

Meet Deacon Geoffrey Carey



“I am Deacon Geoffrey Carey, one of two deacons who assist Father Stephen in the parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea, which covers Weymouth and Portland. Deacons are ordained by a bishop, like a Priest, not to offer Mass but to teach and to care for the Parish community, which includes our school. I care for our school - staff, children and their families. I lead prayer and worship in the chapel, help with RE in the classrooms , 'hang out' on the playground and in the staff room. I have been at St Augustine's school for ten years and my daughter was a pupil here for forty years ago.”

Here is what the children say about Deacon Geoffrey...

“He provides knowledge, whilst staying positive and happy.”

“Deacon Geoffrey is very kind and understanding. He listens to our questions and gives us the best answer.”

“Deacon Geoffrey is always helping us and he does not mind what we ask him.”

“He is cool as he comes on the playground and talks to us.”

“Deacon Geoffrey helps me to pray and understand the Bible.”