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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.

THIRTIETH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME: (C2 Psalter 2)

THE YEAR OF MERCY

Month of the Holy Rosary

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

Sat 22 October

Mass 5.00 p.m.

Mary Bench RIP

Sun 23 October

Mass 11.00 a.m. with Children's Liturgy

Dec'd of Crowe Family

Mon 24 October

Mass 10.00 a.m.

Peter Bunt RIP

Tue 25 October

Mass 12 noon

Margaret Guard

Wed 26 October

Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m. followed by The Rosary

Thu 27 October

Requiem Mass 11.00 a.m. Funeral *Rosamond Andrews RIP*

Fri 28 October

Morning Prayer 10.00 a.m. followed by The Rosary

Sat 29 October

Mass 5.00 p.m.

Nigel Waters RIP

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

ISLES OF SCILLY:

Liturgy this Sunday 10.30 a.m. Watch notice Board.

World Mission Sunday is this weekend. Today The Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a collection for Missio, his official charity for overseas mission. This day unites Catholics all over the world in prayer, celebration and care for the mission of the Church. This year you will be directly helping missionaries in Rwanda and around the world to help heal the broken hearted. Gift Aid envelopes are provided. Thank you.

ST IVES

Sun 23 October

Mass 9.00 a.m.

Parish and People

Wed 26 October

Mass 9.30 a.m.

Joe & Vicky Dwornik

Reconciliation, every first Sunday at 8.30 a.m.

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

Sat 22 October

Mass 6.30 p.m.

Lil Walton RIP

Fri 28 October St Simon and St Jude

Mass 10.00 a.m.

Michael Wood 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*

Bishop Mark will be with us next weekend for his first official visitation of our parish. He will be at all Masses, with the suggestion that those who wish to meet at the 5 p.m. come from 4.30 p.m. as we will need to get to Hayle for 6.30. There will be some time after Hayle to chat, as at St Ives (briefly). After the 11 Mass there will be a buffet lunch esp. to meet with the Evangelisation group, but all are welcome. **We need to know how many will come to lunch for catering purposes, so if you are coming sign the lists today!** At the end of 11 Mass there will be a very brief blessing of a stone to mark the conversion of the Old School into apartments. Lunch will then follow.

CAFOD Family Harvest Fast Friday. Thank you for envelopes already returned. If you still have not done so please fill and bring in as soon as possible. So far the total stands at £586.40p

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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? The next enquirer's will continue after half term on Friday 11th 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.

First Holy Communion: Is your child in Year 3? If you and your child would like to be prepared for the sacraments of 1st reconciliation and 1st Holy Communion, please let Fr Philip or Helen Curnow (332735) or your teacher in our parish school know and we can make preparations.

Samaritan's Purse Shoe Boxes This year are to be in by 13th November. Bring to our church by that date or before. Donation remains the same at £3. Any queries to Joan Griffin 798979. Thank you for your support

The Lampedusa Cross was made from pieces of a boat wrecked off the coast of the Italian Island of Lampedusa. The first cross was made from a boat which 311 Eritrean and Somali refugees were drowned making their way from Libya to Europe. The community on the island helped save the lives of 155 others. In Lampedusa's church, Francesco Tuccio, the island's carpenter, met some of the survivors who were Eritrean Christians. Moved by their situation, he used his skills to make each of them a cross from the wreckage as both a reflection of their salvation from the sea and also as a powerful symbol of hope for their future. A similar cross was made for Pope Francis, who carried it at a memorial service for those who had perished. For the Year of Mercy, Mr Tuccio made the cross we have in the Plymouth diocese. It is hoped to hold a Lampedusa pilgrimage in Plymouth on 19 November to bear witness to the dangerous journeys and many uncertainties migrants and refugees face today and to remind us of the power of our own acts of love, mercy and hope. Fuller details later.

Romero Lecture: Fr. Rodolfo Cardenal is a Central American Jesuit who is Director of the Monsenor Romero Centre at the UCA, the Jesuit University in El Salvador. He is a surviving colleague of the six Jesuit martyrs killed on that university campus in 1989 at the height of Salvador's civil war. He is a historian and has written the biography of his Jesuit colleague, Fr Rutilio Grande, assassinated in March 1977, and now on the road to beatification. He will be the guest of the Archbishop Romero Trust in Britain and will be hosted by Bishop Mark at Plymouth Cathedral on 31st October at 7 p.m. when he will talk about Blessed Oscar Romero, Fr Rutilio and the call to give our lives in proclaiming the Good News. All welcome.

'Sunrise' The Picture Raffle. Thanks very much for your great support, which raised £976. Wonderful. Thanks to Colin for his painting. The winner was a visitor from Alsager, Barry Knapper, The Quiz Night raised £201.

Wednesday Friendship Club will meet this week at 2.30 p.m. when our speaker will be Mary Galbraith "Keep on playing." All welcome.

October Bingo will be this Thursday, eyes down at 2 p.m.

Russian Choir from St Petersburg: another wonderful evening last Monday, and as I hinted they so love coming to Cornwall and singing in the lovely acoustic of our church. Next visit is booked for Friday, 20th October 2017. Put the date in your next year's diary. Very many thanks to the parishioners who gave B & B to the singers.

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Catenian Appeal for members will be made by members of West Cornwall circle this weekend at all Masses.

Ask your MP to take a Pro-life Pledge. The 50th Anniversary of the passing of the Abortion Act takes place on 27th October 2017 Help send a message to MPs that every life is sacred and deserving of legal protection. Since the Act was passed 8.7 million unborn children have been killed and countless women have been hurt by abortion. Postcards to send to SPUC are all available and will be presented to the MP at the House of Commons.

Walsingham: A very happy, prayerful and fruitful pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Walsingham. There was deep shock when we said it was our last Cornish Visit. All the priests and helpers at the Shrine, plus the staff in Elmham House and parishioners of their parish begged us to go again, so a week has provisionally been booked for 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. All parishioners of Holy Family Parish were well prayed for, and candles lit for you at the Shrine.

Prayer Group will start again on Tuesday November 8th at 7.30pm when we will discuss the merits/success of "**The Big Picture**". What did you find useful? Were there areas of weakness? Has it impacted your life and how? What could we as a group have done better/differently? From Tuesday November 15th and through Advent we 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*.

Christmas Cards: Religious (the only sort we ought to send) supporting Mary's Meals are £5.20p for 10 cards. 3 Types: Available to order from Betty King on 438138

The Pope's Prayer Intentions for October.

Universal: Journalists: That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics.

Evangelisation: World Mission Day: That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

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, baby Violet 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 Carr, Diane Russell, Eamon McWilliams, Len Evans & Tony Noonan, also for Peggy Harvey and her two adult children esp. Richard, For those who have died, Rosamond Andrews, (who will be received into church on Wednesday at 6 p.m.) and for all who mourn.

Smile Lines: Timber: A man with a nagging secret couldn't keep it any longer. In the confessional he admitted that for years he had been stealing building supplies from the timber yard where he worked. He told the priest he had taken enough to build his son's house, a cottage for his daughter and a summer house for his wife. "This is very serious" said the priest. "I shall have to think of a far-reaching confession, Have you ever done a retreat?" "No, Father, I haven't, but if you get me some plans I'll get the timber."