

Catholic Parish of St Cuthbert Mayne, Launceston
incorporating the communities of **St Peter's, Bude** and
Our Lady of Victories, Callington



in manus tuas domine

Week beginning 21st July 2024
Sixteenth week in Ordinary Time: Year B

Saturday 20th July ~ First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass Int: People of the Parish

Sunday 21st July ~ Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: Roger Trevett RIP

Launceston 10:30am Holy Mass Int: James Watson Torrens RIP

3:30pm Sakrament pokuty / Sacrament of Penance (in Polish)

5:30pm Msza Święta / Holy Mass (in Polish)

Tuesday 23rd July ~ St Bridget of Sweden ~ Patron on Europe

Launceston 7:00pm Holy Mass Int: Sick & Housebound Parishioners

Wednesday 24th July

Bude 10:00am Holy Mass Int: Holy Souls

Thursday 25th July ~ St James ~ Apostle

Launceston 8:30am Holy Mass Int: Unborn babies and their parents

Friday 26th July ~ SS Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Callington 10:00am Holy Mass Int: For the pastoral care of the sick

Saturday 27th July

Launceston 9:30am Sacrament of Penance

10:00am Holy Mass Int: For those who have lost their faith

10:30 am Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 27th July ~ First Mass of Sunday

Bude 5:00pm Holy Mass Int: Anna and Bob Raw RIP

Sunday 28th July ~ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Callington 8:30am Holy Mass Int: Private Intention

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



Pope's Intention for the month of July:
For the pastoral care of the sick.

Let us pray that the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope.

First Holy Communion at St Peter's

Please pray for **Elizabeth Madeleine Westwood** who is making her First Holy Communion at St Peter's on Saturday. Congratulations and prayers for many blessings on her and her family.

Buckfast Pilgrimage

By Cathy Galvin



The sun shone on a blessed pilgrimage (this week) as parishioners from Bude, Launceston and Callington, accompanied by Father John, made their way by coach to Buckfast Abbey in Devon.

The Benedictine abbey, a living space shaped by the lives of the monks who still live within the grounds and those who lived there before them, offered

those of us lucky enough to be able to make this visit together, a day of beauty and sanctuary.

We arrived to the fragrance of lavender and herbs in the elegant gardens and a sense of peace. In this lovely setting, we enjoyed conversation, prayer, and individual reflection in the spirit of the rule of St Benedict: *"Let us open our eyes to the light that comes from God, and our ears to the voice that every day calls out this charge: If you hear his voice today, do not harden your hearts."*

Central to our pilgrimage was a Mass said by Father John in the abbey's Chapel of The Blessed Sacrament, a stunning space dominated by light shining through a stained-glass image of Christ, created by Dom Charles Norris in the 1960's and inspired by the Turin Shroud. It was a great honour to attend this Mass in a part of the abbey built as a private chapel for the monks. Delightful also to be led in singing by Pamela and Mary and in readings by Monica and Rita.

There were additional treats: most particularly a tour of the abbey from our guide Mark. For those of us who had never visited before, it was fascinating to hear Buckfast's rich history: founded by Canute and thriving as a Cistercian abbey for centuries before falling into ruin following Henry VIII's dissolution of the monasteries. The current Abbey was built by an order of monks, two thirds of whom were German, fleeing persecution in France in the late nineteenth century. They were initially given shelter in Ramsgate and later loaned property in Dublin before seeing an advert for the lands of the former monastery lands for sale at Buckfast leigh in The Tablet.

The original Abbot drowned in a shipwreck off the coast of France but a younger Brother, Anscar Vonier, survived. At just thirty-one years of age, he was elected Abbot and the work of building the abbey of today began under his guidance in 1906. It took thirty-two years to complete - all the work of often four, no more than six, monks, creating an awe-inspiring abbey church and a unique combination of European and English art and craft.

A simple lunch completed a joyous day. Huge thanks to Father John for organising and to Buckfast Abbey for allowing us to celebrate this meaningful, beautiful day in their chapel and grounds. You can read more about Buckfast Abbey's events, history and retreats here:

<https://www.buckfast.org.uk>

Msza w języku polskim / Mass in Polish

Następna Msza Święta w języku polskim odbędzie się w niedzielę 21 lipca w kościele St Cuthbert Mayne w Launceston. Spowiedź o 15.30, następnie Msza św. o 17.30 i przyjęcie w po.

Guild of St Stephen Silver Medal



Congratulations to Jonathan Williams who has received the Silver Medal of the Guild of St Stephen in recognition and appreciation of his 37 years as an altar server, nearly 10 of them serving here at St Cuthbert Mayne. Jonathan is MC for our Masses at St Cuthbert Mayne, and leads the Servers Team who all serve with great reverence and dignity. Our thanks to Jonathan for his commitment and devotion.

Spoken at the presentation of the medal:

Priest: Jonathan, receive this Silver Medal in recognition of your loyal service at the Altar of God. With the help of our Patron, St. Stephen, continue to serve for the glory of God, the service of His Church and your own eternal salvation.

The Letter viewing Saturday 27th July



We choose to Live Simply because globally it's complex. Our response to Pope Francis' global Letter will be brought up to date, through discussion, now that we have a new perspective. Discussion and screening will be at St Cuthbert Mayne Church, in the Langdon Room, on Saturday 27th July at 11.30. Separate dates for Bude and Callington will be organised.

To Live Simply please bring your own packed lunch (not a shared lunch) and we will provide tea and coffee. Also, car share where possible.

Join us at the Eucharistic Congress Sat 14th Sept: Oscott, Birmingham

A coach will leave our diocese to take pilgrims from across our five deaneries to this faith-affirming national event. It will include talks, mass and a procession. **Please ring (01202) 746539 or email christopher.findlay@prcdtr.org.uk ASAP if would like to join us.**

World Day Against Trafficking in Persons - 30th July

The 30th July is the annual World Day Against Trafficking in Persons, which is an event to raise awareness and increase prevention of people trafficking and modern day slavery.

The theme this year is, 'Leave no child behind in the fight against human trafficking'. One in three victims of trafficking are children, with girls being disproportionately affected. Children are also twice as likely to be subjected to violence during trafficking than adults. Children will experience various forms of trafficking including forced labour, criminality or begging, online and sexual abuse and exploitation, and being trafficked for illegal adoption.

If you would like support, or you are concerned about someone else, please contact: The Safeguarding Office – Please call us on 01364 645430 between Monday to Friday, from 9am to 4:30pm.

Unseen – A UK charity that provides safe houses and support in the community for survivors of trafficking and modern slavery.

24/7 Modern Slavery and Exploitation Helpline: 08000 121 700

<https://www.unseenuk.org/working-with-survivors/>



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**



The legion of Mary, is a pious organisation in church dedicated to praying the rosary and propagating the gospel welcomes new members to her weekly meetings held **every Sunday at 9am in the upper room at St Cuthbert Mayne Launceston**



Children's Liturgy

Every Sunday at St Cuthbert Mayne Church

Ave Maria Crisis Pregnancy

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

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)

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

and especially for:

Jenny Hill, Christina Murphy, Jason Mather, Cath Butland, Leah Bennett, Jenny Potier, Su Paget, Gina Dias, Jane and Kevin O'Mahoney and Barbara Daly

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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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