

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



Week beginning Sunday 17th August 2014
Twentieth 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 1956: The natural law, present in the heart of each man and established by reason, is universal in its precepts and its authority extends to all men. It expresses the dignity of the person and determines the basis for his fundamental rights and duties.

Paragraph 2246: It is a part of the Church's mission 'to pass moral judgements even in matters related to politics, whenever the fundamental rights of man or the salvation of souls requires it.

Paragraph 2256: Citizens are obliged in conscience not to follow the directives of civil authorities when they are contrary to the demands of the moral order. 'We must obey God rather than man' (*Acts 5:29*)

Paragraph 2458: The Church makes a judgement about economic and social matters when the fundamental rights of the person or the salvation of souls requires it. She is concerned with the temporal common good of men because they are ordered to the sovereign Good, their ultimate end.



- ❖ I should like to thank Hilary Rhodes, whose parents are buried in our churchyard, for giving us a garden seat in their memory.
- ❖ Holy Land Pilgrimage for Peace: departing 9th October with British Airways from London Heathrow, led by Fr. Gianni Sgreva. Price of £1250 includes flights, 8 nights accommodation on half board basis, all guiding, transport and entrance fees. To book please call Jonathan on 020 3289 2627; email: travel@aglowpilgrimages.com; website: www.aglowpilgrimages.com.
- ❖ Mass at Buckfast Abbey for the School of the Annunciation: on the Feast of the Nativity of Our Lady, Monday 8th September 2014, there will be a Mass at 12.00 pm to celebrate the Launch of the School of the Annunciation: Centre for the New Evangelisation at Buckfast Abbey. The Principal Celebrant and preacher will be His Eminence George, Cardinal Pell, member of the Holy Father's Council of Cardinals and Prefect of the Secretariat for the Economy. Cardinal Pell and Bishop Mark O'Toole are co-patrons of the school. I plan to go to this. If anyone is interested in a free lift, please ask.

❖ 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 today.
- ❖ 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?
- ❖ 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.
- ❖ A pleasant, relaxing holiday to you all, and a warm welcome to our visitors.

With my prayers and good wishes,

Fr David

Collections: 10.08.2014: Launceston £170.77 Bude £154.59

Gift Aid: 04.07.2014 – 06.08.2014: Launceston £472 Bude £645

Thank you for your generosity

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Sat 16 th Aug	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Int: Felicity Ware RIP
Sun 17 th Aug	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish
Tues 19 th Aug	Launceston	10.00-12 noon 2.00-4.45 pm 5.00 pm	Church open for prayer Adoration and Benediction Int: Elizabeth Gifford RIP
Wed 20 th Aug	Bude	10.00 am	St. Bernard Int: Les Nagy
Fri 22 nd Aug	Launceston	9.30 am	The Queenship of Our Lady Int: Catherine Simmonds
Sat 23 rd Aug	Launceston	10.00 am	Mass of Our Lady Int: Barry and Chris Murphy Confessions follow the Mass
	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Twenty-first Sunday in OT: Year A Int: People of the Parish
Sun 24 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.