

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

worshipping, learning, and serving together...

SUNDAY 18TH AUGUST 2019 – TWENTIETH 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 – The Gilmore Family (int)	Bideford
CONFESSIONS:	Before 5.30pm Mass or by appointment	
Sunday	9.15am Mass	Torrington
	11.00am Mass	Bideford
Tuesday	10.00am Mass	Bideford
	Followed by Bible Study	
Wednesday	NO MASS (KSC Trip)	
Thursday	10.00am Mass	Bideford
Friday	10.00am Mass	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 and Trudie Brown.

Torbay, Dartmouth, Paignton Trip: For those going on the trip on the 21st August, coaches leave Barnstaple Park and Ride at 7.25am, Bideford Kingsley Statue Coach Stop at 7.55am and **only for those** who have **pre-booked** a pick up at Torrington Holy Family from Marian Wray or Rowland Conibere at 8.20am. Don't be late the coaches won't wait! We have Bideford/Torrington parishioners being picked up at all 3 places.

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!

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

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation: Sunday 1st September. See notice in porch.

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 £475.13. Many thanks for your generosity.

Second Collection: Next weekend at all Masses for the Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)

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