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THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR LADY

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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 St Ives and after 5 p.m. Mass in Penzance.

THIRTY – FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME: (C2 Psalter 2)

THE YEAR OF MERCY

Month of the Holy Souls

Feast of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

PENZANCE 1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays at 5p.m.

Sat 19 November

Mass 5.00 p.m. *Private Intention*

Sun 20 November

Mass 11.00 a.m. with Children's Liturgy
Ada Wilson RIP

Mon 21 November The Presentation of Our Lady

Mass 10.00 a.m. *Ros Andrews RIP*

Tue 22 November St Cecilia

Mass 12 noon *Ursula, Vicky & David*

Wed 23 November

Reception of Sister Mary Philomena Power RIP 6 p.m.
Including Evening Prayer for the Dead and Rosary.

Thu 24 November

Requiem Mass 11.00 a.m. Funeral *Mother Philomena RIP*

Sat 26 November First Sunday of Advent

Mass 5.00 p.m. *Maureen Martin RIP*

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

ISLES OF SCILLY:

20th Sunday: Liturgy & Holy Communion 10.30 a.m.

Before Mass Talk to God **During Mass** Listen to God
After Mass Talk to each other

The Feast of Christ the King this weekend marks the last week of the Liturgical Year, and the end of the Year of Mercy. Of course the Mercy of God continues ever on. A card to take away with you, and there are many more that you might like to give to family, friends or those you know who used to be here, and we no longer see at Mass

ST IVES

Sun 20 November

Mass 9.00 a.m. *Parish and People*

Tue 22 November

Funeral Liturgy 10.30 a.m. *Therese Besaha RIP*

Wed 23 November *Friends of Mulholland Family RIP*

Mass 9.30 a.m.

Reconciliation, every first Sunday at 8.30 a.m.

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

Sat 19 November

Mass 6.30 p.m. *Honora & Patrick Walsh RIP*

Fri 25 November

Mass 10.00 a.m. *Michael Wood RIP*

Switch off your phone: Switch on your heart and mind

Mother Philomena died peacefully last Sunday afternoon after being ill only a few days. I was able to give her the Last Rites.. Very much the end of an era, not only for the Presentation Sisters, of whom she was the first here in 1947 and the last out, as she remarked; but also the last Religious Sister, who have been in the parish with a few short breaks since the foundation in 1843. Her Funeral Requiem Mass will be this Thursday 24th at 11 a.m. and her reception on Wednesday at 6 p.m. This will include Evening Prayer for the Dead, and followed by the Rosary for Mother. May she rest in peace.

Advent begins next Weekend. This is the longest Advent for the next few years, so enjoy it. We have a full four weeks of it. (Next year it is 3 weeks & 1 day)

Morning Prayer and Rosary not again until January.

Christmas Bazaar is next Saturday 26th in St John's Hall, Penzance: from 10 – 2 p.m.

Christine still in need of helpers to cover the stalls. Any cakes and perishables can be brought to the Presbytery on Friday, or on Sat morning to the hall.

Grand Draw tickets stubs are due in by Wednesday.

Red Mission Boxes are due in to be counted in the next few weeks, before Advent begins. Please bring them in for emptying etc, and thanks for your support.

Children's Liturgy: held during the 11 a.m. Mass needs more adult helpers to run it. Resources and support are both available. Please speak to Fr. Philip, Michelle Woodfield or Anthea Smith if you can assist us.

Want to become a Catholic? Want to know more about it or the Faith? Meetings continue on Fridays from 2 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Register your interest by phoning either Fr Philip at the Parish Office 362619 or Bill Smith on 350059.

'**The Art of Dying Well**' is a new website that offers a helping hand to those grappling with issues around death and dying. Based on the Catholic tradition but open to all, it features real-life stories about dealing with the journey through death to eternal life. www.artofdyingwell.org.

There is a prayer card for you to keep.

Hayle Food Bank operates on Sat's 9 – 12noon from the Methodist Church. Christmas Puddings, bring by 1st

Hayle Churches Together Community Carol Service at St Elwyn's on 2nd December 7 p.m. featuring young people of the Area, Refreshments after, and all invited.

The Wednesday Friendship Club will meet for their Christmas Celebrations on Thursday 8th December, at 2 p.m.. Please let Christine or Nora know if you are able to come or not. It helps with catering!

Prayer Group: on Tuesdays through Advent will be running the CaFE DVD based "Gift", a Life in the Spirit course supplemented with the use of the book "**You Will Receive Power**" by Ian Petit OSB (ISBN: 0-232-52090-9) subtitled *The Holy Spirit and His Gifts*.

The December Bingo, is on Thursday, 15th eyes down at 2 p.m. with seasonal eats.

Pilgrimages 2017: Walsingham: 1- 7 October 2017. £50 deposit (non returnable) to Christine, assures your place. You can pay weekly towards the pilgrimage if you wish, speak to Christine.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage: 13th May 2017, fly from Bristol. 7 (14 night option). Spiritual director: Fr. Colin Groombridge. £619 (7 nights) sharing less £120 discount if fully paid by December 2nd. £150 deposit. 14 nights +£217. Single room supplement 1 week £140, 2 weeks tbc. ATOL bonded company. Contact: Tony Allbright tel: 01736 362925 email: tobright@btinternet.com See poster for more details / online at www.maryqueenofpeace.info/2017

Lourdes with Plymouth Diocese 27 May – 2 June 2017 flying from Exeter £779 fully inclusive. The youth also go as part of the diocesan pilgrimage £470. See posters.

Advent Day of Recollection at St Rita's, Honiton on Sat 10th Dec from 10.30 – 4.30. See poster.

Christmas Cards: Religious supporting Mary's Meals are £5.20p for 10 cards. 3 Types: Available to order from Betty King on 438138 Other cards are available in repository.

Children's Christmas Party will be on Saturday, 17th December from 2 – 4 p.m. Please sign the list if coming.

Our Christmas Masses, being a weekend, will be same as usual weekend times plus Mass at Midnight.

Alcohol Awareness Roadshow: in St John's Hall, also this Weds. 23rd Nov. 10 – 12noon Penzance. See poster

West Cornwall Catenian Group 930 meets on Friday 9th December 2016 at 7.00pm at The Longboat Inn, Market Jew Street, Penzance for a convivial meal and a short meeting. If any Catholic gentleman would like to join us please contact our Chairman Steve Driver on 740646 or Keith Allen 07831 162743, or Charles Beeton 731335

Penzance Kernow Carers Service: support for those who care. Next forum in Community Room, St John's Hall this Wednesday, 23rd from 2 – 4 p.m.

Penzance: Sir William Matthews' Pension Fund.

The next election of beneficiaries will take place in January. See blue notice for info and eligibility.

Help Needed. Each year **HCPT Group 507** Joint Services take veterans with disabilities to Lourdes to participate in the International Military Pilgrimage. Without volunteers to help them these ex-service personnel would not make the Pilgrimage. If you would like to help or for further info. please contact Richard 01752 787697.

Help Us to Help Them.

CAFOD World gifts: the true spirit of Christmas giving catalogues are available in all churches for you all.

Parishes for Peace: Concert in St. John's Church Camborne on Friday 2nd December 7.30 p.m. see poster. This is a charity that supports Iraqi Christians held in camps in Jordan. If you cannot go, they would be glad of donations

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for November

Universal: Countries Receiving Refugees: That the countries which take in a great number of displaced persons and refugees may find support for their efforts which show solidarity.

Evangelisation: Collaboration of priests and Laity: That within parishes, priests and lay people may collaborate in service to the community without giving in to the temptation of discouragement. **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, Christine Bunt, 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, Sue Rowies, Eileen Nolan, Patricia Martin, Anthony O'Mahony, Mary Syms, Fr Robbie Low, Anne Wilson, Aidan Stevens, baby Hugo, Jude Le Grice, Wyn Xenaky, Nick Clatworthy Maria Rojas, Kathy & Bob Carr, Diane Russell, Eamon McWilliams, Len Evans, Johann Hicks (Trudy's brother) Tony Noonan, Annie Fowler & Pat Judge (recovering)also for Peggy Harvey and her two adult children esp. Richard, and Fr George Roth.

For those who have died, esp. Mother Philomena, Giovanna Bett, Therese Besaha, and for all who mourn.

Smile Lines: Honest Artist.

The aspiring young artist tried to concentrate on his work, but the attraction he felt for his model finally became irresistible. He threw down his palette, took her in his arms and kissed her. She pushed him away. "So, do you kiss all your models?" she demanded. "I've never kissed a model before," he protested. "Really?" she said, softening. "How many models have there been?" "Four," he replied, "A jug, two apples and a vase."