



# ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

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## THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR LADY

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## OUR LADY, STAR OF THE SEA

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[www.st-marys-rc-pz.cornwall.sch.uk](http://www.st-marys-rc-pz.cornwall.sch.uk) Miss Nicky Teixeira

## THE SACRED HEART AND ST. IA

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**Safeguarding:** Contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Office on 01364 645430 or go via the Parish Office 01736 362619

## FIFTH WEEK OF LENT (Year C Psalter 1)

### PENZANCE

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sundays on Saturday at 5.00 p.m.  
**Sat 2 April** **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 5.00 p.m. *Private Intention*

**Sun 3 April**  
Mass 11.00 a.m. *Reginald Woodrow RIP*

**Mon 4 April**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. *Bob Bourne RIP*

**Thu 7 April**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. *Victoria and John West RIP*  
**Lent Penitential** after Mass and also from 6.45 – 7.20 p.m.

**Fri 8 April**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. *Sister Augustine RIP*

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sundays on Saturday at 5.00 p.m.  
**Sat 9 April** **PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION**  
Mass 5.00 p.m. *Dana & Cameron married today*

**Sun 10 April**  
Mass 11.00 a.m. *Elisa Maria (Weis) Wood RIP*

### HAYLE

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.  
**Sat 2 April** **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 6.30 p.m. *Camille & Steve 50<sup>th</sup> Anniv.*

**Tue 5 April**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. *Gerry Hawkins RIP*

**Fri 8 April**  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Stations 11a.m.

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.  
**Sat 9 April** **PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION**  
Mass 6.30 p.m. *Len and Sheila Lockwood RIP*

### ISLES OF SCILLY

**Sun 3 April Mass 10.30 a.m.**

We welcome Bishop Christopher back to Scilly.  
For Masses/events see notice board.

### ST IVES

**Sun 3 April** **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 9.00 a.m. *Parish and People*

**Wed 6 April**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. followed by Stations of the Cross  
*Private Intention*

**Sat 9 April**  
**Wedding Liturgy 12noon**  
*Dana Wheat & Cameron McHardy*

**Sun 10 April** **PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION**  
Mass 9.00 a.m. *Parish and People*

### **Reconciliation/Confessions**

**Penzance:** Saturdays from 4.15- 4.45 p.m. **St Ives** Sunday before Mass 8.30 a.m. or Wednesdays. **Hayle** after 6.30 p.m. Mass or Tuesdays before Mass or by appointment

**The Lent Penitential time for Confession is THIS Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> after 10 a.m. Mass** and also from 6.45 until 7.20 p.m. As ever also by appointment.

**Maunder Thursday.** The 'Foot washing' can be restored this year. Only instruction is the priest must wear a face shield. I need to know the views of those who would come forward for this action, if you wish it to take place. We ought to have the usual 12 people coming forward. Please let me know.

**Polish Blessing of Easter Food 12 noon 16<sup>th</sup> April**  
**Poswiecenie pokarmow**, Pragniemy poinformowac, ze w Wielka Sobote, tj 16 kwietnia w kosciole katolickim w Penzance, o godzinie 12 w poludnie odbędzie sie poswiecenie pokarmow. Wszystkich zainteresowanych serdecznie zapraszamy.

**CAFOD:** It was good to have Simon Giarchi with us recently, and his great affirmation of what we/they try to do all around the world to help devastated communities. Do let friends and people you meet know the support we give via CAFOD to all this and especially Ukraine. A meeting of those interested in forming a CAFOD parish group will be arranged after Easter. **Lent Family Fast Day £943**, which with some gift aid should take it over £1k. **Ukraine, so far £150**  
This of course will be on-going for the time being.

## The Pope's Prayer Intention for April

**For health care workers:** who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments & local communities

Remember the people of Ukraine in these dark days for their country: for a restoration of peace and for the conversion of hearts of those focused on war, so that democracy and peaceful coexistence are fully established soon.

For all our parishioners: For our children and young people preparing for First Reconciliation and Holy Communion, Amelia, Austin, Brogan, Charlotte, Dominykas, Emilia, Lani-Rose, Lukas, Nikko, Olivia, Oskar, Saoirse, Sebastian for parents Confirmation: Emily, Oliver & Alexander & RCIA

For all across the world still caught up in Covid, and natural disaster, and for NHS & all emergency and vital workers.

The sick in Hospitals or Hospice: Bishop Christopher, Ray & Christine Blaker, Tom Dauncey Jnr, Jackie Corsi, Sue Rowies, Hugo, Caroline Schofield, Grace Bailey, Fr. Richard Finn O.P. Jean & Roy Mulholland, Patsy & John Stevens, John Chamberlain, Christine Knowles, Sheila Devey. Maria Hall, Basil Carey, Liesel Young, Basil & Helen Perry, Nicolette Parker, Poppy, Barbara Hanik, Jerzy Giergielewicz, Patricia Martin, Noah, Frank Meszaros, Bradley Williams, Myran, Elliot Smith (10) Judith Lawrence, Daniel Williams, Anne White, Peta Yeo, Mary & Patrick Ansell, Barbara Maseyk, Adrian Franke, Eleanor Greaves, Eileen Woolmington, Lucy James, Kimberley Bamborough, Andy Brooks, Fiona Cosgrove, & Fr David.

For those who have died, Judy Ollis, Andrew Watts, Sister Augustine (Falmouth) Sr. Sally (Sclerder) and comfort for all who mourn

**For Sale: Easter chicks, clergy,** Bunnies and Cornish Character Chicks are £1.60 others £1.20p. Place your orders **now** for clergy, character chicks & rabbits.

**Easter Cards:** Some home-made, and some from CBC are available. On sale in Penzance, and please ask if you want some elsewhere in the parish.

**From Fr. David: new booklet on St Piran.** If you would like to buy a copy, I'm asking for a donation of at least £5 which will be given to our church building fund.

**COVID-19 Route Map Step 4 Guidance: Wisely we continue cautiously to get back to 'normal.'** The Virus is still very much alive and active in our area, so please still keep in mind **HANDS-FACE-SPACE**

The Guideline for churches say that **Masks/ Face coverings are encouraged.** If you are kneeling please do make sure that you are not breathing down anyone's neck. Holy Water stoups can be refilled. Please use after sanitising hands. **Offertory collections can start again.**

**Join the SVP (Society of St Vincent de Paul)** who help people in need. Currently members in the Holy Family Parish are providing companionship for those who are isolated in their homes. Members are also active in the local food banks. Contact Fr Philip or Francis McWilliams 07805249970 **If any lonely person in our parish** would like an SVP visit please ask Fr P or Francis McWilliams

**Penzance Music and Arts Festival week 15 – 22 May.**

It is good to be able to resume the biennial festival, after that last in 2018. **Evening Concerts at 7.30** include: The James Hook Players: David Saint; organ recital: The Gwenton Trio: The Gesualdo Six; the Heinichen Ensemble and Mousehole Male Voice Choir. **Day time morning events** at 10.30: Food waste & landfill? Lynne Dyer: "Saints and Sinner's": Anne Shipman's book. Our Parish School: What is Terracycling and upcycling about? Climate Change, with Humphry Davy School, and 'Hope for the future' World Prayer Day follow up. More details later.

## SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE

Caritas Plymouth's mission is to focus on our local community and we are working closely with our sister and Caritas agency CAFOD, who have launched a fundraising campaign and will ensure donations reach those on the ground. To make a donation to support those affected by the conflict please visit [Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal | CAFOD](#) The situation in terms of welcoming people to the UK is changing very rapidly. The Diocese of Plymouth website now has a page about how people can respond to the crisis. <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/ukrainecrisis/>. The website has links to the new Homes for Ukraine hosting scheme and will be updated regularly as more information becomes available.

**The Universe Catholic Weekly** is glad to announce that they have launched their new online newspaper.

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### **Synodal Journey 'Walking Together' update**

Thank you to all of you able to make your views known in person in the groups, online or by post to the Diocese.

The next step is that the 'synthesis' of all the replies and thoughts needs to be with the Bishops' Conference by 8<sup>th</sup> April. This synthesis will be made available electronically and online along with a letter from Bishop Mark. 60 'in person' groups participated in the Diocese, along with about 1,000 replies. An outreach worker was working with marginal groups to find out their views too. Several themes are emerging. Many parishes are continuing to meet and talk to each other, also incorporating Bishop Mark's document 'A Precious Place of God's Grace' about the future for our parishes in the Diocese (may be found online if you have not yet seen it). There will be discussion materials with the synthesis report The Diocese hopes to develop a way for parishes to share ideas, resources, and good practice online. Once our parish is back running and with premises to meet up, we hope to continue the talking and sharing process. A 2 sides of A4 sheet is available.

**Praying the Hours: The Divine Office:** Vatican II made the Liturgy of the Hours accessible to all the baptised. In recent times new ways of praying the Hours have been given to us through digital resources. A conversation between Fr. Adrian Graffy, Sister Anne Spilberg and Fr Gerard Bradley provides a gentle introduction to this ancient Prayer of the Church, with its roots in the prayer of Jesus and in Jewish practice, which has been given new life in our present times. To access the conversation go to [www.whatgoodnews.org](http://www.whatgoodnews.org)

**Trustees for Diocese: Bishop Mark writes:** We seek to appoint new Trustees to serve on the Board of Plymouth Diocesan Trust, the charity of the Diocese, to replace some of the existing lay Trustees whose terms of service are coming to an end. Candidates must be practicing Catholics and with skills and experience from the following:

1. Safeguarding of Children and vulnerable adults
2. Communication, media and promotions, including digital and social media
3. Human Resources Management
4. Investment Portfolio and Funds Management
5. Corporate/Charity Accounting and Finance.

We are aiming to increase diversity within our Board structure. Applications are encouraged from women and from Black, Asian and other ethnic communities, as these groups are currently underrepresented. If you are interested in becoming a Trustee of the Diocese, or would like more information about the role, please contact Jan Holton by email [jan.holton@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:jan.holton@prcdtr.org.uk) or phone 01364 645383