



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

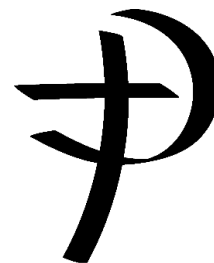
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Week Commencing Sunday 10th November 2024 — 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

(Readings: 1K 17:10-16 Ps 145 Heb 9:24-28 Mk 12:38-44)

Remembrance Sunday

Service times at Holy Cross

Sunday 10 th	32 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time – <i>Remembrance Sunday</i> 9am	Mass Int: All Victims of War
Sunday 17 th	33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – <i>World Day of the Poor</i> 9am	Mass Int: Trevor Taylor RIP
Sunday 24 th	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 12.30pm	Mass Int: Nicholas Ellis RIP

Sacrament of Reconciliation: – After Mass or by appointment.

A very warm welcome to all our visitors!

Please pray for:

all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Colin Lovelock, Aileen Grimby, Tomas Nichols, Jacob Bevan-Cousins, Lady Rhoda Austin and Roy Rodbard.

the sick and/or housebound, including:

Margaret Davies, Ian Kilpatrick, Canon Denis Collin, Anne Stanton, Seth Marks, Margaret Drayton, Mary Boon, Paul Gray, Joy Jewell, Robert Edwards, Lynn Nettleton, Leslie Longhurst, Eileen Hoy, Monica Finn and Alexandra Vanduivanbode

The following statement was issued by Bishop-elect Philip Moger on Wednesday 6th November

“In the very last few days, concerns have been raised of a personal nature to which I must attend immediately. This will take a little time. I have therefore agreed with all directly concerned to delay my installation as the new Bishop of Plymouth until these processes have been completed.

I sincerely regret this delay and offer my apologies to all who are disappointed and inconvenienced. However, it is important that everything is properly in place and due process observed.” **Please continue to pray for our Bishop Elect, Philip.**

Book of Remembrance:

If you would like the names of your deceased loved ones to appear in this book please fill in a form at the back of the church. The book will be placed before the altar for Masses during November. There is obviously no need to resubmit names that have been previously submitted as they remain entered in the book.

RED WEDNESDAY is this coming Wednesday 13th. **We are having a Preview Sale in the hall this morning after Mass.** Please DO come and support us. Plants, Jigsaws, books and some preloved items, as well as an EVERY TICKET WINS Tombola. The money raised is towards the Martha Group's 3 Charities: *Mary's Meals, Catalyst and Holy Cross.*

There will be **Children's Liturgy** during Mass today. *Please remember children under 4 must be accompanied by an adult who is responsible for them.*

N.B. The children will now be called up to receive their lectionary after the Collect, just before the first Reading.

Refreshments will be served in the hall after Mass. If you could take a turn, please sign the rota in the hall.

Alternative Mass times: St Peter's, Crownhill

Masses: Saturday 6pm & Sunday at 10.30am

+ **RED WEDNESDAY** - a soup lunch and mini sale at **Briar Tor on 13th November 11am-2pm** in aid of Martha Group Funds. Christmas Cards/ Gifts, Raffle, Books Plants, etc.

Kim Leadbeater MP is introducing a bill to introduce assisted suicide, which will be voted on by MPs on the 29 November. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade, and we need a huge effort to lobby MPs. **If you have not already done so, please contact your MP by visiting www.livesworthliving.org.uk, put in your postcode and an automatic e-mail is generated for you to complete.**

Parish Secretary – Ann Ruth Telephone Number: 01822 613802 e-mail: yelverton@prcdtr.org.uk

Office Hours: Wednesday and Friday 9am – 4pm

Holy Cross is part of Plymouth Diocesan Trust (Registered Charity No 213227)

Extraordinary Ministers of The Eucharist

Julia Beacroft from the Evangelisation & Catechesis Team in the Diocese of Plymouth will be offering a training day for all Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and also those interested in becoming one.

This will take place on **Saturday 16th November at 10.15am at St. Peter's, Crownhill Parish.**

The day will consist of a short break after the first module and a lunch break after the second. Please come and join us whether you are a new or experienced Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. Great training or a refresher.

Society for the Protection of Unborn Children –SPUC–
Advent Sale/Coffee morning: Saturday 23rd November, 10.30am – 12.15pm. **Plymouth Cathedral Centre Wyndham Street West PL1 5HW.** Do come and join us. It won't be the same without YOU! Meet up with old friends, or make new ones, over a cup of tea and a mince pie
There will be: A Prize Raffle with many prizes, Assorted Homemade Baking: Christmas, Dundee + Log Cakes, Jams, Spicy Christmas chutney, Marmalade, Savouries, as well as piety, jewellery and Bric-a-brac stalls. SPUC religious Christmas Cards will also be available. (We would be grateful for donated homemade savouries) £1 Entry includes tea, coffee & mince pie. (Further information: Christine Hudson: 07742320717)

Monday 25th November – 'Lament and Light' ecumenical service for the 16 days of activism against gender-based violence. An ecumenical service will be held on **Monday 25th November at 3pm**, at **St Mary's Church in Plympton (Market Road, Plympton, Plymouth, PL7 1QW).** The service is being held to mark the 16 days of activism against gender-based violence (25th November – 10th December), which is a campaign for the prevention and elimination of violence against women and girls. Fr Mark Skelton and Rev Lizzi Green will lead the service. Refreshments will be available afterwards.

ADVENT RETREAT DAY on SATURDAY 7th DECEMBER at St Rita's Centre. "JESUS IS COMING: WHY?" led by Fr. Jonathan Bielawski. The day will begin with coffee/tea on arrival at 9.30am. The talk will start at 10.00am. Post-talk questions – reflections will be at 11.05am. Adoration in silence (with an opportunity for Confession) will be at 12.00pm. Lunch will be served at 1pm. Holy Mass at 2.45pm. Depart at 3.30pm. The charge for the day, including lunch, is just £25.00. Please see poster at the back of the church. Booking can be made by phone, email, or online ([ADVENT RETREAT DAY - "JESUS IS COMING: WHY?"](#)). Payment can be made on the day.

Tavistock Foodbank. For your information the following goods are urgently required at the food bank: Long Life Milk, Fruit juice, Tea, Biscuits, Sponge puddings, Pot Noodles, Noodles, Cup-a-Soup, Chocolate. Thank you

The Caritas Photography Project aims to create a set of images of our Diocese which reflect our love for our neighbour and our care for creation. This week: Humanity –Where do you see God's love in action around you? Caritas would like to see your photographs that depict your interpretation of Humanity. We know that many of our parishes are doing great things in and for their communities and we want to gather photos to illustrate this. Do you have an SVP group or similar that does home visits or offers help around the home? Are you working towards gathering Christmas donations for a little extra help for those who need it? You may have held a wave of light event to remember lost babies or are planning something similar for Novembers focus on our Holy Souls. Are you opening a warm space or planning some other act of solidarity and pledge of action? We would love to see your photos to share the wonderful ways in which God's love is being put into action in your area. Please share your photos by following this link: [Jubilee Care for Creation Photography Project \(office.com\)](#) or email caritas@prcdtr.org.uk

Parish Notices:

Church Heating – The Church heating has been set to come on daily between 8am and 9am, with the ability to override and extend the heating when we have our services. The people responsible for opening the church know this. Please do not touch the control in the Church. If there are any problems with the heating please contact Ann Ruth, Parish Secretary on 0779 258 5632. Thank you.

In the Hall Kitchen there are a couple of **cake boxes** that were brought to Fr Cyriacus' leaving lunch – if they are yours please collect them. Thank you.

We are in need of more people to join the **church cleaning rota**. Could you spare some time? You could join a team or work with a friend or partner. The more people we can encourage to help us the bigger the gap between sessions. If you are interested and think you can help please contact Ann Ruth, Parish Secretary.

Collections 3rd November

Loose Plate £138 Standing Orders £560

Card Reader: £15

Mass Attendance: 52

Thank you.

Bonus Ball News: On **Saturday 2nd November** the winner was Fran Blackmore with ball number 34. She won £25. There were 27 subscribers that night so £2 went to church funds

The **Parish Safeguarding Representative** is Sue Walsh.

Newsletter: Sue Walsh (Tel: 07767480807) or email: svwalsh@hotmail.com (**All items for the newsletter by noon on a Wednesday please.**)



Pope's Intentions for November: For Parents Who Have Lost a Child

Let us pray that all parents mourning the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.