

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

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Third Week of Lent  
Year B

**Times of Masses & Services**

Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup>	March	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	4 <sup>th</sup>	March	9.00 am	Chagford	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
			11.00 am	Okehampton	<b>People of the Parish</b>
Tue	6 <sup>th</sup>	March	7.00 pm	Okehampton	
Wed	7 <sup>th</sup>	March	10.00 am	Okehampton	
Thurs	8 <sup>th</sup>	March	10.30 am	Chagford	Mass followed by Stations of the Cross.
Fri	9 <sup>th</sup>	March	10.00 am	Okehampton	Mass followed by Stations of the Cross
Sat	10 <sup>th</sup>	March	6.00 pm	Okehampton	First Mass of Sunday
Sun	11 <sup>th</sup>	March	9.00 am	Chagford	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT – LAETARE SUNDAY
			11.00 am	Okehampton	

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

**Fr. Darline's Stations of the Cross 'Follow Me'** is available at the Porch of both the churches. It is poetical in style, smaller in size and takes only 20 minutes to pray. You are most welcome to buy. Each book costs £5. 50% of your payment goes to Nazeing Park Charitable Trust set up by a Parishioner for the purpose of supporting kids with life limiting illness and (or) any deserving good cause. The other 50% goes to the Parish restricted funds to support deserving children of our Parish going on various faith camps.

**Questions and Answers Session** is on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 7 pm in the Parish Hall at St. Boniface, Okehampton. It is mostly on our Faith in the light of what is happening around us. Please put your questions in the box at the porch.

**Mass via SKYPE:** Those who are housebound and can not make for the Mass for unavoidable reasons are invited to avail this opportunity. My Skype ID is darlinemsfs. Please add me in on to your skype account and send me an email. So that I can add you in and connect you with the group dial for the Mass. Please do not send me message on skype directly before sending me the email. Sorry, I will not be able to add you in without confirming the identity of the person. This arrangement is to avoid any unnecessary misuse and abuse of the opportunity.

**Good at Publisher and Video editing:** If there is anyone who is good at any or both of these, please speak to me.

**Ministers of the Eucharist and the Word:** Those who are interested to participate in this ministry are invited to put the names and contact details (preferably email) on the list in the porch.

**Cleaning and Flower Rota:** There is another list in the porch for those who are interested in helping the church with the cleaning and flowers. Please put your names and the contact details.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** in view of preparing for Easter will be on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March at 6.30pm at St. Boniface Okehampton. There will be three priests available to hear confessions.

**Chrism Mass at Plymouth Cathedral** is on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March at 12 noon.

**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. A buffet reception, after the grand opening, is being planned at "The Pavilion in the Park" all are welcome. Please sign up on the notice in the porch if you would like to come. Cost approx. £5 per head.

**Missio:** Spring edition of Mission Today in porch for Red Box holders.

**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.pdsommercamps.org.uk](http://www.pdsommercamps.org.uk)  
Prompt applications are advisable.

**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>

**The Pope's Intention for March: Formation in Spiritual Discernment:** That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the physical and communitarian levels.

**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: £232.56

Chagford: £93.00

CAFOD: £244.20