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



Week beginning Sunday 23rd May 2021 Pentecost Sunday

Saturday 22nd May ~ First Mass on Sunday

Bude 5.00pm Holy Mass Int: Kathleen & Norman Suckley RIP

Sunday 23rd May ~ Pentecost Sunday

Callington 8.30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Launceston 10.30am Holy Mass Int: In thanksgiving for the 80th

birthday of Hilary Jenkin.

Tuesday 25th May ~ St Bede the Venerable Pr Dr

Launceston 10.00am Holy Mass Int: Sick & Housebound

Launceston 3.00pm Requiem Mass Int: Katherine (Kit) Cowling RIP

Wednesday 26th May ~ St Philip Neri Pr (1515-1595)

Bude 10.00am Holy Mass Int: Josephine Morrison RIP

Thursday 27th May ~ Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest

Launceston 8.30am Holy Mass Int: Holy Souls

Friday 28th May

Callington 10.00am Holy Mass

Saturday 29th May ~ First Mass on Sunday

Bude 5.00pm Holy Mass Int: Charles Leslie Pretty RIP

Sunday 30th May

Callington 8.30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Launceston 10.30am Holy Mass Int: Katherine (Kit) Cowling RIP



Pope's Intention for the month of May:

The World of Finance

We pray for those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

Message from Fr John:

Bishop Mark has informed us that **Bishop Christopher** has recently been diagnosed with cancer. 'He is in good spirits and, you will not be surprised to hear, is approaching things in a very deep disposition of faith and with a great love for the Lord. He is to undergo an important procedure on 26th May and I know he will be grateful for your prayer in this time leading up to that, on the day itself, and in the time afterwards, when he will need some ongoing treatment.'

Today, being Pentecost Sunday, I will be **recommissioning Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** with a simple prayer, and there will be **a blessing for Readers**. As we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles, and the beginning of the life of the Church, it is a particularly good time do this, as restrictions are being eased and more life is returning to our communities. It will be a joy to be able to take Communion to our housebound parishioners on a more regular basis again. We are in need of more ministers of Communion, especially those who could take Holy Communion to a sick/housebound person. Please let me know if you are able to help in this way. We will not yet be reintroducing Communion under both kinds in the church.

All being well, the scaffolding will be removed from inside St Cuthbert Mayne Church tomorrow. You will notice that the painted areas of the church have been repainted, and the ceiling has been repaired. We are very grateful to the builders and decorators that despite all the work that has been going on in and around the church these past few months, they have ensured that the church has been available for Sunday Masses. We will be returning to the church for weekday Masses from Tuesday of this week. There is still work to be done over the summer, including the work on the east end of the church, the heating, lighting, and repair and maintenance of the flooring. Thank God, good progress is being made.

I will be going on holiday from June 1st – 25th. Meeting up with my priest friends for the first time in a long time. **Fr David (Canon David Annear) will be returning to cover for me** while I am away. It will be good to see him back again in the parish he loves, and which he served so generously for many years.

We have received a further £24,000 from Noreen Tout's estate. This is in addition to the very large legacy already received from her estate. Noreen was a faithful parishioner of this parish for many years and died several years ago. She is buried in our churchyard. We are very thankful to God and to Noreen, who has been such a generous benefactor. Do please keep her in prayers.

From May 17th some things can change: We are now permitted to reintroduce the Prayer of the Faithful, as we will do this Sunday. Also, the priest is permitted to announce 'The Body of Christ' when giving Communion to each communicant.

The numbers of people permitted to attend funerals are relaxed. We are now able to have as many people as can fit in the church with social distancing. Kit's daughter, Angela, has said that those of you wishing to attend **Kit Cowling's Requiem Mass** on Tuesday are welcome.

Please remember food banks, collection points can be found at all supermarkets. Please do what you can.

SPUC Pro-Life Chain 2021

On **Saturday 29 May**, between 11.00am and 1.00pm, the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) is holding a silent act of witness, the Pro-life Chain, to commemorate 53 years of legalised abortion and to call for at-home DIY abortions to end immediately.

The Chain will be taking place at Truckle Valley, Camelford, near the BP Garage, on the A39. Prolifers will hold placards with messages which draw attention to the truth and reality of abortion, which will be witnessed by passing motorists. The placards also advertise a post-abortion counselling helpline which offers help and support to anyone suffering in the aftermath of an abortion experience.

You are very welcome to come and join the Chain. The organiser is Tony Mullett, who can be contacted on 01840 213787 or at tonymullett@btinternet.com

Happy Feast Day.

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.

Online Pentecost Service

Churches Together in Launceston will be celebrating Pentecost in an online service on Sunday evening. Do join us online if you can:

The Zoom link details are:

https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/8281243926 5?pwd=dmhUUkooOXlacGYxWjlGT3VP ZUYvZzo9

Meeting ID: 828 1243 9265

Passcode: 448600



Please pray for Philip Hodges and Katherine (Kit) Cowling who died recently, and their family and friends.

May their souls through the mercy of God rest in peace.

You are welcome to attend Kit's Requiem Mass on Tuesday 25th May at 3pm in the church.

New Young Catholic Adults Group

This facebook group is a means of bringing together Young Catholic Adults in the Diocese - to form a community where mission and growth in Faith increases. Join us by following the link https://www.facebook.com/groups/738397836590050

Ave Maria Crisis Pregnancy Support:

Support line open 7 days a week between 7.30pm – 9.30pm. **Tel:** 01752 916076.

<u>A Church on Fire</u> – the presentation to the clergy/laity of our diocese on missionary disciples by Michael Dopp on May 1st can now be viewed on the Diocesan Website, www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk or directly on YouTube https://youtu.be/E8_O66UUM5s Over 200 people joined us live for this great day, so here is your chance to listen again or hear this crucial talk for the first time. Encouraged and inspired, you are invited to participate in our well established deeper formation in missionary discipleship through Mission Made Possible, provided by the Diocesan Vicariate for Evangelisation & Catechesis. Contact: Michele

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Church Offerings:

If you would like to continue to give your weekly cash offering you can arrange a standing order either through on-line banking or by a banker's form, please contact the parish secretary. For those who are taxpayers please consider signing a Gift Aid form so the parish can claim back 25p in every pound given. If you would like to send a cheque for your offerings, please make it payable to St Cuthbert Mayne Church and mail it to the Presbytery, address at the bottom of the page.

£320.25 weekly standing orders for April Thank you for your continued generosity.

Safeguarding Reps:

Geoff Provis (Launceston) Tel: 01566 775820 Piri Gallington (Callington) Tel: 07958 614222 Tom O'Sullivan (Bude) Tel: 01288 361984

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, 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/

(Mass and prayers)



Children's Liturgy

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

https://www.facebook.com/Children s-Liturgy-during-lockdown-101967264838340/

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

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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

Parish Priest: Canon John Deeny VG
Deacon Richard Edwards
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Friday 8.30am – 12.00pm

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