

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



Week beginning Sunday 10th August 2014
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year A

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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, Geoff Penn, Joanne Graham,
Diane Loughran, and Ellen Wakefield.

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

Bude: Irene Hamilton, Veronica Oke, and Jean Pirie.

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church (slightly adapted).

Paragraph 1674: The religious sense of the Christian people has always found expression in various forms of piety surrounding the Church's sacramental life, such as the veneration of relics, visits to sanctuaries, pilgrimages, processions, the stations of the cross, religious dances, the rosary, medals, etc.

Paragraph 2304: Peace is 'the tranquility of order'. Peace is the work of justice and the effect of charity.

Paragraph 2305: Earthly peace is the image and fruit of the *peace of Christ*, the messianic 'Prince of Peace'. He has declared: 'Blessed are the peacemakers'.



❖ Great news! The major relic of St. Cuthbert Mayne – the crown of his skull – has been entrusted to our parish, which is also the Saint's National Shrine. Rescued from Launceston Castle gateway where it had been exhibited on a pike following his execution in November 1577, just for being a Catholic priest, the relic was hidden away and given to the Carmelite nuns of Lanherne Monastery near Newquay in 1807. The nuns left in 2001 and their successors, the Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate, continued to foster devotion to the Saint.

I too should like to encourage devotion to our Patron Saint by keeping our church open more regularly, but our security will have to be improved. Until this is done I can display the relic only at certain times, probably Saturday and Sunday mornings.

I should welcome any advice or help that you can give me and I thank Bishop Christopher, Bishop Mark, our Diocesan Chancellor, the former Prioress of Lanherne and even a Cardinal in Rome for their support in making this move possible. I have donated a smaller relic of St. Cuthbert Mayne to the Franciscan Sisters.

- ❖ There will be a retiring collection for the work of the SVP in our parish on 17th August.
- ❖ Bude: I should like to thank Art Smyth who has almost finished fitting a sound system and closed-circuit TV in our church. He has done this in

his own time, and donated much of the equipment. We are very fortunate to have such a talented parishioner.

- ❖ The Catholic Children's Society Summer newsletter is available if you would like one.
- ❖ Saturday markets at Launceston, August to October. See notice board for details.
- ❖ Children's Liturgy: Now that the Charles Langdon Room is back in regular use, I should like to re-start this in September. Rachel Bourgoïn has agreed to co-ordinate, but she needs helpers. Any offers?
- ❖ Coffee after Mass will now be every Sunday at Launceston. But we need more helpers if this important contribution to parish life is to be successful.
- ❖ 2015: Confirmation Classes, First Holy Communion Classes and Reception of non-Catholic adults into the fullness of the Faith. I should be very pleased to organise these teaching activities from late September or early October if required. Confirmation candidates should be 14+ by next Summer, First Holy Communion candidates should be 8+ by next Summer. Enquires and further information available from me.
- ❖ Diocesan Pilgrimage to Launceston: This will be held on Sunday afternoon, 5th October. Please put this important date in your diary and be prepared to support it. More details when available.
- ❖ The Catholic Children's Society are organising two opportunities to raise much needed funds: a Tandem Skydive in Perranporth on Sunday 28th September, and a chance to run the Rome Marathon on Sunday 22nd March 2015. Further details from www.ccsplymouth.org.uk or call Claire on 07783 156284.
- ❖ A pleasant, relaxing holiday to you all, and a warm welcome to our visitors.

With my prayers and good wishes,

Fr David

Collections: 03.08.2014: Launceston £209.98 Bude £205.30

Thank you for your generosity

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Sat 9 th Aug	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Int: People of the Parish
Sun 10 th Aug	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish
Tues 12 th Aug	Launceston	10.00-12 noon 2.00-4.45 pm 5.00 pm	Church open for prayer Adoration and Benediction Int: the Holy Souls
Wed 13 th Aug	NO MASS AT BUDE		
<u>Thurs</u> 14 th Aug	Bude	5.00 pm	Vigil of the Assumption of Our Lady Int: Gerry Brown RIP
Fri 15 th Aug	Launceston	9.30 am	The Assumption of Our Lady Int: Anthony O'Neill RIP
Sat 16 th Aug	Launceston	10.00 am	Mass of Our Lady Int: the Holy Souls Confessions follow the Mass
	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Twentieth Sunday in OT: Year A Int: Felicity Ware RIP
Sun 17 th Aug	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish

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.