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

## SECOND WEEK OF LENT (B Psalter 2)

### PENZANCE

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5.00 p.m.  
**Sat 24 February SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 5.00 p.m. Parish and People

**Sun 25 February** with Children's Liturgy  
**Solemn Mass 11.00 a.m.** Margaret Woolcock (op)

**Mon 26 February**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Frank Carroll RIP

**Thu 29 February**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Fr. John Smethurst RIP

**Fri 1 March St David Patron of Wales**  
**Mass 9.00 a.m.** Margaret Coban RIP  
**World Day of Prayer 10.00 a.m.**

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5.00 p.m.  
**Sat 2 March THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 5.00 p.m. Ann Hobbs (ill)

**Sun 3 March** with Childrens' Liturgy  
**Solemn Mass 11.00 a.m.** Ethel Warke 101 b'day.

**Mon 4 March** St Casimir  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Timothy Knight RIP

**Thu 7 March** St Perpetua and St Felicity  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Sister Bernard RIP

**Fri 8 March** St John of God  
Mass 10.00 Donal Convery RIP  
**Stations of the Cross following Mass**

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5.00 p.m.  
**Sat 9 March FOURTH (LAETARE) SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 5.00 p.m. Beatrice and Ben DeLord RIP

**Sun 10 March** with Children's Liturgy  
**Solemn Mass 11.00 a.m.** Genevieve Chojnacka RIP

### HAYLE

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.  
**Sat 24 February SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 6.30 p.m. Mia Perren RIP

**Tue 27 February**  
**Celebration of the Word 10.00 a.m.**

**Fri 1 March Stations of the Cross 11 a.m.**  
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.30 a.m.**

1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.  
**Sat 2 March THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 6.30 p.m. Richard Button (ill)

**Tue 5 March St Piran**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Sue Jenkin & Joe Boyle (ill)

**Fri 8 March Stations of the Cross 11 a.m.**  
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.30 a.m.**

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**Sat 9 March FOURTH (LAETARE) SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 5.30 p.m. Parish and People

### ST IVES

**Sun 25 February SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 9.00 a.m. Jennifer Ann Thomas RIP

**Wed 28 February**  
**Celebration of the Word 10.00 a.m.**

**Fri 1 March Stations of the Cross 10.30 a.m.**  
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 9.30 a.m.**

**Sun 3 March THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**  
Mass 9.00 a.m. Parish and People

**Wed 6 March**  
Mass 10.00 a.m. Marie Jarvis RIP

**Fri 8 March Stations of the Cross 10.30 a.m.**  
**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 9.30 a.m.**

## **ISLES OF SCILLY**

**Sundays: Liturgy and Holy Communion 10.30 a.m. as announced.** Other events etc. see notice board.

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***I'm sure you all know 'I don't do ill' except when I have to. You no doubt noticed a jaundice colour recently, which needs a stent to unblock, but underlying it is not good news. Once stent is fitted this Tuesday, I then have to see a specialist. This may mean weekday Mass may have to be cancelled at short notice.***

***Do however keep coming, as a Celebration of the Word will take place. This means worship can continue daily. Prayers as ever for us all.***

### **Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for February**

**For the terminally ill:** that the sick who are in the final stages of life, and their families, receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment

For peace and justice throughout the world and an end to all war. For all anywhere caught up in natural disaster. For our diocese and the choice of a new bishop

The sick in Hospitals or Hospice:, Ray & Christine Blaker, Tom Dauncey Jnr, Jackie Corsi, Sue Rowies, Hugo, Caroline Schofield, Grace Bailey, Fr. Richard Finn O.P Patsy & John Stevens, John Chamberlain, Sheila Devey, Basil & Helen Perry, Poppy, Barbara Hanik, Patricia Martin, Noah, Frank Meszaros, Elliot Smith, Judith Lawrence, Daniel Williams, Mary & Patrick Ansell, Barbara Maseyk., Eleanor Greaves, Eileen Woolmington, Lucy James, Louis Carter, Patrick O'Dwyer, Joyce Sanderson, Molly Salter, Francis Malone-Lee, Ian Tomlinson, Pat Crellin, Nicky & Molly McFadden, Michael Greene, Maria Hall, Godfrey Chapell, Terry Bassett, Mary Hall, Denys Wood, Arthur Seymour, Tony McWilliams, Phil, Jean Ward, Mick Hanley, Rolfe Wilson, Dean Mooney, Pam Szlichta.

For those who have died, Mia Perren, Deacon John Connors and comfort for all who mourn.

**Mia's Funeral Requiem Mass** is Monday 11 March 12noon

**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 any time by appointment.**

**During Lent Alleluia is forbidden at all Masses and Liturgies from Ash Wednesday until the Easter Vigil.** No exceptions! The normal daily sung Gospel acclamation is **Praise to you O Christ, king of eternal glory.**

**The Lent Leaflet** is available which has details of the Lent Study Course we have been asked to take part in **'We dare to say.'** Stations of the Cross in our churches on Friday's. Times of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Hayle & St Ives, and dates for Hunger Lunches in Penzance, which I hope you will support as you can.

### **CAFOD IN LENT: Family Fast day was Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb.**

**'James risks LOSING everything to feed his family'** Your donations will help hardworking people like James the fisherman with resources, tools and training to feed their families for good. The usual envelopes are available.

**CAFOD: THE BIG WALK: 200 KM** Challenge yourself and take on the walk. You have 40 days to walk which means 5KM per day. Parishioner Tina Morgan is happy to walk daily, and you are welcome to sponsor her. Otherwise, if you wish to walk <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/>

### **Caritas Lent: 'Faith without works is dead' James 2:14**

During this Lent, Caritas challenges YOU to keep it simple and do little acts each week that will make a positive difference in the lives of those around you. We are also

reminded by the Bishop's Conference, to observe the abstinence of meat on Friday to mark the weekly day of penance. Those who do not eat meat, should give up a different food that they usually eat. We have created suggestions for each week of Lent. How many of these actions can you complete?

**Lent: Week 2** Give up a small luxury during Lent and use the money you save to help others. Pray for those around the world, particularly refugees, who are making a fresh start. Observe meat free Friday.

**We dare to say' – a Lenten Course on the Our Father** the Bishops' Conference have created a Lenten Course for our use. It comes in the form of a booklet and it is a substantial work which I hope you will find most useful. Groups can meet as in previous years:

**Hayle: Tuesdays after 10 am Mass** in St J's Hall.

**Penzance: Thursdays 10.30 after Mass & 7.30 pm.**

**Pope Francis** has asked all Catholics to make 2024 a year of prayer in preparation for the Holy Year of 2025. Do join one of the groups if at all possible.

**The Knitting Factory remains open and busy, so** please place your orders **NOW** for **clergy, chicks, rabbits & Cornish various characters.** Chicks £1.50 Clergy etc £2 **Crème eggs are already in the shops. Egg donations most welcome.** Just bring to churches, to get to Christine.

**(Women's) World Day of Prayer: Fri. 1<sup>st</sup> March 10 a.m. in our church in Penzance.**

*'I beg you....bear with one another in love.'*

**Prepared by the women of Palestine:** All welcome, refreshments follow.

**Hayle's is in their Methodist Church at 6 p.m.**

**Gaudete Quiz night raised £207 after costs. Well done.**

Thanks to all those who pit their wits, and other helpers.

**Gaudete Cake Stall after Masses in Penzance on 10<sup>th</sup> Laetare (Mothering) Sunday. Cakes welcomed.**

**Social Afternoon Tea that same day: Mothering Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 3-4pm** All welcome for Tea & cakes and chat that afternoon. You could always buy a cake after Mass and come and share with us at teatime!

**Right to Life:** Please support an amendment to reduce our abortion law from 24 weeks to 22 weeks. Babies born prematurely at 22 weeks are thriving and there is a contradiction in our abortion law. Collect a post card today and post to your MP in support of the amendment. Derek Thomas MP ours does support us on this. Postal Address: House of Commons London SW1A 0AA Or of course the local office in Wharfside, Penzance. There are some cards for those who missed them.

### **Missio National Novena to St Joseph. 10-18 March.**

Each year the Mill Hill Community prepares for St Joseph's feast day with a Novena of Masses and prayers. It is a wonderful way for Red Box supporters to pray for each other. You can join in at home or link to website [Millhillmissionaries.com/novena](http://Millhillmissionaries.com/novena).

**National Gardens Scheme** have, with the **Queens' Jubilee Fund** been very generous to our garden scheme here in Penzance. Their catalogue of Gardens open for charity in Cornwall 2024 is out and copies are available in our churches. Do take a copy and support them.

**Those doing Safeguarding Training:** Create your own password. <https://training.catholicsafeguarding.org.uk/> It is just the one module, select and complete Level 3 and you can start it and stop and carry on from that point.

It can be completed in one go or in small bursts!