

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Week Commencing Sunday 2nd November 2025 — All Saints (*Transferred*)

(Readings: Rev 7:2-4.9-14 Ps 24(23) 1Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-[12)

Sunday 2nd November All Saints Mass 9am Veronica & Arthur Gray RIP & Simon Gray RIP

Monday 3rd NovemberAll Souls' DayMass10amTuesday 4th NovemberSt Charles BorromeoMass10amSunday 9th November(Remembrance Day-Mass9am

All Victims of War)

Sacrament of Reconciliation – After Mass or by Appointment N.B. All Sunday Masses will be at 9am unless advised otherwise.

A very warm welcome to all our Visitors

Please pray for:

all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Doris McMahon, Terri Parnell, Edith Penrudocke, Eileen Power

Kathleen Harvey, Mark Worth, Lilian Harrad, William Hughes, John Simmons.

The sick and/or housebound, including: Ian Kilpatrick, Canon Denis Collin, Anne Stanton, Seth Marks, Margaret Drayton, Paul Gray, Joy Jewell, Lynn Nettleton, Leslie Longhurst, Eileen Hoy, Monica Finn. Alexandra Vanduivanbode. Marv

There will be **no Children's Liturgy** during Mass today or next Sunday as it is Half Term.

Refreshments will be served in the hall after Mass. If you can take a turn to serve refreshments sometime, please can you fill in the rota in the hall.

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.

The Martha Group will be meeting on Tuesday 4th November at 10:30am in the hall after Mass. We start with coffee and cake! All are welcome.

RESCUE PROJECT

Come along for an exciting, dynamic and intriguing presentation of Jesus' life, teachings and the redemptive power of his death and resurrection. This is open to everyone but is particularly of interest to those interested in becoming a Catholic. You will enjoy great conversation and community spirit, in **St. Boniface's College hall at 7.15-9pm** on the following **Wednesdays:**

November 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th; December 3rd & 10th.

Bring a friend.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

November 9th is Remembrance Sunday and there be a Memorial Service at St. Thomas More at 3pm. This will be followed, 3.40-4pm, with a recitation of the Rosary at Ford Park Cemetery. If you intend to come to one or both of these services, please write the names of your deceased loved ones on the list at the back of the church (Holy Cross). Names will be read out at the first part of the service in St Thomas More..

Holy Cross Church is now open daily from early morning for those who wish to have quiet reflection and private prayer.

Advent Retreat for 18-30 year olds,

Sclerder Abbey. 21st - 23rd November 2025
Join young adults from across the Diocese of Plymouth to prepare for Advent. During the weekend you will explore Johns scripture; 'The word became flesh and dwelt amongst us' (J1:14) whilst experiencing elements of the Chemin Neuf Community, listening to talks from Fr Robbie Lowe and exploring the area. A recommended donation of £30 is to help with the accommodation and food costs. For further information contact Saskia; youth@prcdtr.org.uk or follow the link to book: https://forms.office.com/e/se4zasSM7B

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales and Birmingham Newman University are conducting research into Neurodiversity and our Faith.

If you're an adult neurodivergent Catholic or a Caregiver of a neurodivergent Catholic, we want to hear from you. Your experiences will help us to become more inclusive and responsive to your needs. To find out more and to fill in our short surveys

here: www.godwhospeaks.uk/neurodivergent-catholic-survevs/

Marriage support - Does your relationship need some TLC? Need help with deeper issues? Next programme starts 17th October

www.retrouvaille.org.uk Tel: +44 7887 296 983

Tavistock Foodbank: For your information the following goods are urgently required at the food bank: Toothpaste, Toilet roll, Detergent, Cleaning spray, Washing up liquid

A big thanks from everyone at the Foodbank



Have you got a Red Box which needs emptying? In order to have its contents included this year please leave it at the back of the church. **Catholic Children's Society Plymouth** - link to a digital copy of the Autumn newsletter:

https://indd.adobe.com/view/073b8535-533afcdc8cc0e91f-4828-8e2b-

Around & About magazine Subs for 2026 are due from January 2026. If you wish to continue to receive a copy, please pay Sue Walsh the £7 or pay by BACS as shown in your magazine. If you wish to take up a subscription there are forms at the back of the church.

Parish Notices:

Holy Cross dates for your diary!!

Joint* Christmas Carol Service Sunday 21st December at 2.30pm

Christmas Masses:

24th December 8pm (7.30 Carols) 25th December 10am

Christmastide Joint* Parish Lunch:

Yelverton Golf Club: Tues 13th January 2026 Time, Menu & prices to follow

*Holy Cross, St Peter's & St Thomas More

Collections 26th October

Loose Plate: £65

(Standing Orders: & Card Reader to follow)

Missio Appeal: £30 (Total: £241.50)

Mass Attendance: 9am 48

Thank you.

Bonus Ball News: on Saturday 25^{th} October Marcus Bailey won with ball number 55. He won £25. There were 31 subscribers that night so £6 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)

The Pope's Intentions for November: For the prevention of suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

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