

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office: Opening Hours: Mon-Thur 8am-1pm/Friday 8am-2pm/Sunday 8am-1pm.
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Newsletter: Available on our website. Deadline for items 11.00 am Thursday.

Clergy: Served by Fr. Mark Skelton and Fr. Brian Stevens (retired) .

Safeguarding: Parish Reps: Jodie Roberts: 01637 851697
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Donations to support others: We continue to collect for our local Food Banks in Newquay and Perranporth. Food items can be left at the back of each church.

Refreshments: Served after Sunday 10.30am Mass at Most Holy Trinity, Newquay.

Collections

Please note all cheques to be made payable to:
 PRCDTR Newquay, Perranporth and St Agnes RC Parish

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| MHT £317.05 December Standing Orders: £1173.33 | CTK £127.18 December Standing Orders: £70.00 | OLSOS £59.00 December Standing Orders: £455.00 |
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Thank you for your generosity and ongoing support!

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| Our Churches | Most Holy Trinity (MHT) Lower Tower Road, Newquay, Cornwall, TR7 1LS | Lanherne Convent Chaplain's House, St. Mawgan, Newquay, Cornwall, TR8 4ER |
| | Christ the King (CTK) Wheal Leisure Road, Perranporth, Cornwall, TR6 0EZ | Our Lady Star of the Sea (OLSOS) Trevaunance Road, St. Agnes, Cornwall, TR5 0SE |



The Catholic Parish of Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes

*Most Holy Trinity, Newquay
 Christ the King, Perranporth
 Our Lady Star of the Sea, St. Agnes*

*Our Parish is part of the Diocese of Plymouth:
 Registered Charity No. 213227*

Sunday 12th January 2025
 The Baptism of the Lord

Sunday Year C
 Weekday Cycle I

Mass Times and Intentions

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| Saturday 11th January | 6.00pm | | (Newquay) |
| Sunday 12th January | 8.30am 10.30am 4.00 pm 6.00 pm | Rosemary Kinnear RIP Danuta Wawszczak RIP People of the Parish (Perranporth) | (Newquay) (Newquay) (St. Agnes) |
| Monday 13th January | 10.00am | | (Newquay) |
| Tuesday 14th January | 7.00pm | Cyril Raymond Honey RIP and June Pamela Honey RIP | (Newquay) |
| Wednesday 15th January | 10.00am 10.00am 12.30pm | University Mass | (Newquay) (St. Agnes) (Falmouth) |
| Thursday 16th January | 10.00am | | (Perranporth) |
| Friday 17th January | 10.00am 10.45am | Adoration and Benediction | (Newquay) |
| Saturday 18th January | 6.00 pm | | (Newquay) |
| Sunday 19th January | 8.30 am 10.30am 4.00 pm 6.00 pm | Skidmore and Butterly Family Intentions People of the Parish | (Newquay) (Newquay) (Perranporth) (St. Agnes) |

The Baptism of the Lord Antiphons and Readings

Entrance Antiphon: After the Lord was baptized, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.

First reading: **Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11** Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins.

A voice cries: 'In the wilderness prepare the way of the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken.'

Go on up to a high mountain, O Sion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, 'Behold your God!' Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

Responsorial Psalm: 104(103):1b-2. 3-4. 24-25. 27-28. 29-30. R1

Response: Bless the LORD, O my soul! My God, how great you are!

Second reading: Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7 Beloved: The grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Saviour Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness, and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works. But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Saviour appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Saviour, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia. He who is mightier than I is coming, said John. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire. Alleluia.

Gospel: At that time: As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Christ, John answered them all, saying, 'I baptise you with water, but he who is mightier than I is coming, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.'

Now when all the people were baptised by John the Baptist and when Jesus also had been baptised and was praying, the heavens were opened, and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form, like a dove; and a voice came from heaven, 'You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.'

Communion Antiphon: Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God.

Prayers for the Sick

Thank you for your prayers for those who are sick and/or housebound. We pray for Madeleine Sergeant, Anne Kelly, Josie Riley, Althea Stevens, Nancy Lyall, Joyce Allen, Evelyn Morris, Kathleen Birch, Heather Anderton, John Cain, Harry Cain, Mary Cain, Lily Callaghan, Graham Sumner, Patrick Hinder, Pat Hinder, Michael Collins, John O'Shea, Christopher Moffat, Teresa Osborne, Sid Osborne Rose Fitt and Alex Fitt at this time.

If you would like to add yourself or a close family member then please email the Parish Office.

Saint of the week St Marguerite Bourgeoys

Intention prayer- against poverty, for grief, and those rejected from Holy Orders

At twenty years old, Blessed Virgin Mary revealed her presence atop of a gate to St Marguerite. After the miracle, she attested "I gave myself to God in the year 1640." She was denied from two different convents yet found her way by God's will into Holy Orders on a Canadian missionary trip. Becoming a figure to care for the sick, and to help young women, St Marguerite felt her calling to God after the loss of her mother. She is the patron saint against poverty, for the loss of parent(s) and those rejected from Holy Orders.

Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)

Help us to raise vital funds for the above by placing any unwanted collectables such as broken jewellery, rosaries, medals, old trophies, old coins, keys, etc, into the orange collection box at Most Holy Trinity. Please see the notice on the orange box for more details. Thank you for your support.

Vacancy

Diocese of Plymouth

We have a vacancy for a Parish Secretary post based at the Parish Office, Woodland Road, St. Austell. If are interested in applying for this, then please see the noticeboard for more details.

Safeguarding Training

We are having a Safeguarding Training Day led by Rob Kingdon, from the Diocesan Safeguarding Team, in the Parish Hall at Most Holy Trinity on Saturday 1st March (timings yet to be confirmed) Refreshments and lunch will be provided.

Training is mandatory for any volunteers in ministry that requires a DBS, including all Eucharistic Ministers (Level 1).

All parishioners who have had their DBS's processed, either new or a recheck, have been sent out the link to the Catholic Safeguarding training (LMS), and have been asked to complete the Volunteer Level 3 Module. All volunteers who haven't completed this training online will need to attend the training on 1st March at Most Holy Trinity to enable them to continue to volunteer in ministry.

Poor Boxes

Thank you for your donations of £45.75. The funds raised enables us to reach out to those in need throughout the year.

Lillian Mary Kilday RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Lillian Mary Kilday who died recently, may she rest in peace and we remember her family in our prayers at this time. Lillian's funeral will be held on Thursday 16th January at 1.00pm at Penmount Crematorium, Truro.