

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

Lower Strand, St Mary's, Isles of Scilly. TR21 OPS:

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THE SACRED HEART AND ST. IA

Tregenna Hill, St. Ives, TR26 1SE.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER

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

SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (B1 Psaiter 1)

YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

MONTH OF THE ASSUMPTION

PENZANCE

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5 p.m. SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN O.T. Sat 24 July

Mass 5.00 p.m. Robert and Ann Hollow RIP

Sun 25 July

11.00 a.m. Mary Kenny RIP Mass

St Joachim and St Anne Mon 26 July

Private Mass 8. 30 a.m. Grandparents (living or RIP)

St Martha Thu 29 July

10.00 a.m. Holy Souls Mass

Fri 30 July St Germanus of Auxerre

Debs Neave (60th B'day) Private Mass 8.30 a.m.

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

Sat 31 July **EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN O.T.**

Mass 5.00 p.m. Aidas Bucnis RIP

Sun 1 August

Parish and People Mass 11.00 a.m.

Mon 2 August

Requiem Mass 10. 30 a.m. Funeral Bob Bourne RIP

HAYLE

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

SEVENTÉENTH SUNDAY IN O.T. Sat 24 July (St Charbel Makhlouf)

6.30 p.m. The Makhlouf Family Mass

Tue 27 July

Mass 10.00 a.m. followed by Exposition

Alice Sharman RIP

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

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN O.T. Sat 31 July

6.30 p.m. Michael Wood RIP Mass

ST IVES

Sun 25 July SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN O.T.

Mass 9.00 a.m. Parish and People

Wed 28 July

Florence Tobin RIP 10.00 a.m. Mass

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN O.T. Sun 1 August

Mass 9.00 a.m. Kelly Egan RIP

ISLES OF SCILLY:

Sun 25 July **10.30 a.m.** Liturgy and Holy Communion Sun 1 August 10.30 a.m. Mass, as we welcome once again Fr. Daniel Palmer.

Mass should be able to be offered every Sunday until 26th September, with other visiting priests. Alleluia.

For other Masses/events during this time see notice board.

The Pope's **Prayer** Intention for Evangelisation: For the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit that grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

For all our parishioners: For evangelisation in the parish. For all across the world caught up in Corona virus, and NHS & all emergency and vital workers and services. in Hospitals or Hospice: Bishop Christopher, Ray & Christine Blaker, Christine Bunt, 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. Eileen Carson, Tony King, Len & Maria Hall, Margaret & Norman Woolcock, Basil Carey, Liesel Young, Agnes Boggis, Claire Docksey, Basil Perry, Nicolette Parker, Ann Nash, Muriel Gadd, Marian Thomas, Monica & Jack McFadden & family, Poppy, Barbara Hanik, Jerzy GiergielewicAz, Fr John Webb, Maeve O'Neill, Patricia Martin, Noah, Frank Meszaros, Bradley Williams, Vakaris Kazlauskas (9) Myran, Elliot Smith (10) with a cancer & all lonely in the pandemic. For all who have died, Fred Orpwood, Joan Dauncey, Bob

Bourne, Mike Dann, Gordon Tredinnick, David Knight, Brigid Weeks, Cynthia Hardern, and for all who mourn.

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

Pope Francis inaugurates a World Day of Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly. This year it is the weekend 24/25 July, linked to St Joachim & St Anne, grandparents of Jesus. The Catholic Grandparents Association have no agenda they simply want the best for their grandchildren. They want them to be good decent human beings, to know the difference between right and wrong, able to make good moral decisions, and if they go astray along the way, to be able to find their way back to a loving family. www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org

Fr Matt Blake will give a virtual and non-residential retreat from Kensington from Monday 26 to Friday 30 July. He will give two talks in the Church each day, which will be live-streamed and also available live and recorded on YouTube. This will allow anyone to create their own retreat by watching remotely. The talks can be found by http://www.carmelitechurch.org or searching for Kensington Carmelite Church on Youtube. Fr Matt's talks at 10am & repeated at 8pm

A God Who Speaks Through Creation

This on-line event was attended by around 50 people from our In his talk, Bishop Mark O'Toole spoke about promoting reflection and discussion regarding the Diocesan Environmental Policy. He said that whatever the Church does in response to the climate crisis, she is seeking to draw people closer to God. He urged us to first pray and study Scripture in order to both deepen our encounter with the Lord, before embarking on the right action. Sister Margaret Atkins spoke eloquently about our response to creation affecting how we read Scripture. She urged us to contemplate the beauty and wonder of God's earth and to draw on spiritual strength through faith and prayer, so that we may work together as a Church community to help tackle climate change. Sr. Margaret has recently written a CTS booklet entitled "Catholics and our Common Home", an insightful and encouraging read.

Walsingham Cornish Pilgrimage: we hope to be able to go from Sunday 3rd – Saturday 9th October 2021. Inclusive cost is £536; payable in advance, or by instalments. *An initial £50 deposit is required to secure the booking, (which is non-returnable)* This includes travel, accommodation, and most meals (Lunch on days out are not included)

Cheques to be made payable to Walsingham Pilgrimage, and bookings please telephone Christine on 01736 369921

Holiday Time: Summer Reading:

Penzance parishioner Teresa Hunter has published her latest novel **Take A Thousand Cuts**, a page-turning thriller, covering topics explored at the recent G7 meeting such as global greed, financial collapse and human rights abuses in Hong Kong and China. It starts and ends in West Cornwall. Teresa is donating the profits from any copies sold through the parish to parish funds. The paperback costs £9.99. For more information email Teresa Hunter@btinternet.com or call 01736 761158.

Recycling: Pens of all sorts at Rymans stores.

Handmade cards for all occasions, plus usual Mass cards from CBC all available in Penzance. See table in church. If other churches would like some let me know.

Caritas Plymouth July Newsletter see diocese website or e-mail caritas@prcdtr.org.uk

COVID-19 Route Map Step 4 Guidance: 12 pages awaited my return, which will take some time to digest, and as we know or should be aware, life is still very uncertain. Proceed with caution. The main principle is that each parish should consider the prevailing local conditions, and with many visitors expected we should remain very much as we have been for the past few months. Many have expressed to me 'please keep us safe.' Indeed, so care has to be taken to ensure everyone is and feels, safe, so please may we continue with

HANDS – FACE – SPACE. A little relaxation maybe but do be aware of the feelings of others.

Recommended Key Mitigating Actions against Virus transmission in Churches which should continue for the time being:

- Sanitising hands on entry
- 2. Ensuring people wear face coverings properly
- 3. Ventilation where ever possible
- 4. Good routine cleaning after Mass
- 5. Track and trace record

Let us see how local conditions go on in the next few weeks.

North Aisle Building Works: It was great coming back to realise the work is progressing so well, as you can see. The roof is on. The latest big change in the church, covered by the plastic on the left, north side, is that after 178 years the temporary infill walls to the arches have gone! All now between us and the new build is the plastic sheeting, and thin boards. Obviously there will be some dust over the next few months, it also means that the weekday Masses there may be some noise from the builders. We cannot and must not stop the work, so Watch and Pray will be suspended until work is finished.

Cleaners: It would be great to have a few more cleaners on the rota or additional name to add to our teams, as fine dust gets everywhere. Offers of help please to Fr. P.

Prayer for the First World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.

I thank you, Lord, for the comfort of Your presence:

Even in times of loneliness, You are my hope and my confidence. You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!

I thank You for having given me a family and for having blessed me with a long life. I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty, for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for those that are still ahead of me.

I thank you for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You call me.

Increase, O Lord, my faith, make me a channel of your peace, teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me, to never stop dreaming and to tell of your wonders to new generations. Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church, that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth.

Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world, that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed, the poor consoled and wars ended.

Sustain me in my weakness and help me to live life to the full in each moment You give me, in the certainty that you are with me every day, even until the end of the age. Amen