



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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WEEK COMMENCING 4th November 2018

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

Masses today: 9am *Foundation Mass: Florence Spicer* & 10.30am *People of the Parish*
(Readings: Dt 6:2-6 Ps 17 Heb 7:23-28 Mk 12:28-34)

Mass during the week:-

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	10 am (Rosary at 9.40am. Refreshments after Mass)
Wednesday	10am
Thursday	9am (12noon Clergy Requiem Mass, Cathedral)
Friday	No Mass
Saturday	No Mass

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

Anniversaries: Herminus Gidley

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.

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*).

ON SALE TODAY

Christmas Cards. The SVP cards have arrived. Traidcraft are ceasing trading at the end of the year so this is probably the end of inexpensive/ bargain religious cards. Enjoy while you can!

Mini plant sale

Winter Flowering Baskets, cyclamens, grasses etc and a (very) few indoor plants. Proceeds towards 2 events later this month.

Hand crocheted **Centenary Poppies.** £2 each. Proceeds to Royal British Legion.

2019 Calendar: **Windows Across the Diocese** – in aid of the Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth). Excellent value at just £5, ideal present for family and friends.

To 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.

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 no need to resubmit names that have been previously submitted as they remain entered in the book).

Dates:-

Forthcoming Holy Cross Events at a glance

Mothers Prayers - Please note that the **Martha Group** will be hosting a meeting in the parish hall on **Tues 6th November at 11am**, when **Carolyn Hart**, the group's regional coordinator for Devon, will be speaking about **Mothers Prayers**. This was launched in 1995 by two Catholic grandmothers who felt led by the Lord to pray for their children in a special way, given the challenges that exist to family life. It has now spread throughout the world and is in 120 countries. It is ecumenical and members of Mothers Prayers come from many different denominations. This will be an open meeting and all parishioners who are interested are warmly invited to attend. Come and find out more and explore how we might introduce a Mother's Prayers group in our parish.

Video presentation in the Hall on **Wednesday 14th November at 7pm**, by Bishop Robert Barron, which was given at the Adoremus Conference in Liverpool on 'The Mass'.

Bishop Mark will be making his Episcopal visitation to the parish on **Sunday 2nd December 2018**. More details to follow.

Sunday 9th December – **Plymouth Catholic Choir**
Advent Service at 3pm.

Annual Parish Christmas Dinner: Tuesday 11th December at the Moorland Garden Hotel 6.30pm
Please take a copy of the menu from the back of the church with prices and details for signing down.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION at Christ the King Tuesday mornings through to Friday mornings. Maybe you could volunteer to spend an hour a week in the presence of Our Lord. See Ann Ruth for further details.

Clergy Requiem Mass Thursday 8th November 12 noon at the Cathedral, Plymouth. All parishioners welcome.

Are you aged 11-17 and would like to have the opportunity to meet up with Catholic young people your own age? The Plymouth Youth Club (*still looking for a name !!!*) offers this opportunity every Thursday 6.30-8.30pm at Holy Family church hall, Beacon Park Road, PL5 1NE. An opportunity to grow in your Catholic faith; to socialise; have time of recreation together and pray together ... it's your club please join in and help shape it's future direction. **See you Thursday.'**

GEN VERDE aware coming to Plymouth Diocese and will be in concert at Notre Dame School on Friday November 9th at 7.00 p.m. Tickets are available from the school on 01752775101. Full price £10 Concessions for students £5.00 Don't miss it! This event has been sponsored by Bishop Mark. Get a flavour from this YouTube clip <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5HHv9ozyunM&autoplay=1>

Service of Penitence and Healing - Further to the recent Pastoral Letter from Bishop Mark about those who have suffered abuse in the Church, a special service has been arranged for **Thursday 22nd November 7pm** at the church of the Blessed Sacrament, 29 Fore Street, Heavitree, Exeter. All parishioners are invited to attend.

YOUTH SUNDAY – 25th NOVEMBER 2018 (FOR 10-17 YEARS) Plymouth Pavillions - Ice Skating followed by BBQ and Mass – 11.30am – 4pm. Cost £8. See poster at the back of the church. Bookings need to be in by 20th November at the latest. **If you are interested in attending this event please see Ann Ruth at the back of the church after Mass where she will give you all the details you require.**

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED : RED WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING At Briar Tor, Yelverton PL20 6DP
Wednesday 28th November 10am - 12noon
Cake, Plant, Card, Book Sales & Tombola

Plymouth Deanery will be having a special CAFOD **Share the Journey** Liturgy in the form of Stations of the Cross, it will tell the story of the suffering of those fleeing for their lives, with Jesus and ourselves walking alongside them. Advent Share The Journey **Wednesday 5th December 2018** 11 o'clock start, Plymouth Cathedral Followed by refreshments If you would like to participate please sign up on the list at the back of the Church. We would like to encourage car sharing so please indicate if you can offer lifts.

Catholic South West!

The November edition is available – 50p per copy

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

The Pope's Universal Intention for November

Universal: In the Service of Peace

That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

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The GATHER Conference brings together people from across the Diocese of Plymouth and further afield for a weekend of faith, formation and friendship. In 2019 we will gather at the Best Western Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay on 18–20 January 2019. We'd love to see you. The weekend will include speakers; Sr Judith Russi, Pia Matthews, Raymond Friel and David Wells. Residential rate £155 includes 2 nights bed and breakfast, lunch and evening meal on Saturday, tea, coffee and pastries. Single room supplement £20. The price does not include supper on Friday. A bar menu is available. Non-residential rate £45 includes full conference attendance, lunch and evening meal on Saturday, tea, coffee and pastries. Sunday lunch may be booked and paid for in advance or upon arrival at the hotel. When you've booked please email delegates' names to plymouthgather@yahoo.com. If you have any questions please email us at the same address or submit them via the Facebook page Gather Conference.

Notices:-

Climate change - ask your MP to be a Zero Hero! Please may I ask for two minutes of your time before 5 November? Would you click on CAFOD's web site this weekend and complete the very short form to ask your MP to be a Zero Hero? <https://cafod.org.uk/Campaign/Climate/Climate-Change>. It is so important to keep the dreadful effects of climate change on the world's poorest people in the forefront of MP's minds. There are a couple of short paragraphs on the web page explaining the context of the action for you. Thank you. Bernard White, Campaign coordinator CAFOD Plymouth Diocese.

Bonus Ball winner: on Saturday 27th Oct ball number 56 was drawn in the National Lottery. As this had been unallocated in our weekly Draw the full £41 goes to Church Funds as agreed when the Bonus Ball was set up in 1997. There were 41 subscribers that night.

The Collection last Sunday:

Loose plate £222.25,
Gift aided £115.00, Standing orders £80.00.
The final Missio collection was £280.87..

Thank you

Parish Secretary - Office Hours
Wednesday 9am-2pm
Friday 9am-10am, 11:30-3.30pm.

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)

The Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Sue Walsh & Mike Green

