

Parish of St. Boniface, Okehampton  
& Holy Family, Chagford

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18<sup>th</sup> February 2018  
First Week of Lent  
Year B

**Times of Masses & Services**

Sat	17 <sup>th</sup> February	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	18 <sup>th</sup> February	9.00 am	Chagford	<b>Roddy Macleod RIP</b>
		11.00 am	Okehampton	<b>People of the Parish</b>
Tue	20 <sup>th</sup> February	7.00 pm	Okehampton	
Wed	21 <sup>st</sup> February	10.00 am	Okehampton	
Thurs	22 <sup>nd</sup> February	10.30 am	Chagford	THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER – APOSTLE. Stations of the Cross.
Fri	23 <sup>rd</sup> February	10.00 am	Okehampton	Mass followed by Stations of the Cross
Sat	24 <sup>th</sup> February	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	25 <sup>th</sup> February	9.00 am	Chagford	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
		11.00 am	Okehampton	

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** Saturday 5.15 p.m. to 5.45 p.m. or by arrangement.

**Stations of the Cross:** There will be stations of the Cross prayed after Mass on Fridays in Okehampton and Thursdays in Chagford.

**CAFOD:** There is a second collection on the weekend of 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> February. Envelopes by the entrances.

**West Devon Safe Haven:** Many thanks to Fr Darline and the parishioners of St Boniface for the warm welcome you gave me and for the generous donation to West Devon Safe Haven. I will keep you informed of progress and events. If anyone wishes to volunteer in any capacity, please let me know.

**CWL February meeting:** on Wednesday 28th 10.30 am in the hall and this month we are exploring teaching in Catholic and non-Catholic schools. Visitors welcome.

**Retreats in the Diocese of Plymouth 2018:** There are retreats conducted throughout the year organised by the members of the Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Team. More details from the noticeboards in both the churches.

**Our Lent Day of Recollection:** This will take place at St. Rita's Centre on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2018. The day will be led by Fr. Gerald Wilson and his theme is "Let us pray". More details on the notice board.

**Blessing and inauguration of the carpark and grotto:** There will be a grand blessing and opening of the carpark and grotto by our Bishop Mark O'Toole, Mel Stride, our MP, Jan Goffey, the Mayor of Okehampton and other local dignitaries starting with a Mass on Sunday 11am 29th April 2018 at St. Boniface Okehampton. All welcome to the celebration afterwards in the church hall.

**Catechetical Summer Camps:** Applications are now being taken for places at the Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Summer Camps, to be held at Grangehurst, Buckfast Abbey. Camp details and application forms can be obtained from your parish priest or on-line from the camp website: [www.pdsummercamps.org.uk](http://www.pdsummercamps.org.uk)  
Prompt applications are advisable.

**The Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes** is from 2nd to 8th August and Bishop Mark will be accompanying that pilgrimage for those days, as usual. For application forms for adult and youth pilgrims, please speak to Father Darline.

**Plymouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** 18-25 February 2019. Presentation and Facts evening at 7pm: Monday, 2 October – St Richard Reynold's Centre, 29 Fore St, Heavitree, Exeter EX1 2QJ. Further details: Pilgrimage People, Stapleford Granary, Bury Road, Stapleford, Cambridge CB22 5BP. Email: [info@pilgrimagepeople.org](mailto:info@pilgrimagepeople.org) Telephone 0800 612 3423. Website <http://www.pilgrimagepeople.org>

**Vacancy:** The Catholic Diocese of Plymouth covers the counties of Dorset, Devon and Cornwall and is looking to appoint a Caritas Development Officer (CDO) whose role will be to help establish a Caritas Plymouth over the next two years. More details can be found on the notice board.

**The Pope's Intention for February: Say 'No' to Corruption:** That those who have material, political or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.

**Prayers:** Please pray for: Austin Saeki, Bob Bell, Ruth Graf, Sylwia Gaik, John, Sean, Joan Stutt, Genie Vernon, Molly Rogers, Jean Wood, Janet Vickers, Margaret Snell, Maureen Frances, Mayda Reynolds, Tilly Rhodes, Elizabeth Gregory, Ian & Farquhar family, Madeline Lawson, David Gennings, Maureen Hartwell, Jean Nyburg, Dee Thomas, Alex Joyce, Jean Waddington, Jean Arnold Jones, Kevin Power, Rosemary Hopkins, Isabelle Chenery, Reta DeLarge, Justin Aldred, Pat Bennett, Jamie Shott and Alan Pook.

**Collections Last Weekend:** Okehampton: £ 249.29

Chagford: £104.00