

**CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST CUTHBERT MAYNE,
LAUNCESTON**

**incorporating St Peter's, Bude
and Our Lady of Victories, Callington**



**Week beginning Sunday 14th December 2014
Third Sunday of Advent: Year B
Gaudete - Rejoice**

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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: Geoff Penn, Jim and Joan Dauncey, Diane Loughran, Jenny Williams and Ellen Wakefield.
Holsworthy: Peggy & Grev Raymond-Barker, and Connie Quirk,
Bude: Tony Ennis, Veronica Oke and Jean Pirie.

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

- Paragraph 1718: We all want to live happily; in the whole human race there is no one who does not assent to this proposition, even before it is fully articulated.
- Paragraph 1829: The fruits of charity are joy, peace and mercy.
- Paragraph 420: The victory that Christ won over sin has given us greater blessings than those which sin had taken from us: *'where sin increased, grace abounded all the more'* (Rom 5:20)



Collections: 07.12.2014: Launceston £174.27 Bude £102.45

Gift Aid Donations: 4th November to 4th December 2014:

Launceston £409.00 Bude £520.00

Thank you for your generosity

- ✚ Gala Christmas Concert at the Minstrels Music Centre at Canworthy Water on Thursday 18th December at 7pm. Organised by our musicians, Raymond and Veronica Jones. Tickets at £6 include refreshments.
- ✚ The Catholic Herald has changed its format to become a weekly magazine. If you are interested in subscribing at a reduced rate, see the notice for details.
- ✚ Diocesan Year Book 2015: I have only a few copies left after an unprecedented interest. Still only £2.
- ✚ Do you know anyone who would like to join a Christmas Day Lunch at the Methodist Church Hall at 12.30pm for 1pm? Please let me know a.s.a.p.
- ✚ Retiring collection for Christmas flowers after Mass today. Apologies for short notice.
- ✚ St. Petroc's Society, working for the homeless in Cornwall, needs your help. If you would like to take an envelope and return it with a donation, please do.
- ✚ Safeguarding: A reminder to all applicants or those renewing. When you receive your new or renewed DBS certificate, please remember to send it off to the safeguarding office by recorded delivery where it will be noted and returned to you. Their address is as follows: Safeguarding Office, St Boniface House, Ashburton, Newton Abbott, Devon TQ13 7JL. If there are any problems, I will send it for you. Any expenses will be reimbursed by the parish. Geoff Provis.
- ✚ Pilgrimage to Medjugorje in May 2015. See poster for details or contact Tony Allbright on (01736) 362925, email: tobright@btinternet.com.

Safeguarding Rep: Geoff Provis, tel: 01566 775820

- 👤 A Service in Celebration of Christmas at Buckfast Abbey on Friday 19th December at 7.30pm, in aid of the Primrose Foundation supporting Breast Cancer Care at Derriford Hospital. See poster for details.
- 👤 The next coffee morning in Launceston will be on Tuesday 16th December from 10.30 am. Please join us if you can.

Advance Notices

- ❖ January 2015: BBC antiques programme 'Flog It' is coming to Falmouth on Thursday 15th January for a valuation day. See notice for details.
- ❖ February 2015: "It is the Lord", a weekend with Bishop Mark and Fr. Stephen Wang to explore how as a diocese we might respond to Pope Francis' call to make evangelisation our priority. An exciting moment in the life of our local Church as we anticipate the future with fresh hope. The weekend is open to all, but is especially useful for parish council members, catechists, teachers, parents and anyone who is excited about evangelisation. February 6th-8th, Toorak Hotel, Torquay. For a booking please contact Debbie on 01364 645393 or go to www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/gather2015.
- ❖ March 2015: Flame II, for young adults at Wembley. Minibuses from Falmouth and Truro with pick-ups en route. Price £20 approx. More information available nearer the time. Contact Falmouth parish for details and to let Fr. Jon Bielawski know if you are interested.

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.

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Sat 13 th Dec	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Int: People of the Parish
Sun 14 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 am	Youth Mass Int: our young parishioners
	Callington	5.00 pm	People of the Parish
Tues 16 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 - 12 noon 2.00 – 4.45 pm 5.00 pm	Church open for prayer Adoration and Benediction Int: Franco Niccolini RIP
Wed 17 th Dec	Bude	10.00 am	Int: Sr. Ursula RIP
Thurs 18 th Dec	Launceston	9.30 am 1.30 pm	Int: Evelyn Murphy RIP Burial of Evelyn Murphy RIP
Fri 19 th Dec	Launceston	No Mass at Launceston	
Sat 20 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: housebound parishioners Confessions follow the Mass
	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday 4 th Sunday of Advent: Year B Int: Mollie d'Issa-Boomgardt RIP
Sun 21 st Dec	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish
	Callington	5.00 pm	Int: Michael Kennedy

Times of Christmas Masses

Wednesday 24th December

Vigil Mass of Christmas	6pm	Bude (carols from 5.30pm)
Mass of the Night	9pm	Launceston (preceded by carols)

Thursday 25th December

Mass at Dawn	8.30am	Callington
Mass of the Day	10am	Bude and Launceston