

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

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



**Week beginning Sunday 10th December 2017
Second Sunday of Advent: Year B
Bible Sunday**

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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: Joan Dauncey, Diane Loughran, Ellen Wakefield,
Ivan Reeves, Joanne Graham, Harry Parsons,
Patrick Fitzgerald, Joseph Hickey Geromina Soddy,
Adam Matthews, Hilary Jenkin, Barry and Christine
Murphy, and Carol Harrison

Bude: Daphne Randall, David Batson,
Dorothy Coleman and Angela Mitson

Callington: The Gillett family and Margaret Harcombe

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

Paragraph 120: It was by the apostolic Tradition that the Church discerned which writings are to be included in the list of the sacred books.

Paragraph 136: God is the author of Sacred Scripture because he inspired its human authors; he acts in them and by means of them.

Paragraph 138: The Church accepts and venerates as inspired the 46 books of the Old Testament and the 27 books of the New.

Paragraph 139: The four Gospels occupy a central place because Christ Jesus is their centre.



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: Canon John Deeny: 01392 272815

**For Royal Cornwall Hospital,
Treliske: Margaret Shute 01872 252883
margaretshute@nhs.net**

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.

Safeguarding Reps

Geoff Provis, tel: 01566 775820 (Launceston)

Piri Gallington, tel: 07958 614222 (Callington)

- ❖ Christmas Mass times: Please note that Sunday 24th December is Advent 4. Our three Sunday Masses will be at the usual times.
Sunday 24th December:
 Vigil Mass of Christmas 5pm at Bude
 Night Mass of Christmas 9pm at Launceston
 - Monday 25th December:
 Dawn Mass of Christmas 7.45 am at Callington
 Mass of the Day 10 am at Launceston and Callington
- We owe a debt of thanks to Fr. Kevin. Without his help the above schedule would be impossible.
- ❖ Flowers for Christmas: There will be retiring collections at our churches next Sunday.
 - ❖ 440th anniversary of the martyrdom of St Cuthbert Mayne: I was pleased that several of you were able to be present at Plymouth Cathedral or Buckfast Abbey and hope to get some photos on display soon.
 - ❖ Bude: Thanks to Anne Hammond for providing new tabernacle veils. If anyone would like to donate towards the cost, there is a collecting bowl near the main door.
 - ❖ Launceston: Jonathan Williams has finished restoring the six large candlesticks behind the high altar. Grateful thanks to him.
 - ❖ Confessions: Saturday 16th December. I shall be available from 10.30 – 12 noon at Launceston and on request elsewhere.
 - ❖ The Diocesan Year Books for 2018 are now available at £4. Please put money in the votive candle box.
 - ❖ Bude: Nikki and Peter Ware are collecting Christmas treats and non-perishable larder items (e.g. nice teas/coffee; chutneys and jams; pasta and rice) for the Poor Clare nuns at Lynton. There will be a box at the back of the church to receive these, and of course the people of Launceston and Callington are invited to contribute too. The last day for donations is Saturday 16th December.
 - ❖ Callington and Launceston: A similar collection will be made for the Carmelite nuns of Lanherne Convent. Arrangements will be co-ordinated by Joan Fitzgerald and Val Williams.
 - ❖ Advent Walk with Me: some copies are available. Good spiritual preparation for Christmas. And they are free still!

With my prayers and good wishes,

Fr David

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Sat 9 th Dec	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday Int: the homeless and refugees
Sun 10 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 am	Youth Mass Int: People of the Parish
	Callington	5.00 pm	Int: local Food Banks
Wed 13 th Dec	Bude	10.00 am	St Lucy Int: the Holy Souls
Fri 15 th Dec	Launceston	9.30 am	Int: George Giarchi RIP
Sat 16 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 am 10.30 am	Int: Fr. Francis Hayes RIP Rosary group Confessions follow the Mass
	Bude	5.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday 3 rd Sunday of Advent: Year B Int: Aid to the Church in Need
Sun 17 th Dec	Launceston	10.00 am	Int: People of the Parish
	Callington	5.00 pm	Int: St Petroc's Society

Collections

03.12.2017: Launceston £141.74 Callington £79.58 Bude £126.87

Thank you for your generosity