

PLYMOUTH EAST ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES

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CORPUS CHRISTI - YEAR A – 7th June 2026

Efford	Saturday 6 th June	5:00pm	Joseph Norman (RIP) and Eileen Butterly (RIP)
Plympton Ivybridge	Sunday 7 th June Corpus Christi	9:00am 11:00am	Sister Agatha's Intention Maureen Bowen-Davies' Intention
Plympton	Tuesday 9 th June	NO MASS	
Ivybridge	Thursday 11 th June	10:00am	Private Intention
Plympton	Friday 12 th June Sacred Heart of Jesus	10:00am	Maureen's Intention
Efford	Saturday 13 th June	5:00pm	Mary Jo Shanahan – Foundation Mass
Plympton Ivybridge	Sunday 14 th June	9:00am 11:00am	Sister Cyprian's Intention ----

The Pope's Prayer Intention for June – For the values of sports - Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

ADORATION for 30 minutes before weekday Mass. Join us for this opportunity to have quiet time with the Lord.

CONFESSIONS are available after weekday Mass or by request

FAITH CHAT Every Thursday after 10am Mass at Ivybridge

For the sick Please pray for the sick & housebound in our parishes and for those who are particularly poorly at this time. Please especially pray for Colin Watson, Stephen Keedwell, Brian Nolan, Nicki McDougal, and Mary Ripo who are unwell.

For those who have died Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently, especially John Modley, Paul Tucker, Marie Glanfield, Mary Abbott, Helen Furlong, Robert Tucker, Gwyn Derrick, and Paddy Barrett, and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Bernard Finton Bradley, Virginie French, Martin Wilgress Hudson, Girlie Ley, Sally Grace O'Connell, Christine Smith, Michael Charlick, Susie Constantine, Jess Wheeler, Colin Cliff, Kenneth Douglas, Stuart Richard Bevan, Carole Cliffe, and Maisie Pullyblank.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage The Our Lady of Lourdes Pilgrimage to Medjugorje is in the early stages on organisation. We will be flying from Bristol to Split Thursday 1st to Thursday 8th of October. £785pp sharing £150 single supplement. Half-board, fully guided Pilgrimage with Marian Pilgrimages. Please contact plymouth-plympton@prcdtr.org.uk if you are interested in joining us.

Westminster assisted suicide Bill has fallen The assisted suicide Bill has failed to pass all stages in the House of Lords. This means that Kim Leadbeater's assisted suicide Bill has fallen and will not become law! This is a major milestone, but the battle is not over. Assisted suicide campaigners have said they are going to try to bring the Bill back in the next parliamentary session and use the Parliament Acts to bypass the Lords. **To find out more about this significant milestone and what comes next, visit: <https://righttolife.org.uk/LeadbeaterBillFalls>**

PLYMPTON

Summer Fair – Save the Date This year's summer fair will be on Sunday 19th July. More details to follow.

Plympton CWL The CWL will meet in the Annex at 11 am on Friday 5th June - All ladies are welcome. Their produce stall will be after Mass on Sunday 7th.

Donation Baskets Thank you for your donations towards Shekinah in May. In June we will be collecting toiletries and baby items for families of Holy Cross school. Details of what is needed are posted next to the baskets.

IVYBRIDGE

Garden Work We have several parishioners who volunteer for ground maintenance but as you will appreciate we have a lot of land to cover. If you can help please contact Peter or Hazel.

CWL Produce Stall The produce stall will be this Sunday after Mass.

Can You Help? Hazel is running out of jars (and lids) for the marmalade which raises funds for the priory. If you have any regular sized jars, please would you drop them into the priory instead of the recycling! Many thanks!

Birthday BBQ Sunday 14th June Tony and Tem would like to invite all parishioners to a BBQ to celebrate their son's baptism and 1st birthday after mass on Sunday 14th June. Food will be provided. Please add your name along with any dietary requirements or food allergies to the list at the back of the church on or before Sunday 7th June. Many thanks

EFFORD

John Modley (RIP) We regret to announce the death of John Modley. We pray for the repose of his soul and God's consolation to his family.

NEWS FROM ACROSS THE DIOCESE

School Transport grants for the academic year 2026-27 The Diocese of Plymouth is now taking applications from parents/guardians wishing to apply for grants for transport to a Catholic or Catholic/CofE joint school situated in the Diocese of Plymouth. Applications for the academic year 2026-27 must be submitted in writing and be signed by the Parish Priest. Families will be notified at the start of the Autumn term if their application has been successful. There are limited funds and not all applications may be successful. You can obtain an application form from the parish office.

Volunteering for youth ministry, in the Diocese of Plymouth Do you or have you thought about **volunteering** to work with the youth either in your parish or further afield? Youth Events are setting up a database of volunteers to keep in contact with them, offer training and support for the work they do, and keep them informed of events that are happening across the Diocese. Their form is simply an expression of interest – people on the database will be contacted and asked if they would like to support an event. For further information please contact Ruby or Saskia: youth@prcdtr.org.uk

Celebrate Festival Worth School, West Sussex – 15th – 19th August 2026. Join us for a faith-changing weekend full of faith, fun and connection your family will remember forever. Spaces are limited, and they're filling quickly. For more information visit www.celebratefestival.org.

National Eucharistic Congress Our third National Eucharistic Congress will take place in **London** on Sat 10th Oct. Mass at St George's cathedral and procession across the Thames to Westminster Cathedral, followed by a vigil of adoration until 6am. **If you would like to be one of our 50 diocesan delegates, please contact Fr Chris at Poole : (01202) 746539**

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Priest- in- charge: **Fr Victor Agbaka**

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