



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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WEEK COMMENCING 20th August 2017

Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time

Masses today: 9am Sick and housebound parishioners & 10.30am Parish & People

Masses during the week :

Tuesday* 10am *The Queenship Of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
(The Rosary will be said at 9.40am). Coffee after Mass

Friday* 10am *St Louis of France*

Sacrament of Reconciliation: on request

Anniversaries – RIP: Mary A Evans, Alexander Craig-Mooney, Gordon Jones, Rose Bacon

Welcome to any visitors to the Parish

Today:

We welcome and thank Fr Jacek Kostuch who will be saying both Masses for us today.

Please pray for the sick and/or housebound including, Irene Cussen, Margaret Phelps, Jill White, Nora Steel, Mary Silcox, Maureen Wildash, Helen Revins & Margaret Bradford.

N.B. **Willoughby Dampier** is now in a Home in Paignton.

No Children's Liturgy during the School holidays.

To Visitors/Holiday Makers: If you would like to 'Gift Aid' your giving there are some **blue or white** 'Gift Aid' envelopes on the table at the back of the church. Please ensure that you complete all the details in pen and sign the form.

Refreshments are served in the hall after the 10.30am Mass. All are welcome. We really need more people prepared to take a turn at serving. Please sign the rota in the hall.

Make love Your Aim: Next weekend is the annual collection for the **Catholic Children's Society**. The charity works across the Diocese to prevent an immediate crisis from threatening the long term stability of family life. Bishop Mark's message of support for the appeal can be found on prayer cards available in church. Please take one as a gift from the Society and if you can make a donation next week, please do so in the envelope provided. Please Gift Aid your donation if possible – it costs nothing!

Dates:

***N.B. During this week there will be 2 Masses only. We are very grateful to Canon Denis Collin for offering to say these for us.**

NOTICE FOR PARISH RAMBLE

Meet: Holy Cross Car Park 12:45-1:00pm on Sunday 3rd Sept. (We will car share if possible)

Walk: Starts from Sharpitor Car Park (grid ref 561709), first car park on the left after cattle grid on L, B3212 (Yelverton to Princetown Rd)

Distance: 5 miles, gentle walking on good path (an old railway line) to Kings Tor and back.

Skill level needed: Just the ability to walk 5 miles – I am happy to lead with map and compass – bring wet weather gear and wear stout shoes/boots

If interested, please put names on list at back of church – and please note my mobile number 0787 567 7595 in case of postponement.

I like walking, but I'm not a masochist (or sadist) – If wet and horrible we'll postpone it to a drier date.

Dave Adams

WINE TASTING EVENING: a date for your diary. We invite you to join us for cheese, wine and homemade bread on **Saturday September 16th at 7 30 pm** in the church hall, a selection of 7 wines. £10 pp. Proceeds to the church funds. All are welcome.

Dave & Pam Adams, Bob & Sheila Naybour

Devon Historic Churches Day: The event will be on the Saturday 9th September. 50% of monies raised goes to the Trust and 50% goes to our church. I have put a sponsorship form at the back of the church for parishioners to sign if they want to sponsor me. If anyone else would like to take part in a ride, walk or horse ride they could contact me for a form.
Frances Cooper

Diary date: Father Louis is in the process of arranging a **Day of Prayer and Recollection for Saturday 28th October**. The venue is likely to be Buckfast Abbey. Details will be provided in due course. It will be open to all parishioners but especially for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. **For catering purposes, please indicate your attendance by placing your name on the sheet provided at back of the church as soon as possible please.**

Yelverton Harvest Supper 3rd October at 6.30pm

The church communities of Yelverton invite you to the annual Harvest Supper at St Paul's Hall. If you would like to come please sign up on the sheet at the back of the Church. Tickets will be on sales in the next few weeks price £5pp
This year Holy Cross will be providing puddings - if you would like to make a pudding please let me know or indicate on the sheet at the back of the Church.
Fran Blackmore tel. 854271

Plymouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: 18-25 February 2019

Presentation and Facts evening at 7pm: Monday, 2 October – St Richard Reynold's Centre, 29 Fore St, Heavitree, Exeter EX1 2QJ
See noticeboard and/or Parish website for more details.

Notices:

Urgent: School Travel Fund –

Plymouth Diocese offers parents the possibility of receiving a grant for children travelling to Catholic schools in the Diocese. Alternatively, the parish may be able to offer a subsidy in this regard. If you would like to make an application, please email Fr Louis (see email address above) with details of the number of children and cost of the annual fare and you will be sent an application form. **Please email Fr Louis by 21st August at the latest.**

Vacancy – Holy Cross, Yelverton

The Diocese of Plymouth is looking to appoint the following position:

Parish Secretary (part time) – 1 post

Location: Holy Cross (Douland Road, Yelverton PL20 6AZ)

Salary: £9.00 per hour

Hours: 4-5 hours per week

The Parish Secretary will manage the administrative, secretarial support and the office resources required to ensure the smooth running of the Parish and to enable the Parish Priest to carry out his Diocesan responsibilities. The post-holder will be required to have secretarial or administrative experience and will require good organisational skills together with experience of Microsoft Office and excellent interpersonal skills.

Copies of the job description, person specification and application form are obtainable by calling Jan Holton on 01364 645383 or by emailing recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk. **The last date for the receipt of applications will be Monday 4 September** and interviews will be held on Tuesday 19 or Wednesday 20 September at Holy Cross.

The Martha Group thanks all who helped in their fundraising activities, particularly non-members who manned the stall, Marcel, Midge and Pat, without whom we wouldn't have been able to sell anything, Maureen, the tour de force for all of both days, Mary Price for storing the books, Patrick for lifting, shifting and disposing of the books, Michael and Lucy for the stall and limitless hot drinks and Sue Savage for the time and effort she has expended in the overall management of the event which has enabled us to achieve this spectacular result. The 2 events were very successful, raising £380, enough to meet our commitments for the year. That is a lot of books at 50p / 3 for a pound!!

The Bonus Ball winner: On Saturday 12th August ball number 17 was drawn in the National Lottery. As this had been unallocated in our weekly Draw the full £40 goes to Church Funds as agreed when the Bonus Ball was set up in 1997. There were 40 subscribers that night

The Collection last Sunday:

Loose Plate: £249.37

Gift Aid: £80

Thank you

Available:-

Catholic Herald £2.50

Catholic South West 50p July edition

A new and interesting range of CTS booklets available. See CTS rack at back of church.

The Pope's Intentions for August:

'That artists of our time, through their ingenuity, may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.'

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(All items for the newsletter by noon on a Wednesday please)

The Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Sue Walsh & Mike Green

