

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



Week beginning Sunday 17th November 2013
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year C

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A Parish of the Catholic Diocese of Plymouth
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Please pray for our sick and housebound parishioners:

Launceston: Stefan Rymkiewicz, Geoff Penn, Diane Loughran
and Ellen Wakefield.

Holsworthy: Peggy & Grev Raymond-Barker, Connie Quirk,
Bill Cousins and Bohdan Mazurkiewicz.

Bude: Irene Hamilton, Margaret Lester, Clive Hammond
and Jean Pirie.

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

Paragraph 1020: The Christian who unites his own death to that of Jesus views it as a step towards him and an entrance into everlasting life. When the Church for the last time speaks Christ's words of pardon and absolution over the dying Christian, seals him for the last time with a strengthening anointing and gives him Christ in viaticum as nourishment for the journey, she speaks with gentle assurance:

*Go forth, Christian soul, from this world
in the name of God the almighty Father,
who created you,
in the name of Jesus Christ, the Son of the living God,
who suffered for you,
in the name of the Holy Spirit,
who was poured out upon you.
Go forth, faithful Christian!*

Paragraph 1021: Death puts an end to human life as the time open to either accepting or rejecting the divine grace manifested in Christ. The New Testament speaks of judgement primarily in its aspect of the final encounter with Christ in his second coming, but also repeatedly affirms that each will be rewarded immediately after death in accordance with his works and faith.



- ❖ As announced last Saturday evening, we have a Bishop-elect, Fr. Mark O'Toole of Westminster Diocese. He is very keen on Our Lady and the Saints, especially St. Cuthbert Mayne. He visited the shrine last Saturday to pray before the relics after lunch at the "White Horse". He will be ordained Bishop on Tuesday 28th January 2014 at 2pm in the Cathedral. He has written a short statement, and copies are enclosed. Bishop Christopher must be feeling mightily relieved.
- ❖ I hope that next Saturday, 23rd November, we will be back in our own church at Bude, following its restoration.
- ❖ Launceston: some repairs have now been completed. The confessional and sacristy doors have been adjusted, the fence has been repaired, preliminary work has begun on the parquet flooring in the sanctuary and some rotten floorboards in the upper room have been replaced.
- ❖ At today's Youth Mass I should like to present to you those young people who are to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation next

Summer. They are George Tony and Phoenix Jeffs (Bude), and Teresa Matysik and Kacper Borkowski (Launceston) for First Holy Communion. Candidates for Confirmation are Luc Abbots (Bude), Precious Abesamis, Christian Callanga, Czarine Callange, Janea Callanga, Angelika Grabowska, Marcel Lawnicki, Ania Matysik, Gliza Toledo and Anna Toledo.

- ❖ First Holy Communion Class: next meeting on Tuesday 3rd December at 6 pm (Launceston group). Bude group to be advised, as we are not able to use the church at present.
- ❖ Confirmation Class: next meeting on Wednesday 4th December at 6pm at Launceston.
- ❖ Coffee morning at Launceston (Charles Langdon Room) 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month starting from 10.30-12 noon. I should like to thank Arnolda Kinvig for organising this. See poster and yellow fliers.
- ❖ Bishop Christopher has written a Pastoral Letter to be read at Mass next Sunday.
- ❖ Very advance notice: the date of the Confirmation Mass is Sunday 27th April 2014 (Divine Mercy Sunday). The first Holy Communion Mass will be on Sunday 8th June 2014 (Pentecost Sunday). Candidates from Bude have the option of making their commitment at the Saturday Mass of Sunday.
- ❖ Advent Preparation Day at Fowey Retreat on Saturday 30th November, from 10.00 am – 4.00 pm. £15 including lunch. For further details and booking, contact Fr. Robbie Low on 01208 871517.
- ❖ Aid to the Church in Need and CAFOD Christmas catalogues are now available. And we haven't even got to Advent yet.

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:	Rev. Simon Fletcher: mobile:	07854 816523
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.

