

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



Two week newsletter

Week beginning 6th August 2023
Eighteenth week of Ordinary Time: Year A

Saturday 5th August

Launceston No Mass today

Saturday 5th August ~ First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass Int: Robert McCurrach RIP

Sunday 6th August ~ Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ The Transfiguration of the Lord

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: Victor Thorman RIP

Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Tuesday 8th August ~ St Dominic Pr (c.1170-1221)

Launceston 7:00pm Holy Mass Int: Holy Souls

Wednesday 9th August ~ St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Patron of Europe

Bude 10:00am Holy Mass

Thursday 10th August ~ St Lawrence Dn M (died 258)

Launceston 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Sick & Housebound Parishioners

Friday 11th August ~ St Clare V (c.1193-1253)

Callington 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Bishop Christopher Budd RIP

Saturday 12th August

Launceston 9.30am Sacrament of Penance

10.00am Holy Mass

10.30am Rosary & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

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Sunday 13th August ~ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: Fr Paddy Kilgariff RIP

A VERY WARM WELCOME to all visitors to our parish. Tea & coffee are served in the parish halls after Sunday Mass.



Pope's Intention for the month of August:
For World Youth Day

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.



Aid to the
Church in Need

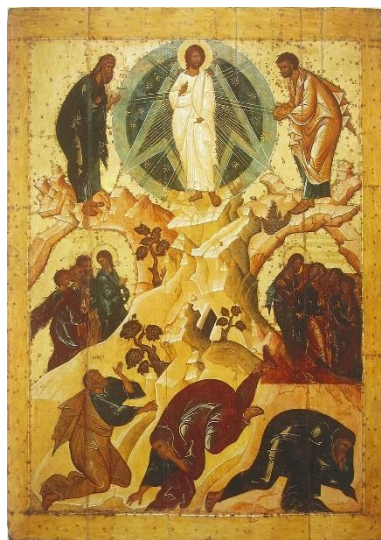
ACN UNITED KINGDOM

Steve Riedlinger, Community Outreach, for Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) will be visiting the parish on **5th and 6th August**.

ACN support the suffering and persecuted church around the world with over 5000 projects in more than 140 countries each year.

Steve will be talking about the projects, passing on news from ACN's project partners and sharing how we can help in prayer and giving. a perfect opportunity to come together.

Transfiguration of the Lord



Pope Francis speaks of the “beauty” shown in Sunday's Gospel reading of Matthew 17:1–9. In this passage, Peter and James and his brother John witness Christ “transfigured before them” with his face shining “like the sun” and his clothes “dazzling white” as he conversed with Moses and Elijah on the top of a mountain.

Pope Francis said that we must “see the same beauty on the faces of the people who walk beside us every day,” such as family, friends, and colleagues. “How many luminous faces, how many smiles, how many wrinkles, how many tears and scars reveal love around us,” the pope said. “Let us learn to recognize them and to fill our hearts with them. And then let us set out in order to bring the light we have received to others as well, through concrete acts of love diving into our daily occupations

more generously, loving, serving, and forgiving with greater earnestness and willingness,” the Holy Father said. “The contemplation of God's wonders, the contemplation of God's face, of the Lord's face, must move us to the service of others.

Happy Feast Day!

CAFOD has recently hosted an **online event with Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle**. Cardinal Tagle comes from the Philippines, was previously president of Caritas Internationalis, and is a fantastic speaker. He is in conversation with Christine Allen Director of CAFOD titled **“Mission Unleashed: embracing the social dimension of evangelisation”**. He shows how evangelisation is about all of us in our everyday lives, and is well worth a listen.

If you are interested, please email me, elizabethheaven@hotmail.co.uk and I will send you the link.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Training day: Saturday 28th October

A day of training/refresher course for E.M.'s. on Saturday 28th October at St Cuthbert Mayne, Charles Langdon Room. This advance notice is given so that Ministers from all our churches can book it in the dairy and come along.

The day will be led by Julia Bearcroft of our Diocesan Gensis Mission Team who has much experience in leading such days. More information nearer the time.



St Peter's Bude Car Park

Now that there are more people coming to Mass during the summer, please try to use the grass parking area. This is a specific parking area which has been reinforced to provide a solid base for driving and parking.

There are plans to update the car park marking and signage, but in the meantime please ensure that you do not block access to this area by avoiding parking in the area highlighted in the picture. Thank you.

Saints Way Pilgrimage

September and October 2023



A pilgrimage along the Saints Way is being planned for the 12th/26th September and 2nd October. Our intention would be to walk approximately 10 miles of the route each day at a leisurely pace taking in the religious sites and the beautiful Cornish scenery.

The Saints Way is a 30 mile route from Padstow to Fowey and believed to have been used by Christian Missionaries and pilgrims en route to Rome, Santiago de Compostela and even the Holy Land.

If this appeals to you please register your interest as soon as possible so we can organise logistics and transport. A sign up sheet will be made available in each church.

You can find out more about the route at:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment/countryside/cycle-routes-and-trails/the-saints-trail/>

Starting in the Autumn

Exploring the Catholic Faith: Adults who are not Catholics, or Catholic adults who are not confirmed, and would like to discover more about the Catholic faith, are welcome to come to sessions which will be held in the Charles Langdon Room at St Cuthbert Mayne, starting in the autumn. Please contact the office or Fr John if you are interested.

Confirmation preparation: We hope to celebrate Confirmation in the Parish this coming year. Hopefully we will have a new bishop soon. If not, Parish Priests are delegated to celebrate Confirmation while we are waiting for a new bishop to be appointed. Those young people, rising 14 year olds, or above, who would like to be confirmed please contact the office or Fr John.

First Holy Communion preparation: Any parents wishing to their children to enroll for the First Holy Communion preparation this coming year, please contact Clare at the by phone or email as soon as possible.

Please spread the word to those you think may be interested.



Please pray for Neil and Alison who are to be married at St Cuthbert Mayne Church on Saturday 12th August.

May the Lord give them his abundant blessings.

Please note: Clare will be on annual leave from Friday 4th August until Tuesday 15th August. Therefore, this is a two-week newsletter and the office will be closed. If you need to contact Fr John, please call the Presbytery on 01566 773166 and leave a

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Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: Fr Paddy Kilgariff RIP

Tuesday 15th August ~ The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Bude 10:00am Holy Mass

Callington 10:00am Holy Mass

Launceston 7:00pm Holy Mass Int: Holy Souls

Wednesday 16th August

Bude 10:00am Holy Mass

Thursday 17th August

Launceston 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Sick & Housebound Parishioners

Friday 18th August

Callington 10:00am Holy Mass

Saturday 19th August

Launceston 9.30am Sacrament of Penance

10.00am Holy Mass

10.30am Rosary & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 19th August ~ First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass

Sunday 20th August ~ Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass

Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Childrens Liturgy at Launceston



A Children's Liturgy is now offered during Sunday Mass at St Cuthbert Mayne in Launceston. At least two volunteers, with the appropriate safeguarding checks, will provide fun activities to foster a love of Christ's WORD and our MASS through each other which we hope and trust will last a lifetime.

Charles Langdon Room

Church hall at St Cuthbert Mayne

Barbeque: A belated thank you to all who made the BBQ, to celebrate the blessing of the Charles Langdon Room (parish hall), such a joyful occasion, bringing the community together. The weather was also kind to us. Particular thanks to John and Clare Ashdown, and Andrew and Hannah Caddon for organising, buying and cooking food, etc., and Marie who always produces lovely food on these occasions.

The newly Refurbished Hall:

For those who were unable to attend the blessing, here is a summary of what Fr John said regarding the changes to the hall. He also thanked a number of people who were particularly involved, including Peter Hazard, Clare, Marcin and Lee.

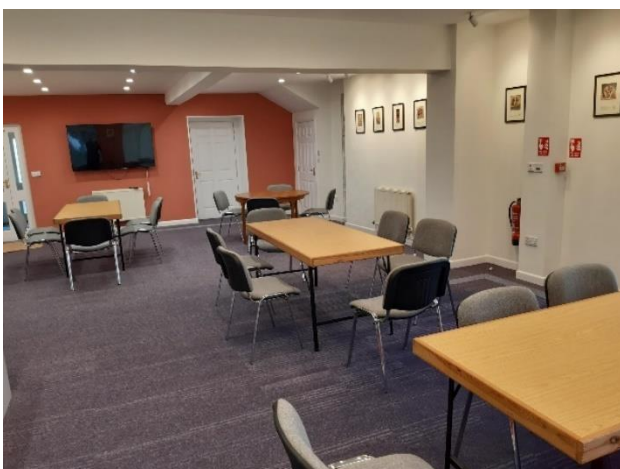
The hall, known as the Charles Langdon room, was first opened in 2008. A terrific effort by those involved in converting what was a very large presbytery, into a church hall for the parish, and a smaller and more appropriate accommodation for the priest. 15 years later, 2023, the hall was due for a major refurbishment, and some basic changes.

The parish office was moved into what had been the kitchen. Clare, the secretary, is now in a space of her own, a larger office, and can be accessed separately from the presbytery. The presbytery, too, can be accessed separately.

The kitchen was brought out into the open, making it more accessible to everyone.



To install the new lighting meant that much of the ceiling had to be lowered. The new system of lighting gives much more variety. Most of the light fittings are flush with the ceiling, giving a sense of more space in the hall. There is lighting suitable for every occasion. It can be bright for example, for the gathering of women sewers who come here once a month, or warm and gentle lighting, for an evening of prayer. And everything in between.



The pictures on the wall were donated by Valerie Williams. She had brought them back all framed up, several years ago, from a Padre Pio pilgrimage in Italy and donated them to Fr John. They are verses of St Francis of Assisi's Canticle of the Sun. In these days when we need to think a lot about Care for God's Creation, they are so appropriate.

The TV on the wall, means we can include people on Zoom for meetings, which we did for our last PPC meeting, which in this geographically large parish is very useful. We can also use it for watching appropriate films and religious talks, as well as for social occasions.

The crucifix. We have a funeral at Our Lady of Victories on Wednesday of Ursula Corcoran (may she RIP). Her niece, Yvonne, donated Ursula's crucifix. I thought it was likely to be just what we needed for the hall, although the figure looked worn and dull. Pamela took it away and worked her creative magic on it, wrapped the figure in gold leaf, and it looks great.

And the whole place was redecorated and generally updated.

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1-6 AUGUST

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World Youth Day

1-6 August 2023

Pope Francis releases this video with his prayer intention for August 2023, which is for World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal, which begins next week.

Wishing our Diocesan pilgrims an inspirational journey, remembering especially Marysia and Jude who are attending from this parish.

You can watch Pope Francis video here:
[https://youtu.be/zWw66s -V2k](https://youtu.be/zWw66s-V2k)

You can also watch World Youth Day events live on Shalom World.

Diocesan Youth Events Youth Rally,

23rd September, 12.00 – 18.00 St Rita's Honiton

Join youth from across the diocese in fun, games and challenges at St Rita's Honiton. Are you ready for the infamous obstacle course? Or are a keen to score lots of goals in the penalty shoot out or netball challenge. They'll be bouncy castles, didi cars, sumo wrestling challenges and much more for you to have a go at. The event is open to anyone 7 years through to 16. You are encouraged to come as part of a parish/ school or group team or simply sign up and be placed in a team. The £8 contribution includes a BBQ and drinks.

To book: <https://forms.office.com/e/L2jn7EwXfH> or contact Saskia for further information: youth@prcdtr.org.uk

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Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th August 2023



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St Boniface House, Ashburton, Devon TQ13 7JL



Coffee and Tea after Mass:

This takes place after each of our Sunday Masses. It is an opportunity to meet others and build community. **All are welcome**



Church Offerings

Offerings received for the month of May and standing orders:

Launceston:	£ 612.49
Bude:	£ 462.20
Callington:	£ 304.01
Balance:	£1378.79plus
Standing Orders:	£2333.50
Total:	£3712.29

Thank you for your continued generosity.



Safeguarding Reps:

Geoff Provis (Launceston) Tel: 01566 775820
Tom O'Sullivan (Bude) Tel: 01288 361984
Stephen Winders (Callington) Tel: 07821532052

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/Childrens-Liturgy-during-lockdown-101967264838340/>

Ave Maria Crisis Pregnancy Support:

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

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

and especially for:
Colin Barrett, Jenny Hill,
Christina Murphy,
Jason Mather,
Cath Butland, Leah Bennett, Jenny Pofier, Su Paget, Gina Dias, Jane and Kevin O'Mahoney.

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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

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

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