



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

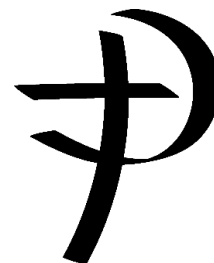
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Week Commencing Sunday 11th September 2022 (Year C)

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Education Day

(Readings: Ex 32:7-11.13-14 Ps 50 1Tim 1:12-17 Lk 15:1-32)

Saturday 10th	Vigil of Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Yelverton	6pm	Mass	<i>Bill & Bernie Kennelly RIP</i>
Sunday 11th	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	N.B. YELVERTON	9am	Mass	<i>Bill & Margaret Douglas RIP</i>
	N.B. TAVISTOCK	10.45am	Mass with Confirmation	<i>People of the Parish</i>
Tuesday 13th	No Mass			
Wednesday 14th	12noon		Mass at the Cathedral. Award for Berenice McNeill -see opposite – All welcome	
	6pm		Mass at Holy Cross, Yelverton – Feast – the Exaltation of the Holy Cross	
Thursday 15th	No Mass			
Friday 16th	Yelverton	11.25am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
	<i>St Cornelius & St Cyprian</i>	12noon	Mass	<i>Mary Lawlor & Deceased members of the Lawlor Family</i>
Saturday 17th	Vigil of Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Yelverton	6pm	Mass	<i>Mike Stanton RIP</i>
Sunday 18th	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Tavistock	9am	Mass	<i>Frank Flanagan RIP:</i>
	Yelverton	10.45am	Mass	<i>People of the Parish</i>

A very warm welcome to all our visitors!

Please pray for:

the repose of the soul of Queen Elizabeth II.

May you rest in peace Your Majesty after a long life spent in generous service to your people, a model of fidelity and dedication. We thank you for your unstinting commitment, especially during difficult times.

Prayer before Holy Communion - (The reader will lead this prayer after the bell has been rung for Holy Communion):

Reader: "Let us say together the Prayer before Holy Communion:

Dear Lord, may I receive you in this Communion with open arms, and a loving, contrite heart, so that I may be filled with Your grace, for my good and Your glory! Amen.

those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Tom Sharp, Olive Wreford, Bill Douglas and Wilfreda Taylor.

the sick and/or housebound: including, Margaret Phelps, Jill White, Nora Steel, Margaret Bradford, Margaret Davies, Ian Kilpatrick, Canon Denis Collin, Anne Stanton, Seth Marks, Shelagh Robinson, Gerald Falvey & Margaret Drayton.

Please pray for our Confirmation candidates **Daniel, Ellie, Elizabeth, Emma, Josh, Lillian and Luc** who are being Confirmed this Sunday in Tavistock.

Children's Liturgy will resume on Sunday 18th September.

Refreshments will be served in the hall after the 10.45am Mass on Sundays. If you could take a turn, please sign the rota in the hall.

Prayer After Holy Communion - Fr Cyriacus will lead us in this prayer after Communion:

ANIMA CHRISTI SANTIFICA MAE.

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.

Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me.

Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me.

O Good Jesus, hear me.

Within your Wounds hide me.

Permit me not to be separated from you.

From the malignant enemy, defend me.

At the hour of my death, call me

and bid me come to you

That with your saints I may praise you

For ever and ever. Amen.

-St. Ignatius of Loyola

Fr Cyriacus is doing a 100-mile run over a week, (on his running machine), finishing on Saturday the 10th September, in support of our **Devon Historic Churches Event**. Please would you be able to sponsor him in this major fundraising event for Holy Cross? DHC receives half the sponsorship monies and Holy Cross the other half. Please Gift Aid if you can. The form is at the back of the Church. **If you have sponsored him, please can you pay your money as soon as possible.**

Service for Devon Historic Churches Trust at St Peter's, Meavy on Sunday 11th September 10am for Coffee and biscuits/cake Cake for sale to take away. Lay led service from 10.30. Talk from Philip Tuckett a DHCT Trustee. Raising funds for Devon churches. All welcome

One of our parishioners, **Berenice McNeill** from the Tribunal Office, has received a Papal award and has been made a Dame of the Order of St. Gregory the Great. Her investiture will take place on Wednesday 14th September 2022 during the Chapter Mass at the Cathedral starting at 12noon. We congratulate Berenice on her achievement.

Pact (Prison Advice & Care Trust) invites you to join them at an online *JustPeople Workshop* taking place on Saturday 17th September, 9.30am – 3pm, via Zoom. Free to attend, it offers an opportunity to reflect upon Scripture, Church Teaching and Catholic Social Teaching through the lens of people affected by imprisonment in the Diocese of Plymouth and beyond. Register here: [JustPeople Workshops | Prison Advice and Care Trust](https://www.justpeople.org.uk/workshops/prison-advice-and-care-trust). For more information contact Marie on marie.norbury@prisonadvice.org.uk or call 07581 194907

The next youth event is **Sing from the Heart at Buckfast Abbey, on Saturday 24th September 10am - 5.00pm**. All singing abilities are welcome. From 10am - 3.30pm young people will join together to explore a range of hymns, songs and chants with Buckfast Abbey Choirmaster, Matthew Searles. Friends and family are invited to arrive at 3.30pm to a mini concert, followed by a BBQ for all. Booking is essential: <https://forms.office.com/r/yFfr7n4zmM> For further information contact: Saskia, youth@prcdtr.org.uk

SAVE THE DATE: 29th October 2022 - Vocations to Priesthood - Day of Reflection. Have you ever asked the question, 'Is God calling me to Priesthood or to the Religious life?'. This 'Day of Reflection' for men will be held on Saturday 29th October 2022 from 10:00 to 16:00 at University of Exeter, Catholic Chaplaincy - within easy walking distance from Exeter St Davids Railway Station. Under 18s are welcome to attend with parents' permission. For further information and to register for the event, please contact Fr Jacek Kostuch on Jacek.Kostuch@prcdtr.org.uk or speak to your Parish Priest by 16th October at the latest.

SEASON OF CREATION 2022

The burning bush is the symbol for this year's Season of Creation which runs from **1st September until the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on 4th October**.

In this Season of Creation, this symbol of God's Spirit calls us to listen to the voice of creation and consider how we can be good stewards of the earth's valuable resources. You can find materials for prayer and reflection on the Diocesan website. There is also an opportunity for everyone to share ideas about what more we can do care for our common home through an online survey. <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/the-diocese/how-we-work/environment/season-of-creation/>

Next weekend there will be a retiring collection for Evangelii Gaudium Sunday –
Celebrating the Beauty of our Faith
(previously known as Home Mission Sunday)

The **Tavistock Foodbank** thanks our parish for our continued support. Below is a list of items currently needed.

Tinned Meat, Cupa Soup, Chocolate, Sugar, Cleaning Materials, Shampoo, Razor Blades

YOUTH

Please find the link for the Youth E-Newsletter.
<https://email.workwithgusto.co.uk/t-t-A240DD5EAA77FF592540EF23F30FEDED>

Church Flowers: Can you help with the flowers in church for next few weeks? Please contact Fran Blackmore on 854271.

Holy Cross - One Family, via the Martha Group, has offered to support the Ukrainian Families in Walkhampton. After discussion with the host family, it has been decided that FRESH Fruit would be most welcome. If YOU want to be part of this, please bring fruit to Mass on Saturday or Sunday. The fruit will be delivered on Sunday.

Bonus Ball on Saturday 3rd September ball number 6 was drawn in the National Lottery. As this had been unallocated in our weekly Draw the full £33 goes to Church Funds as agreed when the Bonus Ball was set up in 1997. There were 33 subscribers that night.

Last week's Collections:

Loose plate £168.90 No Gift Aid Envelopes
Standing orders £525.00.
CAFOD Pakistan Flood Appeal – figure next week.

Thank you

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).**



The Pope's Intention for September: Abolition of the Death Penalty

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country