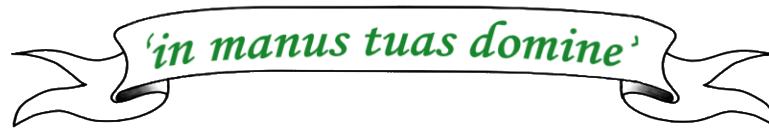


CATHOLIC PARISH OF St Cuthbert Mayne, Launceston
incorporating the communities of
St Peter's, Bude and Our Lady of Victories, Callington
Parish Priest: Canon John Deeny VG
Deacon Richard Edwards
Fr Kevin O'Connell: (Retired Priest, resident in Bude)



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Week beginning Sunday 5th January 2020
Second week in Christmastide: Year A

Saturday 4th January ~ Vigil of the Epiphany of the Lord

Bude 5.00pm Holy Mass

Sunday 5th January ~ The Epiphany of the Lord

Callington 8.30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Launceston. 10.30am Holy Mass Int: Maria Emilia Azevedo RIP

Tuesday 7th January

Launceston: 7.00pm **No Mass**

Wednesday 8th January

Bude 10.00am Holy Mass followed by
10.30am – 11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday 9th January

Launceston 8.30am **No Mass**

Friday 10th January

Callington 10.00am **No Mass**

Saturday 11th January

Launceston 10.00am **No Mass**

Bude 5.00pm Holy Mass ~ First Mass on Sunday
Int: People of the Parish

Sunday 12th January ~ The Baptism of the Lord

Callington 8.30am Holy Mass

Launceston 10.30am Holy Mass Int: Jerry Butland RIP

There is a long-standing tradition in the Catholic Church to bless chalk at the Masses for Epiphany and then use the blessed chalk as part of blessing one's home in the New Year.

The home blessing can be done as follows:

use the blessed chalk to write:

20 + C + M + B + 20

above the doorways:

2020 for the year;

C, M, B for the 3 Magi

~ Casper, Melchior and Balthasar ~

and for *Christus Mansionem Benedicat*,

Latin for

"May Christ Bless this House"

As you are writing, pray the following prayer:

Lord our God,

bless this household,

may we be blessed with health,
goodness of heart, gentleness
and the keeping of your law

We give thanks to you,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

now and for ever.

Amen.

Please congratulate three of our Altar Servers, Brandon, Harry and Kuba, who will be receiving the

Guild of St Stephen Medal

today at Launceston.

These young members of our parish have completed a probationary period of service at the Altar of our church. They have shown themselves to be reverent in their actions, regular in their attendance and to have an understanding of the Mass and most importantly a love of the Lord Jesus whom they now seek to serve as members of the Guild.

Dear Parishioners,
Thank you very much to all who helped with the Christmas Celebrations in all three of our churches.

And thank you for the wonderful gifts, cards and prayers.

May the peace, joy and love of Christ reign in your hearts now and in the coming year of 2020.

Fr John

**Pope's Intention for January:
Promotion of World Peace**

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

**Don't forget to
come along to the
~Parish Christmastide Lunch~
at St Cuthbert Mayne Church**

in the hall after
morning Mass today
All are welcome

Fr John will be away next week taking a break. Therefore, there will be no masses during the week except at Bude on Wednesday which will be celebrated by Fr Kevin. Fr Kevin will also celebrate all Masses next weekend.

Seating for First Holy Communion children and their families at St Cuthbert Mayne Church.

Please note classes for First Holy Communion re-start this weekend therefore seats will be reserved as previously arranged, again sorry for the disruption but thank you for your co-operation.

On the **third Sunday of every month** there is **Holy Mass in Polish** at Launceston. The next **Holy Mass in Polish** will be on **Sunday 19th January** at **5.30pm** with **confessions at 5.00pm.**

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The **Polish Group** meet **every Friday** in the **Hall** for prayer and worship at **6.45pm** and on the **first Friday** of the **month** in the **church** for **Adoration, Rosary and prayer.**

Brown envelopes are available at the back of the church for the booking of Mass Intentions if you would like to use them. Please make it clear which church you would like the Mass to be said and whether it's for the deceased. For those who would like to book Mass intentions for anniversaries please let the parish office know as soon as possible, at least a month in advance. Every effort will be made to book the anniversary date requested.

Join **Deacon Richard** at one of the **Bible Scripture Groups** looking at the readings for Sunday Mass. The next meetings will be as follows:

**Launceston:**

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> January 5.00pm.**

**Bude:**

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> January 2.30pm**

All are welcome.

**GATHER 2020 ~ LIGHT FOR MY STEPS**  
**Friday 31st January – Sunday 2nd February**  
**Best Western Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay**

This annual conference gathers people from the Diocese of Plymouth and beyond for a weekend of faith, formation and friendship.

They may still be a few places left please contact [pymouthgather@yahoo.com](mailto:pymouthgather@yahoo.com) for more information.

Collections:

**Weekend: 21/22.12.2019**

Launceston: £185.82  
Bude: £118.20  
Callington: £ 81.50  
Balance: £385.52 plus  
Standing Orders: £383.50  
Total: £769.02

**Weekend: 28/29.12.2019**

Launceston: £133.62  
Bude: £121.92  
Callington: £ 60.50  
Balance: £316.04 plus  
Standing Orders: £383.50  
Total: £699.54

Thank you for your continued generosity

Don't forget to pick up your copy of the Diocesan 2020 Year Book, price £4, a directory of all the parishes and priests in our Diocesan and other interesting information. You'll find them at the back of the church.

### Launceston

The Church is open for quiet prayer from Tuesday to Friday during office hours (9am-2pm).



### Safeguarding Reps:

Geoff Provis (Launceston)  
Tel: 01566 775820  
Piri Gallington (Callington)  
Tel: 07958 614222

**Going into hospital?** If you would like to see a Catholic chaplain, please ring:

#### For Barnstaple Hospital:

Fr Peter Morgan 01271 343312

#### For Derriford Hospital:

Rev Simon Fletcher Mob: 07854 816523

#### For Exeter Hospital:

Fr Kieran Kirby 01392 272815

#### For Royal Cornwall Hospital, Treliske:

Margaret Shute 01872 252883

margaretshute@nhs.net

Most hospitals do not inform chaplains of incoming Catholics, so you have to make the first move. Alternatively, keep me informed and I ask the chaplain to call.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** the sick and housebound and especially for Kevin O'Mahoney, Jason Mather, Connor Robinson, Christina & Barry Murphy, Leah Bennett, Ivan Reeves, Colin Barrett, Cath Butland, Peter Scott, and Jim White. **May the Lord bless them and all who care for them.**

Due to the latest data protection legislation (GDPR) we're currently unable to list the names of the sick, unless we have written permission to do so.



**Collections: see newsletter**