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A VERY WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS - WE HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR STAY IN CORNWALL

Visitors: you are welcome to join us for refreshments after Mass in Hayle, St Ives and after 9 a.m. Mass in Penzance.

FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (B 1 Psalter 1)

PENZANCE
Sun 8 February
Mass 9.00 a.m. *Margaret & Harry Hogg RIP*
Mass 11.00 a.m. *Jessie O'Brien RIP*

Wed 11 February Our Lady of Lourdes;
Day of Prayer for the Sick and those who care for them
Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m. & Rosary

Fri 13 February
Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m. & Rosary

Sat 14 February St Cyril and St Methodius
Mass 12 noon *Richard Leather RIP*

Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated every Saturday from 11.15 – 11.50 a.m.

ISLES OF SCILLY
Sun 8 February Liturgy & Holy Communion 10.30 a.m.
Mass next Sunday 15th February

ST IVES
Sun 8 February
Mass 9.15 a.m. *Parish & People*

Reconciliation every first Saturday 10 - 10.30
Rosary next will be on Wednesday 18th at 2.10 p.m.
Exposition & Benediction Wednesdays until 11 a.m.

HAYLE 1st Mass of Sunday on Saturday's at 6 p.m.
Sat 7 February
Mass 6.00 p.m. *Donors of Christmas Flowers*

Reconciliation every first Saturday 5.00 – 5.30 p.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Mondays 11-12 noon

N.B. SATURDAY MASS IN PZ 11.30 A.M. IN LENT

Before Mass *Talk to God* **During Mass** *Listen to God* **After Mass** *Talk to each other.*
Switch off *your phone:* ***Switch on*** *your heart and mind:*

St Ives Town Feast Celebrations 8/9 February 2015. Mayor's Parade & Service on Sunday 11.15 a.m. and many events on Monday from 9.30 a.m. See notice board.

St Ives Rose Window Cards: Orders taken in each church These are blank for your own message and only £1

St Ives: Flowers: Jenny would be grateful for volunteers to help with flower arranging. Ring her on 793765

Next Sunday, 15th Choral Evening Prayer & Benediction. Come and spend sometime in preparation for Lent, letting the music calm and sooth you.
Our choir are rehearsing for the busy programme of music that Lent, Holy Week and Easter bring. They do sing such a wide variety of music. One recent motet at Mass was 'O Radiant Dawn' by the modern Scottish Catholic composer James MacMillan. Also 'A Prayer for Unity' by Jenny Orpwood, and this Sunday, 'Ubi Caritas' by Durufle.

Grand Easter Draw: Tickets soon on sale for 1st Prize A beautiful Hand-made Quilt: 2nd Large Easter Egg, plus other Easter Eggs, and other prizes.

Unwanted Gifts: don't throw away, we can use them to stock stalls or raffles for the coming year. Bring them in.

Busy Fingers: will meet this Thursday 12th Feb from 10.30 a.m.. All types of craft and what we can make to sell for parish funds or stock stalls. Please come along with ideas and enthusiasm.

Christine is busy knitting chicks, bunnies and clergy ready for Easter. Gift of cream eggs gratefully received. Early orders can be taken; Easter chicks still @ £1.20p but clergy, rabbits etc @ £1.50p. Ring 362619 or see Chris.

Watch & Pray; we need two volunteers for 3-4 pm. We hope to begin again on Shrove Tuesday, 17th February.

Mass that day will be at 9.30 a.m. as I have a Deanery conference in Newquay at 11.

Shrove Tuesday 17th Gaudete Quiz Night, with pasties and pancakes from 7 pm in the parish Hall. £5. Come, bring your friends and pit your wits against each other.

Lent is the next day: Ash Wednesday 18th Mass in St Ives 9.30 a.m. Hayle 11.30 a.m. Penzance 10 & 7 p.m.

A Lent Leaflet is in preparation as in previous years.
We shall have the usual DVD sessions in the three places during Lent. This year's is a follow up to Catholicism with Fr Robert Barron entitled "Prophet, Priest, King", which explores the identity and mission of the Lord Jesus.

Lent Lunches programme will be in the leaflet, St Ives arrange the lunch on 26th February, Hayle on the 18th March, and Pz on 21st March. Helpers in all places needed.

Bingo in February is next week, 19th. Eyes down 2 p.m.

CAFOD Lent Family Fast Day is Friday 27th. Double Your Impact. Every £1 collected will be worth £2, as every pound you give will be matched by the UK Government. "Speak out on behalf of the voiceless, and for the rights of all who are vulnerable. Speak out in order to judge with righteousness and to defend the needy and the poor." (Proverbs 31: 8-9)

Old School: It is great to see work progressing on the conversion of the Old School into 5 flats, a parish asset that will gives us an income in years to come. Fundraising will always be a necessity with the number of buildings and the maintenance work that, as with any building, never stops. A list of activities looking ahead is available today. Please put the dates in your diary now, and support us as much as you are able. Any ideas or events welcome.

West Cornwall Catenian Group 930 meets this Friday 13th February 2015 at 7.00pm at the Coldstreamer, Gulval. If any Catholic gentleman would like to join us for a convivial meal and short meeting please contact our Chairman Steve Driver on 740646 or Keith Allen 07831 162743, Charles Beeton 731335 or Salvatore Correnti 753749.

2015 Pilgrimages Medjugorje: 16th May, 7 nights flying from Bristol. Details phone Tony on 01736 362925

Flame 2 Catholic Youth Festival: Wembley Arena 7 Mar Tickets are still available for Flame 2, which will be the largest Catholic youth event ever held in the UK. Matt Redman will be leading the music and a range of interesting people will be speaking, including Cardinal Luis Tagle, recently by the side of Pope Francis throughout his visit to the Philippines. The event is open to young people and young adults, Year 10 upwards. For a full programme and booking details, check out http://www.cymfed.org.uk/flame2

The Great Reformer: Francis and the Making of a radical Pope. This new book by Austen Ivereigh has received good reviews in the Catholic press. On Sunday, 1st March there will be a 'meet the author over lunch' in the Catholic Church Hall in TRURO at 1.00 pm (bring a dish to share with others) followed by a talk at 2.00 pm and a book signing. Dr Austen Ivereigh, co-founder and director of the international media project Catholic Voices (www.catholicvoices.org.uk), and a commentator on religious and political affairs, has explored the deep roots of Jorge Mario Bergoglio's reform program. The book draws on many months of research spent there and in Chile and in Rome, as well as his doctoral thesis on the Church in Argentina. A former deputy editor of *The Tablet* before working as public affairs adviser to Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor, he is the author of *How to Defend the Faith Without Raising Your Voice*.

Do keep Pope Francis in your prayers, Isis threat to kill

Food Banks are very grateful for your generosity. **Hayle** needs plenty of anything, in **Pz** Tins of tomatoes, jam, semi skimmed long life milk, fruit juice and sugar welcome.

Women's World Day of Prayer Friday 6th March: In Penzance at High Street Methodist Church 10.30 a.m. and in Hayle at Ventonleague Methodist Church at 2 p.m.

Retreats: Individually guided retreats organised by the Diocesan Ignatian Spiritually group, see notice on board or the leaflet available. Book early, as some fill up soon.

Fr Christopher Delaney OSB Quiet Days at Buckfast
This years theme will be **'A Day with St Benedict'** focussing on *"living life in the workaday world according to the rule of St Benedict"*, and will be held on:- Saturdays 21st February, 9th May, 4th July, & 3rd October 2015.

The Catholic Union of Great Britain since its foundation in 1870 has been the consistent voice of the Catholic Laity striving to promote the common Good in Public life, working with the Bishops' Conference and members of both house of Parliament to ensure that the Catholic viewpoint is heard and understood. They are looking for more members. Information leaflets are available, and visit website www.catholicunion.org.uk

The Catholic Times have sent copies for you to look at. If you wish to order weekly let us know in the office 362619

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for February
Universal: Prisoners: That prisoners, especially the young, may be able to rebuild lives of dignity.
For Evangelisation: **Separated Spouses:** That married people who are separated may find welcome and support in the Christian community.
All our parishioners and young people. Our own sick, housebound & those in Hospitals or Hospice: Ray & Christine Blaker, Lynda Cripps, Christine & Peter Bunt, Mary Wade, Bill Dean, Bev Willis, Margaret Crocker, Bridie Lanxon, Wies Wood, Jennifer Prin, Mary Bench, Leanne Thomas, Tom Dauncey Snr & Jnr, Sheilagh Burlton, Tony Lidiard, Simone Slater, Carmel Brophy, Peter Omand, Jim Scott, Jake B, Michael Loughran, Neil McFadden, Pat French, Con Burke, Colin & Gazelle, Helena & Lorna Sullivan, Jackie Corsi, Alba Bath, Mary Rawley, Andy Wilkins, Anthony Frost, Judith Milton, Pat Drew, Joyce Rogers, John Willday, Mirek, Bernadette Lines, Ian Chapman, Sheila Shepherd Fr. Brian Kenwrick, Lucian & Sue Rowies, John Elliott, Maria Hall, Peter Mackenzie, Martin Smith, Sylvia Thomas, Debs Neave, Julie Wolfie (aged 20, massive stroke) & Aubrey Symons.
For those who have died, esp. and for all who mourn.

Smile Lines: When the Sermons clash with the music…
There was a feud between the priest and the choir director of a church. It seems the first hint of trouble came when the priest preached on 'Dedicating Yourselves to Service' and the choir director chose to sing; 'I shall not be moved'. Trying to believe it was a coincidence, the priest put the incident behind him. The next week he preached on 'Giving'. Afterwards the choir squirmed as the director led them in the hymn 'Jesus Paid It All'. By this time the priest was losing his temper. Sunday morning attendance swelled as the tension between the two built. A large crowd showed up next week to hear his sermon on 'The Sin of Gossiping'. Would you believe the choir director selected to sing 'I Love to Tell The Story'? By now, there was no turning back. The following Sunday the priest told the congregation that unless something changed, he was considering resignation. The entire church gasped when the choir director led them in 'Why not tonight'? Truthfully, no one was surprised when the priest resigned a week later, explaining that Jesus had led him there and Jesus was leading him away. The choir director could not resist: 'What a Friend we have in Jesus'!