

**CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST CUTHBERT MAYNE,  
LAUNCESTON**  
**incorporating St Peter's, Bude**



**Week beginning Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2013**  
**First Sunday of Lent: Year C**

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A Parish of the Catholic Diocese of Plymouth  
Registered Charity No: 213227

**Please pray for our sick and housebound parishioners:**

**Launceston:** Stefan Rymkiewicz, Barbara Daly,  
Josef Mazgaj, Diane Loughran and Ellen Wakefield.

**Holsworthy:** Peggy & Grev Raymond-Barker, Bill Cousins and  
Bodham Mazurkiewicz.

**Bude:** Irene Hamilton, Margaret Lester, and Jean Pirie.

The Year of Faith: from the Catechism of the Catholic Church (slightly adapted).

Paragraph 566: The temptation in the desert shows Jesus, the humble Messiah, who triumphs over Satan by his total adherence to the plan of salvation willed by the Father.



- ❖ Thank you, parishioners and Altar Servers, for your support at last Monday's Requiem Mass for Marcin Wojtas, tragically killed at the age of 34. Please keep praying for him and his family.
- ❖ The next meeting of the St. Cuthbert Mayne SVP will be at 2.30pm on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February in the Charles Langdon Room.
- ❖ When a friend of mine told me that Pope Benedict had decided to resign at the end of this month, I reminded her that 1<sup>st</sup> April has not yet arrived. I soon found out that the news was indeed true. Clearly the announcement has taken everyone by surprise. We can only admire the Holy Father's courage in accepting his onerous Ministry at the age of 78 and for achieving so much in the last 8 years. Please pray for his intentions, and that the cardinals will elect a worthy successor. The Catholic Truth Society has a free download which explains how the Conclave to elect the new pope will work: visit [www.ctsbooks.org](http://www.ctsbooks.org)
- ❖ The Memory Café in Launceston is urgently looking for a Treasurer. If you can help, please contact Rob Loughran: tel: 01566 777112 or 07979 592401.
- ❖ Following the discussion at the recent Finance Committee Meeting, Dave Thomas (Parish Treasurer) and I would like to publish Gift Aid figures each month in order to encourage more of you to join the scheme and boost our income. We really do need to increase our funds.
- ❖ Street Pastors and Prayer Pastors are urgently needed in Bude. Ask Ros Dolphin if you can help.
- ❖ A Pastoral Letter from Bishop Christopher will be read and made available at the next weekend Masses. Owing to the Mission Appeal, this has been deferred from Lent I.
- ❖ Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February: Lenten Clergy Deanery Meeting with Bishop Christopher and on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February a Council of Priests meeting. Please ask Our Lady, Seat of Wisdom, to pray for us.
- ❖ Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February: Hot Meal at Launceston Methodist Central Hall for £6, organised by the Bible Society Action group. See poster for more details.

- ❖ Women's World Day of Prayer: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March.  
 Bude: Stratton Methodist Church at 11am: coffee at 10.30am.  
 Holsworthy: St. Peter and St. Paul Anglican Church at 11am: shared lunch to follow.  
 Launceston: Salvation Army Hall at 2.30pm: refreshments to follow. See poster.
- ❖ There are still copies of the Lenten booklet, "Walk with Me", and a large number of religious books, pamphlets and prayer cards. Please help yourselves. They are in the Charles Langdon Room.
- ❖ Annual Novena to St. Joseph 10<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> March, Patron of the Mill Hill Missionaries, who are supported by Red Box collections. If you would like to send in a petition, please ask your local organisers or me.
- ❖ Today, 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> February, the Comboni Missionary Fathers will make an Appeal for funds. They have permission from Bishop Christopher.
- ❖ CAFOD Lent Fast Day in on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. I shall distribute envelopes on 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> February. Please return them on the following weekend.
- ❖ Stations of the Cross: at St. Peter and St. Paul, Holsworthy at 3pm every Friday during Lent starting 22<sup>nd</sup> February.
- ❖ Next meeting for First Holy Communion candidates and their parents: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May in the Charles Langdon Room.
- ❖ The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 24<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> May 2013. I've already asked Fr. David II to provide cover. The cost is the same as last year. Young people of 14+ are invited to take part in the Youth Pilgrimage which will be in Lourdes at the same time. See posters for details.

*With my prayers and good wishes,*

*Fr David*

**Going into hospital?** If you would like to see a Catholic chaplain, please ring:

For Barnstaple Hospital: Fr Paul Andrew (PP Barnstaple): 01271 343312

For Derriford Hospital: Fr Jaromir Wilczak: 01752 401281

For Exeter Hospital: Fr John Watkins: 01392 27472

For Royal Cornwall Hospital, Treliske: Fr Gilmour McDermott: 01872 272291

Most hospitals do not inform chaplains of incoming Catholics, so *you* have to make the first move. Alternatively, keep me informed and I can ask the chaplain to call.

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Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Int: John Mills RIP
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> Feb		No Exposition or Mass	
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Bude	10.00 am 10.30 am	Fr. John Richardson RIP Stations of the Cross
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Launceston	9.30 am 10.00 am	Int: Molly O'Mahoney RIP Stations of the Cross
		No Mass at Bude	
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: the work of CAFOD Confessions available after Mass
	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Second Sunday of Lent Int: Eileen Bolland RIP
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish

**Collections:** 10.02.2013: Launceston £201.66, Bude £106.20

**Gift Aid for January:** Launceston £164 (10 contributors)

Bude            £564 (21 contributors)