

OUR LADY'S MARNHULL AND ST BENEDICT'S GILLINGHAM

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SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER. 14TH MAY, 2023

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Day	Place	Time	Celebrating	Intention
Sunday	Marnhull	9.30 a.m.	Sixth Sunday of Easter	<i>Elizabeth McCorry</i>
	Gillingham	11.00 a.m.		
	Marnhull	6 p.m.		
Monday	Marnhull	9.30 a.m. <i>followed by rosary</i>	Eastertide	
Tuesday		No Mass		
Wednesday	Gillingham	10 a.m. <i>followed by rosary</i>	Eastertide	
Thursday	Marnhull	10.00 a.m.	The Ascension of the Lord <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>	
	Gillingham	6 p.m.		
Friday	Gillingham	<i>Adoration & opportunity for confession. 5.00 – 5.45 p.m.</i> Mass 6 p.m.	Eastertide	
Saturday	Marnhull	10 a.m. Mass <i>followed by confessions</i>	Eastertide	

Please pray for those who are ill: Ellen and David Paris, Brendan Colohan, Coral Harrow, Betty Walford, Joyce West, Sarah Mackay, Barbara Frost, Tony Timoney-White, Bob Horton, Hilary & Clive Drake, Eileen Chimes, Jeremy Cusden

Sunday Readers: Our Lady's 9.30am: Mary; St Benedict's: Annette; Our Lady's 6pm: Richard

Please ring Fr Joseph on 01258 820388 to arrange Confession outside of the times listed above.

We are looking for some more volunteers to clean Our Lady's & St Benedict's – please email marnhull@prcdtr.org.uk if you're able to help.

Please can you make sure that any items for the weekly newsletter get sent to marnhull@prcdtr.org.uk by Thursday morning.

Friday 19th May at 11am
At St Mary's Catholic Primary School Main Gate

The annual May Procession will take place at 11 a.m. this coming Thursday, 19th May in the grounds of our parish school in Marnhull. Please do come along and take part if you possibly can. It's a lovely way to honour our Blessed Mother Mary in this, her month, and to support the children and staff of our school in their faith. Please come and add your voice to theirs as we sing the praises of Our Lady.

Tuesday 23rd May at 7.30pm in Marnhull Parish Room

To celebrate Laudato Si Week this year which runs from May 21-28th May, there will be a showing of **the film The Letter**. Everyone is very welcome.

Average Weekly Collections for April 2023

Collections in Church		Other	Standing Orders
Cash includes Easter Offerings	Gift Aided Includes Easter Offerings		Gift Aided
£289.36	£156.25	£98.75	£458.13

Welcome newcomers and visitors. You can find out more about our parish on our website – address at top of this page.

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RISE TO OUR CAUSE
on Ascension Thursday, 18 May 2023
at Buckfast Abbey

- Holy Mass at midday
- 2 course lunch
- Guest speaker—
Rear Admiral Chris Snow CBE,
Deputy Lord Lieutenant of Devon
- Raffle

Please join the Catholic Children's Society
(Plymouth) to help vulnerable children and
families

TICKETS £30

01364 645420—ccs@prcdtr.org.uk
or through your parish



Charity No. 282803 CCSP, St Boniface House, Ashburton, DEVON TQ13 7JL

Invitation to the Memorial Mass for the Right Reverend Christopher Budd

The Canons of the Chapter of the Cathedral of St. Mary and St. Boniface, Plymouth invite you to the Memorial Mass for Bishop Christopher Budd. This Mass will be an opportunity for us as a Diocese to celebrate his life and his considerable contribution to the Plymouth Diocese during his time as Bishop of our Diocese from 1986 until 2014, as well as a chance to offer up prayers for the repose of his soul. **This Memorial Mass will take place at 12 noon on Tuesday 23rd May at Plymouth Cathedral and will be followed by a barbecue in the grounds of the Cathedral.** Please let Fr Joseph or Deacon James and Deacon Mike know if you wish to attend.

Heatree Residential 26-28th May 2023.

Year 6 to Year 10.

Aged between 10 and 16 and enjoy outdoor pursuits? Why not join us at Heatree Activity Centre on Dartmoor. The group will have the chance to join in activities such as high ropes and raft building, along with exploring the Pentecost scripture. The weekend is a great opportunity to for young people to meet other young Catholics across the diocese. Contact Saskia, youth@prcdtr.org.uk for further information or book: <https://forms.office.com/e/Bhd7xDUksE>

Please click on the link for the May edition of the **Caritas Diocese of Plymouth newsletter** which highlights Refugee Week and Laudato Si Week
<https://tinyurl.com/mu5semx2>

SWEEPSTAKE DRAW WINNERS FOR MAY

1st Prize: Kate Seck
2nd Prize: Rupert Evill
3rd Prize: Bob Horton

Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Camps 2023

A wonderful opportunity for young people from across the diocese to come together for one week during the Summer holidays, to meet new friends, renew friendships and to share and grow in the Catholic faith in a safe and fun-filled environment.

The Junior Camp (school years 3-6) and the Senior Camp (school years 7-10) again take place at Buckfast Abbey, enjoying the space and prayerfulness of the Abbey and its site. St. Petroc's Camp, for people in school years 11-12, will take place in the lovely surroundings of St. Rita's Centre in Honiton.

The all-in cost for a week in any of the camps is £230. Adults are invited to get in touch to discuss how they might help with the running of the camps. Those adults who take part in the camps will complete an application form and complete a DBS check through their parish. Junior Camp: 30th July – 4th August; Senior Camp: 6th – 11th August; St. Petroc's Camp: 14th – 18th August. To apply, see the fliers in the churches or use the hyperlink: <https://forms.office.com/e/pJQuB8Rhk5> more information from: summercamps@prcdtr.org.uk **Deadline for completing the forms is 17th June**

Retreat for Women **Saturday 27th May** Wellington Catholic Centre, Devon

Fr Tom Dubois has suggested a retreat for Catholic women at the Catholic Centre, Wellington. This synodal gathering entitled "Living the Gifts" will be led by experienced retreat leader Xanthe Dell from Salisbury and Jacintha has been invited to lead the session on Mary. The day is free, but please bring a packed lunch. Jacintha has three places in her car if any female parishioner would like to attend. Mass, confessions and adoration will form part of the day. Please email Jacinthabowe@gmail.com if you are interested.

Jacintha will give a talk on Art and Christianity at Todber Church on Friday 26th May at 11 o'clock. This talk has been carried over from February.

Plymouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 2023

28th July; 6 nights; £895 per person sharing at the Hotel Eliseo Direct return flights Bristol to Toulouse inc. 15kg checked luggage.

Full board; Joe Walsh Tours rep. support throughout. Full religious programme

Youth Pilgrimage, as above, but £500 per person sharing ATOL Protected

Full details:

<https://joewalstours.co.uk/tours/plymouth-diocesan-pilgrimage-lourdes-2023/>

For more information, please contact Fr. Anthony O'Gorman. Tel. 01305 786033 anthony.ogorman@prcdtr.org.uk

To book, please contact Joe Walsh Tours Tel. 0808 1890468 (Freephone) Email: info@joewalstours.co.uk