** at 7pm this Wednesday (20<sup>th</sup>) - please join us to spend half an hour praying for young people in our parish, our country and the world.

**John Osborne** ó our condolences to Jean and all the family on John's death. His funeral will be on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

There is still one **filing cabinet** looking for a home ó please speak to the parish office if you are interested.

**Hall bookings** – please remember to use the email address [sidmouth-pastoral@pcdtr.org.uk](mailto:sidmouth-pastoral@pcdtr.org.uk) (not Ann's personal email) as this will ensure you receive a response sooner in cases of holiday, illness etc.

**Job Vacancy** ó Plymouth Diocese is looking for a Diocesan Schools' Commissioner. If you think this could be you, please have a look at the job description in the porch. Closing date is 1<sup>st</sup> April, interviews are 25<sup>th</sup> April.

**APF mission Red Boxes** are due to be counted. Please would you kindly leave them in the Sacristy not the church porch for security reasons. The last day for the boxes will be Sunday 28th April. *Thank you, Marian*

**Welcomers** please collect your new rota from the letter rack in the porch or by email. *Thank you*

Things to pray for this week

**Penitents and Wanderers**

- For the courage to face up to sin, and to turn to Christ.
- For all who are searching; may they find their home in the Church.

## Look out for Lent!

- **Music in Lent** is simple and minimal, with instrumental accompaniment also kept to a minimum. During weekend Masses we will use one of two Taize chants to begin Mass, and there will not be an offertory hymn. Also, as there will not be a recessional hymn, we would ask you to please remain quietly in your seats until Fr Paul and the servers have left the altar and processed out through the church.
- During Lent, the **response to the Prayers of the Faithful** will be to sing:  
*O Lord hear my prayer, O Lord hear my prayer,  
When I call, answer me.  
O Lord hear my prayer, O Lord hear my prayer,  
Come and listen to me.*

**Let's 'do lunch' for CAFOD!** Friday 22nd March 2019 in St Teresa's Hall, between 12 noon and 1pm. Serving homemade soup, fresh bread and dessert. Donations to CAFOD welcome.

**Divine Mercy Chaplet** 3pm on Fridays. All are welcome to join us. Speak to Michael Carney for more info.

**Planned Giving Envelopes:** Any parishioner wishing to join the system should pick up a form from the table, complete it and return to the parish office. *Many thanks*

**Lenten Retreat** at St Rita's Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 10am-4:30pm, led by Fr Jonathan Stewart. Cost is £25, which includes lunch. See poster in the porch for more details, and make your booking by 18<sup>th</sup> March please.

**Catechist formation** continues with Children's Liturgy of the Word for all those who help with Children's Liturgy, on Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> at St. Peter's, Crownhill, Plymouth ó 9.30am Mass, 10am refreshments, 10.30am start and 1pm finish.

**Saying goodbye** ó a service organised by the Mariposa Trust to support people who have lost babies at any stages of pregnancy, at birth or in infancy. Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March in Exeter Cathedral. [www.sayinggoodbye.org](http://www.sayinggoodbye.org)

<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

<u>Next Weekend (23rd/24th March)</u>	<b>5:30pm Vigil</b>	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Readings</b>
<b>Reader 1</b>	Margaret Draper	Harold	<i>Ex 20:1-17</i>
<b>Reader 2</b>	Jill McGauley	Siona	<i>1Co 1:22-25</i>
<b>Ciborium</b>	Mary Turner	Gwen Larter	
<b>Eucharistic Chalice</b>	Catherine Defoe	Tanya Trevena	
	Peter McGauley	Rose MacQueen	
<b>Welcomers</b>	Anne Reece	Eileen Church	
	Mary Spittel	Philippa Crouch	
<b>Cleaners</b>	Bridget Bennett & Tunde Bearwolf		
<b>Counters on 18th</b>	Gwen & John Larter		
<b>Flowers</b>	No flowers in Lent		
<b>Hall Refreshments</b>	Nick Richardson and Lucia Cooper		
<b>Last week's collections</b>	Gift Aid £192.00	Cash £250.31	
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