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Large Print Newsletter & Hymns: Chairs with arms: are all available on request if you need them

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 5 p.m. Mass in Penzance.

EASTER SUNDAY AND LOW WEEK (C Psalter 2) THE YEAR OF MERCY

The Lord is risen; he is risen indeed, Alleluia. A very Blessed and Happy Easter to you all

PENZANCE

Sun 27 March Easter Sunday

Mass 11.00 a.m. Vincent Walsh RIP

Sat 2 April Second Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy

Mass 5.00 p.m. William Jones RIP

Sun 3 April

Mass 11.00 a.m. Reginald Woodrow RIP

Divine Mercy Devotions and Benediction 2.30 p.m.

Mon 4 April The Annunciation of the Lord (transferred)

Requiem Mass 10.30 a.m. Funeral Thelma Falcon RIP

Tue 5 April

Mass 12.noon (in church) John Willday (ill)

Wed 6 April

Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m. followed by Rosary

Thu 7 April

Requiem Mass 11.30 am Funeral George Goldburn RIP

Fri 8 April

Requiem Mass 10.30 a.m. Funeral Mary Lewis RIP

Sat 9 April Third Sunday of Easter

Mass 5.00 p.m. Vivianne Waters RIP

Sun 10 April

Mass 11.00 a.m. Patrick French RIP

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated every Saturday from 4.15 – 4.45 p.m.

ST IVES

Sun 27 March Easter Sunday

Mass 9.00 a.m. Parish and People

Sun 3 April Second Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy

Mass 9.00 a.m. Parish and People

Wed 6 April

Requiem Mass 12.30 p.m. Funeral Pat Kerswell RIP

Sun 10 April Third Sunday of Easter

Mass 9.00 a.m. Parish and People

Reconciliation, every first Sunday at 8.30 a.m.

HAYLE

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays at 6.30 p.m.

Easter Sunday: NO MASS IN HAYLE

Sat 2 April Second Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy

Mass 6.30 p.m. Kate Felix RIP

Sat 9 April Third Sunday of Easter

Mass 6.30 p.m. Sheila Lockwood RIP

Reconciliation, every second Saturday from 5.45 p.m.

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

Watch and Pray: will resume in a few weeks. From now on **Tuesday Masses will be at 12 noon in church**, which seems to suit people, and Watch and Pray will be also in Church, as many now find the stairs to the Haven Chapel too much.

ISLES OF SCILLY: Easter Sunday: Mass 10.30 a.m.

Low Sunday: 3rd April: Mass 10.30 a.m.

For weekday Masses, see notice board

GOOD NEWS FROM OUR PARISH SCHOOL: The Governors have appointed Mrs Demelza Bolton as our Substantive Catholic Head teacher for September 2016. We look forward to welcoming her and the family later.

CAFOD Fund Raising Evening at Deb's Cottage in Mousehole raised £1850, and amazing amount, and of course with the Governments £1 for £1, it's not far off £4K to go to help the girls in Africa to finish school and have a career, other than drawing water! Many, many thanks to Debs and Peter, their friends and all who went and supported the evening. Lent Fast Day raised £759.

West Cornwall Catenian Group 930 meets on Friday 8th April 2016, at 7.00pm at The Union Hotel, Chapel Street Penzance, TR18 4AE. If any Catholic gentleman would like to join us for a convivial meal and a short meeting, please contact our Chairman Steve Driver on 740646 or Keith Allen 07831 162743, Charles Beeton 731335 or Salvatore Correnti 753749.

The Easter Offering (as Christmas) is for the priest and is his main source of income, along with Mass stipends. Many thanks for your generosity.

Pilgrimages so far for 2016

Start Mary's month of May in Medjugorje, 7 nights, 30th April–7th May flying from Bristol. £539 (sharing) Single room +£126. See Poster or visit www.maryqueenofpeace.info/2016 Call Tony 01736 362925. Booking forms in parish office.

Lourdes with the Diocese, led by Bishop Mark 28 May-3 June, flying from Exeter. £705, fully inclusive. See posters. We have some booking forms in the Office.

Walsingham: Cornish Pilgrimage arranged from here. Cost £425. Dates are 9 – 15 October: Book with Christine. £20 deposit (non returnable) 362619

Wednesday Friendship Club meet this Easter week, 30th when **Beatrice Dyer** will talk on the Friends of the Royal Cornwall Hospital. All welcome 2.30 p.m.

Fifteen Minutes that will change your life. Did you know that there are 1,440 minutes in a day? One percent of all that time is 14 minutes, 25 seconds. What would happen if you made a conscious decision, every day, to exercise your soul by giving roughly 15 minutes of your time over to God? It would change your life. 3 helps: 1. use the Holy Name of Jesus. 2. Breathe the Lord's Prayer, slowly; 3. Call on the Holy Spirit. All good for your soul.

A night out: the next Beetle Drive and Fish and Chip Supper will be on Friday 22nd April from 7 p.m. Games and food £9.50p. Again, all welcome for a fun evening.

200 Club: the past few months draw will take place, as will the grand draw always done in April at the above supper. Another reason to come and join us!

The Tablet: a few week free trial to sell copies of the Tablet. If you want a trial copy let Fr. know a.s.a.p. as weeks pass rapidly!

Gift Aid/Weekly Giving. The envelopes are in the Churches. Gift Aiders take only your named yellow boxes. Ordinary boxes are green, help your self. If you pay tax please consider Gift Aiding, at no cost to yourself, or even give by Standing Order, then speak to Christine, or ask for a form. If you do not pay tax, just take a box of green envelopes for your weekly giving. That regular giving makes such a difference to us.

The Old School: work is cracking on and nearing completion. Flats should soon be available for letting.

CAR PARK: Before that the road into the car park will be closed from Monday 4th until Wednesday 13th to bring in the necessary improved services of gas, water and electric.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY – 3rd April. "Whoever approaches the Fount of Mercy on this day ... will be granted complete remission of sins and punishment" (Jesus to St. Faustina - diary 300). **All are invited! – to Afternoon Prayers, 2.30pm – 3-30pm in Penzance:** Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament, 'Three o'clock Prayer', Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Veneration, Benediction. There will be time for Confession. Refreshments after.

read more: www.penzancecatholicchurch.org/divinemercy

The Divine Mercy message gives us another way of understanding the importance of what the Church has always taught: That God loves us - all of us and He wants us to recognise that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy. It calls us to a deeper understanding of God's love that is available to all, whatever are our sins. We too must show mercy and forgiveness.	Simply remember ABC: Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world. B - Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us. C - Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive.
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The Pope's Prayer Intentions for April

Universal: Small Farmers: That small farmers may receive a just reward for their precious labour.

Evangelisation: African Christians: That Christians in Africa may give witness to love and faith in Jesus Christ amid political-religious conflicts.

All our parishioners and young people, For evangelisation in the parish. Our own sick, housebound & those in Hospitals or Hospice: Ray & Christine Blaker, Lynda Cripps, Mary Dean, Bev Willis, Margaret Crocker, Christine Bunt, Wies Wood, Jennifer Prin, Leanne Thomas, Tom Dauncey Jnr, Tony Lidiard, Simone Slater, Jim Scott, Jake B, Michael Loughran, Colin & Gazelle, Jackie Corsi, Mary Rawley, Andy Wilkins, Judith Milton, Joyce Rogers, Mirek, Sue Rowies, Eileen Nolan, Patricia Martin, Anthony O'Mahony, Christopher Knight, Biddy Finn, Mary Syms, Fr Robbie Low, Eileen Woolmington, Anne Wilson, Maria Verncombe, Aidan Stevens, Neil Mellor, Annie Fowler, Jenny Sullivan, Mark Griffin, baby Hugo, Pauline Jones, Jude Le Grice, Wyn Xenaky & Nick Clatworthy

For the departed, esp. Sheila Pilley, Thelma Falcon, Pat Kerswell, Mary Lewis (Anne Heathcote's mum) & George Goldburn and for all who mourn.

Thelma will be received on Sunday 3rd at 6 p.m.

George will be received into church Wednesday 6th 6pm.

Mary will be received into church on Thursday 7th at 6 p.m.

Sheila will be received in on Sunday 10th and the funeral on Monday 11th at 1 p.m.

Smile Lines: Out West. A Devout cowboy lost his Bible while he was mending fences out on the range. Three weeks later a cow walked up carrying the Bible in his mouth. The cowboy couldn't believe his eyes. He took the book out of the cow's mouth, raised his eyes heavenward, and exclaimed, "It's a miracle!" Not really, "said the cow. "Your name was written inside the cover.

Don't cross the line. There is a line on the ocean where you lose a day after crossing it. There's also a line on all busy roads, where you can lose a lot more if you cross it.