

**THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE SACRED HEART, BIDEFORD,
AND THE HOLY FAMILY, GAS LANE, TORRINGTON**

worshipping, learning, and serving together...

SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST 2019 –EIGHTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

WELCOME! Please join us for tea and coffee after Mass. Mass times this week are as follows:

Saturday	5.30pm VIGIL MASS – Alan Jones RIP	Bideford
CONFESSIONS:	Before 5.30pm Mass or by appointment	
Sunday	9.15am Mass	Torrington
	11.00am Mass – Josi & Joe McNamara(46 th Wedding Anniv)	Bideford
Tuesday	10.00am Mass – Anthony Alford RIP Followed by Bible Study	Bideford
Wednesday	10.00 Mass – Winifred Jones RIP	Torrington
Thursday	10.00am Mass – Perks Family (int)	Bideford
Friday	10.00am Mass – Billy & Sarah (int)	Bideford

Please pray for... Ray Board, Margaret Perks, Tony Perks, Joan Cook, Margaret Wells, Kevin Bradley, Reg. Withecombe, Ray & Barbara Bunce, Ayesha Campbell, Paul Pullen, Caireen Escott, Gerard Lashford, Pamela Blacklaws and Trudie Brown.

Sea Sunday: The second collection last weekend for the Apostleship of the Sea and their invaluable work for seafarers has raised £450 so far.

Bideford Food Bank: once again there is an urgent need for more food donations during the school holidays. Items required are milk (dried or UHT), cartons of fruit juice, tins of soup, meat, fish, vegetables, tomatoes and fruit, instant mashed potato, sponge puddings, biscuits, cereals, small tea and instant coffee, toiletries & toilet rolls. No fresh produce, thank you. A box is at the back of the Church and will be collected weekly and taken to the Food Bank. This is the Catholic Church's donation!

Parish Ladies Group Meeting: 12noon on Tuesday 6th August in the parish room.

Red Boxes: Please bring in your boxes for emptying on the weekends of 10/11th or 17/18th August.

BBQ: Sunday 11th August from 12.30pm to 2.00pm at Blights Garage. Cost £5 - Adults (inclusive) and £3 - children (inclusive). Raffle prizes would be most welcome

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation: Sunday 1st September

World Day of the Poor: Sunday 17th November. Caritas Plymouth will be holding their third event looking at the causes of poverty and its impact on **Saturday 18th October at St. Rita's Centre, Honiton**. This free event includes a buffet lunch. Limited space – booking essential. Please contact: caritas@prcdtr.org.uk

Collection: The collection amounted to £450.00. Many thanks for your generosity.

Email items for bulletin to: bideford@prcdtr.org.uk by Wednesday, 4pm.

Priest: Rev. Fr. Edward Antony (Tel. 01237 472519)

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Parish website: www.bidefordcatholicchurches.org.uk

Cheques payable to: PRCDTR Bideford RC Parish