



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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WEEK COMMENCING 6th August 2017
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
The Transfiguration of the Lord

Masses today: 9am & 10.30am Parish & People
(Eucharistic Prayer I)

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	No Mass
Wednesday	No Mass
Thursday	10am <i>St Lawrence</i>
Friday	10am <i>St Clare</i> (9.40am Rosary for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life)
Saturday	10am <i>Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> <u>2pm Funeral Liturgy – Tony Wreford RIP</u>

Sacrament of Reconciliation: on Saturdays after Mass and on request

Anniversaries – RIP: John Holland, Veronica M. Kay, Rebecca L Burbage

Welcome to any visitors to the Parish

Today:

Dates:

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

Today: The Holy Cross Conference of the SVP will at both Masses be making a pulpit appeal for new membership to our conference and for funds to support the financial needs of the Conference including holding **a retiring collection.** Please support our SVP Conference.

No Children's Liturgy during the School holidays.

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.

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.

'Horrabridge Games in the Gardens' Sunday 6th August 2-5pm Entry £5 under 16s free

Visit four gardens with Plant Sales, Garden Games and Refreshments in aid of West Devon Safe Haven supporting Syrian Refugees

Buckfast Abbey Summer Fun Holiday Clubs every Tuesday and Thursday from August 8th 9.30am to 12.30pm. Drop your children off for a morning of fun, games, crafts, stories, movement and drama activities. Plenty of opportunity to make friends and learn new skills. Ages 8-11. More information and to book on our website www.buckfast.org.uk/education

Sclerder Family Festival Organised by Chemin Neuf which is to take place at Sclerder Abbey on Saturday, 19th August. See poster on the noticeboard or check out the website: www.sclerderfamilyfestival.chemin-neuf.org.uk Single ticket £10, family ticket £20.

Save the date – **Sunday 3rd September 1pm – Parish Ramble.** A gentle 3-4 mile ramble on the high moor – Princetown area, on good tracks – more (moor?) details to follow!
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

14th September: Deacons' Enquirers' Day at St Boniface House 10.30am - 1.30pm lunch provided. Anyone interested in finding out more about Service as a Deacon is invited to attend this informal session. For more information please speak to Father Louis or contact Deacon James 07906 599389

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.**

Harvest Supper - The annual Yelverton Harvest Supper is on **Tuesday 3rd October at 6.30pm** in St Paul's Hall. This event is very convivial, bringing together the Yelverton church communities. Further details in due course.

Notices:

Ad majorem Dei gloriam

We say farewell and convey our warmest best wishes to Ian Jackson who departs our parish and begins a new journey as he enters the Jesuit novitiate next Friday. Do please hold Ian in your prayers.

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.

New to the Parish? If you have not done so, it would be really helpful you could please fill in the form at the back of the church giving your name & details for Parish records? 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 Martha Group would like to thank everyone who supported the Mass on St Martha's Day for all past and present members of the group and those who joined them for refreshments afterwards. Anne and Barbara would also like to say a particular thank you for the special cake in honour of their joint birthday which was such a surprise to them both and which was greatly enjoyed.

The group very much appreciate the support they received in July for the fundraising event at the Knightstone when £165 was raised for the charities which we currently support. **We shall be holding a second fundraising bookstall and tombola at the Knightstone in a week's time on Saturday, 12th and Sunday, 13th August** for which donations of books and bottles would be appreciated. If anyone can spend an hour or two to help on either day, please sign the rota at the back of the church or alternatively please come and see us over the weekend. Many thanks.

YOUTH GROUP: Age 11-17. This is well-established at Holy Family Church hall and serves the youth of the whole city. Lydia Keogh and team are unable to continue with this valuable ministry, but the group will continue under the leadership of Fr. Jacek Kostuch and volunteers. More volunteers are needed in order for this to happen so please contact Fr. Jacek on 01752-701660 or email jacek.kostuch@prcdtr.org.uk if you are interested, even if it's on an occasional basis. If enough volunteers are available, the group will start up again in September. Many thanks to Lydia and her helpers for all the work they have done in establishing and sustaining this group.

The Bonus Ball winner on 29th July was Brendan Bold with ball number 36. He won £25. There were 40 subscribers that night so £15 went to Parish funds

Holy Cross email address Emails are still being sent apparently to the parish's old email address which was closed down almost 3 years ago! Please use:

yelverton@prcdtr.org.uk

Thank you.

The Collection last Sunday:

Loose plate £161.81,

Gift aided £160.00

we also had a donation of £50.00.

Thank you

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

