



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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WEEK COMMENCING 20th January 2019

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

PEACE DAY

Masses today: 9am *People of the Parish* & **10.30am** *Oliver Cooper RIP*

(Readings: Is 62 1-5 Ps 95 1Co 12:4-11 Jn 2:1-11)

Mass during the week:-

Monday **No Mass**

Tuesday 10am (Rosary 9.40am. Refreshments after Mass)

Wednesday 10am

Thursday 10am *St Frances de Sales*

Friday 10am *Conversion of St Paul*

9:40am Rosary for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life)

Saturday **No Mass**

Sacrament of Reconciliation: After 10am weekday Masses and on request

Anniversaries: Terence Simmons, Douglas H Brown, Mary P O'Hare, Eileen Melody, Mary Rait, Brendan Bold, Monica Pace, James S Davies

A warm welcome to our visitors

Today:

Please pray for the sick and/or housebound including, Margaret Phelps, Jill White, Nora Steel, Margaret Bradford, and Margaret Davies.

Today is Peace Sunday 20th January 2019 –

Pax Christi relies on support to continue their work of peace making. The work of Pax Christi is based on the gospel and inspired by faith. Our vision is of a world where people can live in peace, without fear of violence in all its forms. Rooted in Catholic Christianity, we work with all who share our values to abolish war and create communities of peace and justice". This year Pax Christi have supplied donation envelopes should you wish to contribute and they are available at the back of the church.

Children's Liturgy There will be Children's Liturgy in the Upper Rooms during the 10.30am Mass today. (N.B. Any children under 4 must be accompanied by an appropriate adult who is responsible for them).

Visitors/Holiday Makers: If you would like to 'Gift Aid' your giving there are some **white** 'Gift Aid' envelopes on the table at the back of the church

Refreshments are served in the hall after the 10.30am Mass. All are welcome. Please will any parishioners who can take a turn to serve refreshments please sign down on the board in the hall.

Mass Intentions: If you wish to request a Mass Intention you will find on the table, at the back of the Church, Mass intention slips and envelopes. When you have given brief details, please place the slip, and your offering, in the envelope and hand it to me, leave it in the sacristy or put it through the Presbytery letter box. Mass intention cards are also available in the carousel at the back of the church if needed.

Fr Louis

The FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION preparation programme for 2019 will be starting on Sunday 3rd February at 9:15. Any parent/guardian whose child is in school Year 3 or above and wishes to start the preparation, should fill in a registration form, which can be collected from the back of the church. This should be handed to either Father Louis or Mary Pike by Sunday 27th January.

Notices:-

If anyone requires a lift to Church please contact Maeve Guly (01822 853712) or Michael Prout (01822 852184).

Dates:-

Forthcoming Holy Cross Events at a Glance

Evangelisation Meeting 7pm Wednesday 23rd January

Ecumenical Unity Service at **St Paul's Church, Yelverton on Thursday 24th January at 7pm.** We are invited to join our friends from other denominations who will be having a meal at Rock Inn after the service (normal menu and diners pay). If you would like to go to the meal please sign your name on the list at the back of the church as Rock Inn will need to know numbers.

Women's World Day of Prayer hosted by Holy Cross Friday 1st March. All are welcome.

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) and the Knights of St Columba (KSC) To celebrate the centenary of the KSC, the Knights and SPUC members will be holding a public rosary for the unborn in front of the Blessed Sacrament in the Cathedral, after the 10am Monday morning Mass on the 3rd Monday of each month throughout 2019. We hope as many of you as possible will be able to join us. If other parishes wish to organise this within their own churches, please contact Christine Hudson (SPUC) on 01752 224018 or Mike Stratford (KSC) on 01752 213745 for the prayer cards for this devotion.

Diocesan 2019 Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by the Bishop of Plymouth, Rt Rev Mark O'Toole - 1-8 August 2019 – Please see poster at the back of the church for booking information.

Parish Secretary- Office hours:

Wednesday 9am-2pm

Friday 10am-3pm

Newsletter: All items for the newsletter by noon on a Wednesday please to Sue Walsh

(Tel: 07767480807, or 01822 854118 or by email: svwalsh@hotmail.com)

Catholic South West!

The January edition is available – 50p per copy

CTS booklets – individually priced in the rack
Selection of cards & books in the carousel.

The Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Sue Walsh & Mike Green

Derriford Hospital Details: Please inform the hospital Chaplaincy team if you are going into Hospital or if you know of anyone who is in hospital who would appreciate a visit while in there. Leave a message on **01752 245255** giving the patient's name (and Ward, if known), your name and telephone number and any other information you think might help. **If it is urgent please call the Main Switchboard on 01752 202082** and request contact with the Duty Chaplain. There is Mass each Sunday in the hospital chapel at 4pm which patients can attend, with help if necessary. Deacon Simon Fletcher is the Catholic Chaplain.

Around & About subscriptions of £6 are now due for the coming year, 10 issues. This local inter-church magazine is available for those who wish to take it. See Sue Walsh.

Please save used stamps for the Catholic Children's Society. There is a jar for them on the back table.

The organisers of the Tavistock Foodbank wish to thank all those parishioners from Holy Cross who have again supported them with donations over the Christmas period, enabling special parcels to be delivered to individuals and families in need. Many people are suffering from delays in receiving benefit and large numbers are in crisis and living constantly on the edge of poverty and hunger. Your gifts and your continuing support make a real difference and are greatly appreciated. **Items currently in short supply include razors, male and female toiletries and deodorants, tinned meat and small bags of sugar."**

The Collection last Sunday:

Loose plate £216.20

Gift aided £85.00 Standing orders £234.00

Thank you

Bonus Ball winner: on 12th January ball number 26 was drawn in the National Lottery. As this had been unallocated in our weekly Draw the full £35 goes to Church Funds as agreed when the Bonus Ball was set up in 1997. There were 35 subscribers that night.

If you are an annual subscriber you may have lapsed your subscriptions. Please check with Sue Walsh if you wish to be included.



The Pope's Universal Intention for January:

Young People and the Example of Mary

'That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.'

