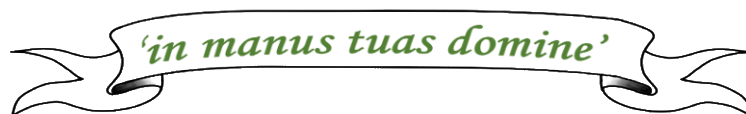


**CATHOLIC PARISH OF St Cuthbert Mayne, Launceston
incorporating the communities of
St Peter's, Bude and Our Lady of Victories, Callington**



**Week beginning Sunday 5th July 2020
Fourteenth Sunday in OT: Year A**

Sunday 5th July ~ Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass		Int: People of the Parish
Callington	8.30-9.30am	Private Prayer
Launceston	10.30-11.30am	Private Prayer

Monday 6th July ~ St Maria Goretti V M

Holy Mass

Tuesday 7th July

Launceston	7.00pm	Holy Mass
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Wednesday 8th July

Bude	10.00am	Holy Mass	Int: Holy Souls
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Thursday 9th July ~ St Augustine Zhao Rong Pr M & Companions

Launceston	10.00am	Holy Mass
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Friday 10th July

Callington	10.00am	Holy Mass
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Saturday 11th July ~ St Benedict Ab ~ Patron of Europe

Bude	10.00am	Holy Mass
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Sunday 12th July ~ Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass		Int: People of the Parish
Callington		NO Private Prayer
Launceston		NO Private Prayer

**PLEASE NOTE AS FROM SUNDAY 12TH JULY THERE
WILL BE NO MASSES OR PRIVATE PRAYER ON SUNDAYS
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Track and Trace

In accordance with government and diocesan guidelines, a track and trace system will be in place at each of our churches for when they open for Mass. You will need to complete a form providing your name, telephone number and email address. A form must be completed **every time** you attend Mass.

It would be helpful if you could complete the form before arriving at church, on arrival place the completed form in the basket provided. **Please tell the Steward if you have not completed a form and your details will be taken.** After Mass the forms will be kept securely, following Data Protection guidelines, and destroyed after 21 days.

Blank forms will be sent to parishioners electronically with the newsletter, and hard copies sent to all those who receive the newsletter by post. If you are unable to print copies at home, please contact the parish secretary and blank forms will be mailed to you.

Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

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***Please pray for the soul of Geromina Soddy RIP  
who died recently, and for her family and friends.  
May her soul through the mercy of God  
rest in peace.***

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***Nicola Ware RIP was laid to rest at a private, graveside
ceremony last Wednesday 1st July, at Holsworthy.
May her soul through the mercy of God, rest in peace.***

Pope's Intention for the month of July:

Our Families

We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

CAFOD URGENT APPEAL

This is an urgent fundraising request from CAFOD due to the pandemic and its effects in various parts of the world. Please use the following link for more information and where you can donate. [Cafod.org.uk/coronavirusappeal](https://cafod.org.uk/coronavirusappeal) or call 0808 5858885.

Confessions

Fr John will be available for confessions, by request only. They need to be by appointment and will be outdoors, while maintaining social distancing.

Message from the Diocesan Safeguarding Office

If you have any safeguarding concerns either personally or for any other person then do not hesitate to contact the Safeguarding Office which remains open and available to assist. To contact us either email me direct on robert.brown@prcdtr.org.uk or ring me on 01364 645431 which will be transferred to my mobile.

Robert Brown, Safeguarding Coordinator Diocese of Plymouth.

Reflection for the Fourteenth Sunday in OT: Year A

By Fr Kevin

The prophet Zechariah unveils a future time when a messianic king will visit and unify his people and the civilized world from the Mediterranean Sea to the Persian Gulf. He will come with humility and power riding on a donkey. But the donkey is not an expression of the king's humility but rather his peaceful intent. The horse was the mount of war the donkey was used for solemn but friendly occasions.

If this description puts you in mind of Palm Sunday, you are right. Matthew uses part of Zechariah's text in his description of Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. *'Tell the daughter of Zion, behold your king is coming to you, humble and mounted on an ass, and on a colt, the foal of an ass'* (See chapter 21 verse 5).

And Jesus picks up this theme of humility in the Gospel when he tells his disciples: *'I am gentle and humble in heart'*, Jesus is in the midst of a difficult time in his ministry (read chapters eleven and twelve). So he seems to create a little oasis with his disciples and begins with a prayer of praise acknowledging that his Father is the one true God *'Lord of heaven and earth'* and that as the unique son of the Father, God is present in him.

So if we are to learn about God it will be through Jesus and that learning will not be dependent upon whether we are clever or wise but on whether we know our need for God. And, If we know our need for God, then Jesus will teach us and that learning will bring us a deep sense of peace in the depths of being.

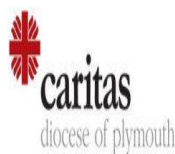
But being open to God is a life's work and for that we need the prompting and guidance of the Holy Spirit to which Paul alludes strongly in the brief passage of his letter to the Romans. And we need to be aware that the Spirit which resides in us is the same Spirit which raised Jesus from the dead. So we need to learn and learn again to cast ourselves on the mercy and love of Jesus and listen to his words in the power of the Holy Spirit



Children's Liturgy during Lockdown

The following link is another resource for children's liturgy which can be found on Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/Childrens-Liturgy-during-lockdown-101967264838340/>



Caritas Plymouth annual review is now on the Diocesan website. We would welcome feedback from parishes on our plans for the coming year. We have also produced a [news update](#) to share some of the positive work happening in our parishes during the Covid-19 crisis.

Don't forget to join Deacon Richard each week with his

'Zoom Online Scripture Group'.

An email will be sent out to the parish each week, with details for the forthcoming meeting.

The Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth) is celebrating after being awarded £6,000 in National Lottery funding to support its work with vulnerable children and their families, they will use the cash to help with their Essential Grants Program.
If you are aware of a family who needs their support, please visit www.ccsplymouth.org.uk or call 01364 645420 for more information.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND and especially for:
**Rita O'Brien, Jenny Hill, Marie Shaw,
Jim White, Kevin O'Mahoney,
Christina & Barry Murphy, Cath Butland,
Peter Scott, Jason Mather, Ivan Reeves,
Connor Robinson and Leah Bennett.**

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**May the Lord bless them and all who care for them**  
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**Mass Intentions can still be booked,
please contact the parish secretary**

Useful Links to Keep in Touch

Facebook: Catholic Parish of St Cuthbert Mayne
(updates and link to Youtube page)

Youtube: St Cuthbert Mayne RC Parish
(for Masses, daily reflections and prayers)

Webpage: <http://www.stcuthbertmayne.org.uk/>
(newsletters, updates etc)

CARITAS: <https://www.caritasplymouth.org.uk/>
(information and updates)

Cathedral: <https://www.plymouthcathedral.co.uk/>
(daily Mass and prayers with Bishop Mark O'Toole)

Church Offerings

Thank you to those who have recently arranged a standing order to pay their weekly offering, it is much appreciated also to those who already pay by standing order.
If you would like to continue giving the church your weekly cash offering you can arrange a standing order through on-line banking. Please contact the parish secretary for the standing order form. And for those who are taxpayers please consider signing a Gift Aid form so the parish can claim back 25p in every pound given.

For those who cannot arrange a standing order, if possible, please put aside your weekly cash offerings until Masses resume. We do understand though that during these difficult times other people may be buying your essentials and you therefore need to keep your cash available to pay them.

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Weekly amount received by  
standing order: £459.63  
Thank you for your  
continued generosity

**Parish Priest: Canon John Deeny VG**

**Deacon Richard Edwards**

**Fr Kevin O'Connell: (Retired Priest, resident in Bude)**

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**Parish Office hours: Tuesday-Friday 9.00am – 1.00pm**

**Website: [www.stcuthbertmayne.org.uk](http://www.stcuthbertmayne.org.uk)**

**Facebook: Catholic Parish of St Cuthbert Mayne Church**

**Deacon Richard Edwards: 07712 677119**

**Parish Administrator: Naomi Davis: 01566 784118**

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