# Catholic Parish of St Cuthbert Mayne, Launceston incorporating the communities of St Peter's, Bude and Our Lady of Victories, Callington







in manus tuas domine

#### Week beginning 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024 Thirty-Third week in Ordinary Time: Year B

Saturday 16th November First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Sunday 17th November ~ Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: Bishop-Elect Philip

Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: Federico Granitano RIP

Tuesday 19th November

Launceston 7:00pm Holy Mass Int: Holy Souls

Wednesday 20th November

Bude 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Richard McKenna RIP

Launceston 10:00am Funeral Mass Int: Pat Johnston

Thursday 21st November ~ The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Launceston 9:00am Holy Mass Int: For the faithful departed

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November ~ St Cecelia V M (3<sup>rd</sup> Century)

Callington 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Sick & housebound parishioners

Saturday 23rd November

Launceston 9:30am Sacrament of Penance

10:00am Holy Mass Int: Janet Snow RIP

10:30 am Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass Int: Marie Mills RIP

Sunday 24th November ~ Thirty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: Paul Williams RIP



### Pope's Intention for the month of November: For those who have lost a child.

Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.





There will be a retiring collection this weekend for the DEC / CAFOD Middle East Humanitarian Appeal. Donate to the Middle East Humanitarian Appeal to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help local aid workers to give urgent, practical help to families in Lebanon and Gaza, the West Bank and Isreal, and quickly respond to other emergencies around the world.

In Gaza, people are dying of hunger and disease, as well as injuries caused by the conflict. Food and clean water are desperately scarce. Ninety per cent of the population are displaced, and more than 42,000 people have been killed. There is no safe place for people in Gaza to go.

In Lebanon, over 1 million people have had to leave their homes due to the conflict. Shelters are overwhelmed, and hospitals are struggling to treat the thousands of people

#### World day of the Poor:

This Sunday is the Eighth world day of the Poor. In his <u>message for this World Day of the Poor</u>, the Holy Father reiterates that "the poor hold a privileged place in God's heart" and invites everyone to learn to pray for the poor and to pray together with the poor, with humility and trust.

We know that poverty is a significant issue both in the UK and globally. In the week running up to World Day of the Poor, we are all encouraged to pray, reflect and engage in concrete actions against poverty by deepening our encounter with the poor in our communities and considering how we can respond to their needs. We can all take small actions that together make a big difference.



The **Funeral of Pat Johnston** will take place on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November at 10am at St Cuthbert Mayne Church.

The **Funeral of Bridie Kressinger** will take place on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 12 Noon at St Cuthbert Mayne Church.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

**New Sunday Missals:** Can be obtained from CTS. The standard edition is £19.95 https://www.newlectionary.org/#peoplesmissals

**Plaster Board:** We have numerous sheets of unused plaster board in the garage. There is some slight water damage to the bottom of the sheets but if anyone can make use of it and would like it please let Clare know at launceston@prcdtr.org.uk.

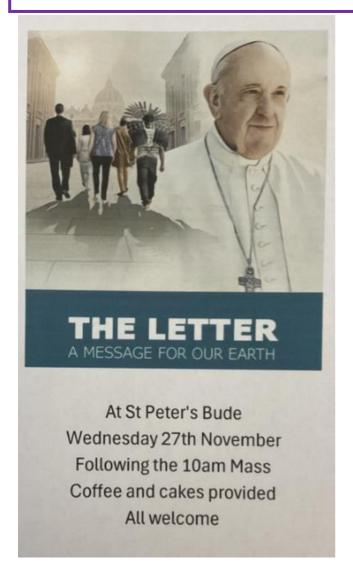
#### **Assisted Dying Bill**

Some serious concerns: Assisted suicide could pressure the most vulnerable, including the elderly and disabled, to end their lives, feeling they are a burden. Legalisation might normalise assisted suicide, shifting it from a right to an expected duty for those who feel burdensome.

Legalisation could undermine palliative care, with lethal injection seen as cheaper and easier than caring for the terminally ill, undermining the UK's leadership in compassionate end-of-life care. Such a law would place medical staff in a morally compromising position, shifting their role from caregivers to participants in ending life. The relationship between medical staff and patients would fundamentally change.

Once legalised, euthanasia laws expand to include more groups, as seen in Canada, where 5% of deaths now result from lethal injection. 'Safeguards' are not to be trusted. For Catholics, human life is sacred and protecting it from conception to natural death is a core belief. While the Church understands the desperation that may lead some to suicide, it holds that life is a gift, and purposely ending it prematurely is a grave act against God and humanity.

**Callington Switching on of Lights Carol Singing**: Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 4.30pm in St Mary's Close by the Christmas Tree. Churches Together will be gathering to sing carols with people from the town. We hope for a strong presence of Christians to sing the carols with gusto this year.





#### Coffee and Tea after Mass:



This takes place after each of our Sunday Masses. It is an opportunity to meet others and build community. **All are welcome** 



The legion of Mary, is a pious organisation in church dedicated to praying the rosary and propagating the gospel welcomes new members to her weekly meetings held every Sunday at 9am in the upper room at St Cuthbert Mayne Launceston

Safeguarding Reps:

Tom O'Sullivan (Bude) Tel: 01288 361984 Stephen Winders (Callington) Tel: 07821532052

#### **Useful Links to Keep in Touch**

Facebook: Catholic Parish of St Cuthbert Mayne

(updates and link to YouTube page) **YouTube:** St Cuthbert Mayne RC Parish (for Masses, reflections, and prayers)

Webpage: http://www.stcuthbertmayne.org.uk/

(newsletters, updates etc)

CARITAS: https://www.caritasplymouth.org.uk/

(information and updates)

Cathedral:

https://www.plymouthcathedral.co.uk/

(Mass and prayers)



**Children's Liturgy** 

Every Sunday at St Cuthbert Mayne Church

Ave Maria Crisis Pregnancy
Support: support line open 7 days a
week between 7.30pm – 9.30pm
Tel: 01752 916076.

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

and especially for:
Jenny Hill, Christina Murphy,
Jason Mather,
Cath Butland, Leah Bennett, Jenny
Potier, Su Paget, Gina Dias, Jane
and Kevin O'Mahoney, Barbara
Daly and Marlene Provis

May the Lord bless them, and all who care for them

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Mass Intentions can still be booked, please contact the parish secretary

Parish Priest: Canon John Deeny

Fr Kevin O'Connell: (Retired Priest, resident in Bude)

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