PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office:	Opening Hours: Mon-Thur 8am-1pm/Friday 8am-2pm/Sunday 8am-1pm. Most Holy Trinity Church, Lower Tower Road, Newquay, TR7 1LS. Email: newquay@prcdtr.org.uk or mark.skelton@prcdtr.org.uk Office No: 01637 851697. Mobile: 07912 949393 or Home No: 01637 709168
Website:	www.newquayperranporthandstagnes.org.uk
Newsletter:	Available on our website. Deadline for items 11.00 am Thursday.
Clergy:	Served by Canon Mark Skelton and Fr. Brian Stevens (retired) .
Safeguarding:	Parish Reps: Jodie Roberts: 01637 851697 Aileen Barry: 01872 396 492 and Zoe Milward 07368 201881 Diocesan Safeguarding Office: 01364 645430
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

Most Holy Trinity	Christ the King	Our Lady Star of the Sea
27.09.26 - £295.08	27.09.26 - £123.15	27.09.26 - £67.80
04.10.26 - £229.72	04.10.26 - £90.05	04.10.26 - £79.33
11.10.26 - £277.83	11.10.26 - £113.43	11.20.26 - £82.00
18.10.26 to be counted	18.10.26 to be counted	18.10.26 to be counted

Thank you for your generosity and ongoing support!

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

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Most Holy Trinity, Newquay
Christ the King, Perranporth
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DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH

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

Sunday 25th October 2026
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Year A
Weekday Cycle I

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 24th October	6.00pm	Sofia Dyson (Intention)	(Newquay)
Sunday 25th October	8.30am	Beverley Rousett RIP	(Newquay)
	10.30am	Francesca Brooks (Intention)	(Newquay)
	4.00pm	People of the Parish	(Perranporth)
	6.00pm		(St. Agnes)
Monday 26th October	**NO MASS at 10.00am**		(Newquay)
Tuesday 27th October	**NO MASS at 7.00pm**		(Newquay)
Wednesday 28th October	10.00am		(Newquay)
	10.00am		(St. Agnes)
	12.30pm	University Mass	(Falmouth)
Thursday 29th October	10.00am		**(**Perranporth)
Friday 30th October	10.00am	Brenda Cowie RIP	(Newquay)
	10.45am	Adoration and Benediction	(Newquay)
	2.00pm	**Funeral for Gerard Bowick**	**(St. Agnes)**
Saturday 31st October	6.00pm	Special Intention	(Newquay)
Sunday 1st November	**NO MASS at 8.30am**		(Newquay)
	10.30am	Holy Souls	(Newquay)
	4.00pm	Jane RIP	(Perranporth)
	6.00pm	People of the Parish	(St. Agnes)

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Reading and Antiphons

Entrance Antiphon: Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

First Reading: Exodus 22:21-27 Thus says the Lord: 'You shall not wrong a sojourner or oppress him, for you were sojourners in the land of Egypt. You shall not mistreat any widow or fatherless child. If you do mistreat them, and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry, and my wrath will burn, and I will kill you with the sword, and your wives shall become widows and your children fatherless. If you lend money to any of my people with you who is poor, you shall not be like a money-lender to him, and you shall not exact interest from him. If ever you take your neighbour's cloak in pledge, you shall return it to him before the sun goes down, for that is his only covering, and it is his cloak for his body; in what else shall he sleep? And if he cries to me, I will hear, for I am compassionate.'

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 18(17):2-3a. 3b-4. 47, 51ab. ℣2

Response*:* I love you, LORD, my strength.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10 Brothers and Sisters: You know what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you received the word in much affliction, with the joy of the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For not only has the word of the Lord sounded forth from you in Macedonia and Achaia, but your faith in God has gone forth everywhere, so that we need not say anything. For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia. If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him. Alleluia.

Gospel: At that time: When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together. And one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. 'Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?' And he said to him, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.'

Communion Antiphon: We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

Prayers for the Sick

Thank you for your prayers for those who are sick and/or housebound. We pray for Eric Grove, Sofia Dyson, Nancy Lyalll, Sidh and Nima, Jeanette Menzies, Jesus Gonzalo Medina Colmenares, Lisa Cain, Brenda Robinson, Matthew Thomas, Patricia Rose Thomas, Bernard Maher, Jim Noonan, Evelyn Morris, Heather Anderton, John Cain, Mary Cain, Lily Callaghan, Graham Sumner, Michael Collins, John O'Shea, Christopher Moffat, Teresa Osborne, Sid Osborne, Shirley Osborne, Michael Matthews, Jenny Kelly, Christine Pawlowski, Ron Probert and Darren May.

RCIA Journey in Faith Group

For those interested in learning more about the Catholic Church and for those who wish to be baptized and received into full communion with the Church at Easter there will be an initial meeting on Wednesday 28th October at 7pm in the Church Hall. Fr Mark will have got back from his hols the night before so this will be an opportunity just to have a chat over a cup of tea or coffee and see the timetable of the meetings we will have in the coming months.

Blessing of the Graves.

During the month of November when we are particularly encouraged to pray for those who have died, we traditionally visit and bless the graves of our family and friends. The dates for our communal visits to the cemeteries in our parish are below.

Fairpark Cemetery
Tuesday 3rd November - Midday,

St Agnes Cemetery
Tuesday 10th November - Midday**.**

Perranzabuloe/Callestick
Thursday 19th November - Midday.

CAFOD - Harvest Family Fast Day

Many thanks for your generous donations of £620.12 for CAFOD Family Fast Day. Thank you.

Parish Games Afternoon (Newquay)

Come and join us for tea and a chat, board games and cards on Tuesday 3rd November at Most Holy Trinity Church, Newquay at 2.00pm. All Welcome.

A Feast for all Peoples

As we prepare to set up our PPC in the Spring we are going to take a few weeks to reflect together upon the idea of 'Synodality'. Pope Leo says 'we want to be a synodal Church, a Church that walks, a Church that always seeks peace and that always tries to be close especially to those who suffer'. Synodality is about relationship, about authentic practices of listening and encounter even with those with whom we disagree or have little in common.

Synod comes from the Greek meaning 'to walk together'. It seeks ongoing conversion through shared encounter, listening, courageous speaking and discernment. Hopefully in the coming 5 sessions we will, by using the conversations in the Spirit and Lectio Divina learn more about ourselves, each other and God's plans for our parish family.

Friday 6th November – 7pm
Friday 13th November - 7pm.
Friday 20th November – 7pm.
Friday 27th November – 7pm.
Friday 4th December – 7pm.

First Reconciliation
and First Holy Communion

For those parents and carers who are hoping for their children to celebrate these wonderful sacraments for the first time in the coming year, there will be an initial meeting to discuss the outline of the programme at 6pm on November 20th. The sessions themselves will begin in January but this will be an opportunity to find out a bit more about the programme as at that meeting all the details will be available. This will give you a few weeks, as a family, to decide whether you feel ready to make the commitment.

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