



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Week Commencing Sunday 5th June 2022 (Year C)

Pentecost

(Readings: Ac 2:1-11 Ps 103 Rom 8:8-17 12:3-7. 12-13 Sequence Jn 14:15-16 23-26)

Saturday 4th June	<i>Vigil Mass of Pentecost</i>			
	Yelverton	6pm	Mass	Fr Louis Rieunier RIP
Sunday 5th	<i>Pentecost</i>			
	Tavistock	9am	Mass	Mark Gillett RIP
	Yelverton	10.45am	Mass	People of the Parish
Tuesday 7th	Yelverton	9.25am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
<i>Feria</i>		10am	Mass	Mary Lawlor & Deceased members of the Lawlor Family
Wednesday 8th	Tavistock	9.25am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary	
<i>Feria</i>		10am	Mass	Fr Louis Rieunier RIP
Thursday 9th	NO MASS			
Friday 10th	Yelverton	11.25am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary	
		12noon	Mass	Christopher Ruth RIP
Saturday 11th	<i>Vigil Mass of the Most Holy Trinity</i>			
	Yelverton	6pm	Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 12th	<i>Most Holy Trinity</i>			
	Tavistock	9am	Mass	Leo Bostock RIP
	Yelverton	10.45am	Mass	

A very warm welcome to all our visitors!

Parish Notices: -

Please pray for:

those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Christopher Ruth

the sick and/or housebound: including, Margaret Phelps, Jill White, Nora Steel, Margaret Bradford, Margaret Davies, Ian Kilpatrick, Canon Denis Collin, Mike & Anne Stanton, Seth Marks, Barry and Anne Jones.

Please pray for ***Lottie, Anabel, Jacob, Millie and Chloe***, who will be making their *First Holy Communion in June*.

No Children's Liturgy on Sunday as it is Half term.

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.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: – is available after Mass on Friday mornings (Wednesday in Tavistock) or by appointment.

The church is now open on a Wednesday between the hours of 9am and 2pm and Fridays between 11:30am and 2pm.

Plants!! We still have some vegetables, beetroot, peppers, pumpkin and tomatoes at £2. If you are interested, please see Sue Savage after Mass.

The Martha Group will be holding their next monthly meeting after the 10am Mass on Tuesday, 7th June, . New members are always very welcome.

Holy Cross is having two stalls at the *Walkhampton Platinum Event* on **Sunday 5th June from 12 noon**. We are selling books and jigsaws and running a bottle tombola. Please come and support us if you can. Lots of other activities, dog show, classic cars, raffle, BBQ & bar.

Funeral Arrangements for Fr Louis

The Requiem Mass for Fr Louis Rieunier will take place on **Monday 13th June at 11am in the Cathedral**. Bishop Mark will preside at the Mass.

Fr Louis will be buried at Buckfast Abbey after Mass, and there will be a reception there after the Burial. In our own heartache, we commend him to the love of God, asking God's comfort for his brother, his family, friends, parishioners and all those who grieve his loss. May he Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory.

(Fr Louis was Parish Priest at Holy Cross from 2013-2019)

YOUTH -The Plymouth Diocese Summer Camps Committee have opened bookings for our Summer Camps, to be held at Grangehurst House, at Buckfast Abbey, (Senior and Junior Camps) and St Rita's, Honiton, for the St Petroc's Camp. Please see the poster in the hall, which includes a QR code and gives access to the booking form and further information. The Summer Camps offer wonderful opportunity for young people to come together and grow in their faith by living, playing and praying together. Thank you so much for your continued support with the Camps. Deacon Michael Turnbull Chair, Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Camps Committee.

YOUTH: The Youth Rally will be held at St Rita's, Honiton on 9th July 2022 12 – 6.30pm. The event is aimed at young people aged 8 – 16 in teams of 6. Parishes are asked to book groups thought this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/ACUmR6FYAv>. Please contact Fr Cyriacus if you are interested.

Friday 1st July 2022 – the Great Big Diocesan Quiz –

Come and join us here at Holy Cross, Yelverton in the Hall for this fun evening. Tickets are £5 per person. Please bring your own food/refreshments however Tea/Coffee and soft drinks will be available. If you can make a team of 6 – that would be brilliant, but do not worry if you can't, we can make them up on the night. **Raffle tickets will be on sale from next week for those who wish to support the event but cannot make it.** All monies raised will be going to the Catholic Children's Society. Raffle Prize donations gratefully accepted – thank you.

The Mass for Marriage is still taking place on July 16th. Please join us if you can at midday in the Cathedral, with a 'gathering' event from 11.00 in the Cathedral rooms. Your married and family life will be blessed and strengthened. Meet other people who will pray for marriage and family life. Light refreshments will be provided. Please send in your names via the Parish Secretary if you would like them included in the Order of Service. (You may be newly married, engaged, or have an anniversary - it doesn't matter how long, you may not have been able to celebrate due to lock down, so bring your friends and family and celebrate now).

Local Ignatian Summer Retreats – Sclerder Abbey, Looe. Please see flier at the back of the church for more details. July 9th -11th (Sat - Mon) Weekend Retreat (£160)
July 11th - 15th (Mon - Friday) Midweek Retreat (£320)
July 9th -16th (Sat - Sat) 6 day Retreat (£560)

New Teacher Recruitment: Natural Fertility Regulation (NFR) South West - helping build a 'civilisation of love'
“We are looking to recruit and train new teachers to become part of a team delivering the Billings Ovulation Method (BOM) in the Plymouth Diocese.” *Further details on the Holy Cross website under Events.*

We are sure you are aware that there is growing concern around isolation and loneliness in the UK. We want to be a place of welcome and connection, where all are valued and looked after. This topic and what we can do about it, is the next focus looked at by Tanya at Caritas. You can pick up a copy at the back of church to take home or share with someone who might need it, or you can follow the link to view it online: <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Focus-sheet-2-Isolation-and-loneliness-.pdf>

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 Cyriacus (see email address above) with details of the number of children and cost of the annual fare. **Please email Fr Cyriacus by Monday 4th July 2022**

Thank you!

Many thanks to all who supported the Plant Sale last weekend but particularly to Mary Boon, without whom we would have struggled! The event has raised a staggering £272 for Parish funds.

A special thank you to the person who has gifted a new sofa and chair to the parish for the presbytery. This is the first new furniture since it became Fr Michael's home! It is much appreciated. We are asked to keep the person in our prayers.

Thank you to those who helped move the furniture for Fr Cyriacus last Sunday. It was very much appreciated.

Diary date:

We will be holding our own **Retreat Day at Buckfast Abbey on Saturday 15th October 2022.** This is a joint event with Holy Cross & Our Lady of the Assumption, Tavistock. Further details to follow.

Bonus Ball: on Saturday 28th May ball number 20 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 £188.55	Gift Aid Envelopes £5.00
Standing orders £210.00.	World Communications £66.75

Thank you

Parish Secretary- Office hours: Wed & Friday 9am-2pm

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 June: For families

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

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