



The Catholic Parish of Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes

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Sunday 30th January 2022
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Year C
Weekday Cycle II

Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday 29th January		Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)
Most Holy Trinity	6.00 pm	Joyce and Gill Allen (Intention)
Sunday 30th January		Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Most Holy Trinity	8.30 am	People of the Parish
Most Holy Trinity	10.30 am	Peter Hocking RIP
Christ the King	4.00 pm	Holy Souls
Our Lady Star of the Sea	6.00 pm	Amelia Przybysz (Intention)
Monday 31st January		St. John Bosco
University	12.00 pm	Private Intention
Tuesday 1st February		Feria
Most Holy Trinity	9.30 am	John Cowie (Intention)
Wednesday 2nd February		The Presentation of the Lord
Most Holy Trinity	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Our Lady Star of the Sea	9.30 am	Private Intention
Thursday 3rd February		Feria
Christ the King	9.30 am	Private Intention
Friday 4th February		Feria
Most Holy Trinity	9.30 am	Bernard Haimes RIP
Saturday 5th February		Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)
Most Holy Trinity	6.00 pm	Albert Monk RIP
Sunday 6th February		Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Most Holy Trinity	8.30 am	Kathleen Mason RIP
Most Holy Trinity	10.30 am	People of the Parish
Christ the King	4.00 pm	Sabina Mason (Intention)
Our Lady Star of the Sea	6.00 pm	Teresa Rickards RIP

““When they heard this everyone in the synagogue was enraged.”

In November 2020, more than fifty people of different faiths in Birmingham, England, shared in an online webinar their experiences of Covid-19 restrictions and interfaith collaboration. A Sikh spoke of his community's concern for vulnerable people and felt the pandemic spotlighted inequalities and the need for collective social action. Hindus believe giving of surplus is rewarding and benefits the community, and food boxes were regularly delivered to people isolating at home. "Covid has shown how interdependent we are," a representative said. A Muslim teacher said she was one of many who cooked extra food and brought it to the mosque, where people in need could collect it. Her mosque helped out a nearby church that phoned when their food bank ran low. "Humanity really came through," she said.



A Catholic priest in the Archdiocese of Birmingham Commission for Inter-Religious Dialogue said faith communities were at the forefront of response to the pandemic crisis. "They don't share faith but they share a common humanity," he said. A representative of the Columban Missionary Society shared its charism of crossing boundaries to engage with people of other faiths. The gathering concluded that dialogue around daily life and common action is a foundation for promoting peace and the common good. The meeting ended with the Hindu greeting "Namaste", which means "the Divinity in me recognises the

Divinity in you".

In today's Gospel, Jesus has just been enthusiastically acclaimed in the synagogue at Nazareth for announcing the promised Jubilee, which he calls "the Lord's year of favour". Yet the whole mood suddenly changes. The listeners become so set against him that he is in danger. But what happens to make the crowd turn on him so quickly?

They are upset because Jesus had been working all kinds of miracles and healings in Capernaum and other places, only now returning to his hometown of Nazareth. Jesus antagonises them further by telling them that his mission and the "Lord's year of favour" will not be restricted to them but extends to people who are not Jewish. He reminds them of two people outside the Jewish faith who were blessed by God in the scriptures. The listeners have a sense of privilege that comes from having as a miracle worker one of the kids who grew up locally. Yet they want to keep the best things in life - that is, God and God's favours - within their own closed circle and the Jewish community. The sense of privilege, of having some special status with Jesus, evaporates as it dawns on them that they are going to get no special treatment. What should have been joy at the prospect of many being helped by Jesus turns to rage that he would so freely bestow "the Lord's favour". Jesus' fellow villagers display their lack of openness to his message by pushing him out of the synagogue. They are about to hurl him down a hill when he manages to slip away and continue his work elsewhere. In Luke's Gospel Jesus never returns to Nazareth.

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Parish Pastoral Councils

Given the rich diversity within our extended parish, and bearing in mind the various challenges we are all facing at this time, but nevertheless seeking to move forward, we are exploring the possibility of having a local Pastoral Council in each of our communities. If you are interested or have any suggestions then please email Fr. Martin. Thank you for your support.

Prayers for the Sick

Thank you for your heartfelt prayers for all those who are sick. We pray especially for Justine Hocking, William Walton, Sabina Mason, Dominic Keogh, Brian Bickle, Rita Lawless and Bishop Christopher Budd at this time. (If you would like to include a close family member in the prayers for the sick then please email the Parish Office.)

COVID - Guidelines - UPDATE

There have been a number of directives that we received late this week, as we were going to press. We aim to review the practices that we have been following over recent months. Reading those guidelines we are pleased that we seem to be moving back to our normal procedures. However, we still have a number of parishioners who are naturally concerned and so will possibly still request face masks to be worn during our Masses. This is out of a sense of support to those who are still fearful and also recognises that some of our parishioners have not been vaccinated. I'm sure you will appreciate we are keen to ensure that Churches continue to be places where people feel safe to gather to worship. Thank you.

Fr Martin

Church Renovations

We are in the final stages of the renovations to the church with the painting, the carpet has been fitted and the newly refurbished pews are soon to be delivered. We aim to reopen on Saturday 5th February for the 6.00pm evening Mass. Thank you for your patience and ongoing support with this extended project. Please check the website to view some of the photos of the works so far via the link on our Welcome page. Thank you.

New Weekday Mass Times

Thank you to those who have given feedback relating to the times of weekday Masses in each of our 3 communities within our wider Parish. We have tried to incorporate as many as possible given the restraints. We will aim to implement the new schedule this coming week. We thank Fr Brian for his support in enabling us to move forward with minimal changes in Newquay.

† Monday	-	12 noon in the University
† Tuesday	-	9.30 am in Newquay
† Wednesday	-	9.30 am in Newquay (Fr Brian)
† Wednesday	-	9.30 am in St Agnes
† Thursday	-	9.30 am in Perranporth
† Friday	-	9.30 am in Newquay

We will aim to follow this schedule wherever possible but naturally it will need to be changed when we have a funeral and when Fr Martin is away.

Walking Together

The Diocese have been receiving lots of feedback from parish groups on the Synodal journey but would love to hear more from those who may not be able to or wish to participate in a group. There is a short online survey which can be completed anonymously www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/9MVCQ7M.

Please share this link with family and friends. If you want to keep in touch with the Synodal Journey, newsletter updates can be found on our website <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/walking-together-the-process/>

Parish Database Forms

Thank you to those of you who have recently completed our new Parish Database Forms and handed them to Jodie in the Parish Office. If you have not yet done this then please collect a form, complete it and return it as soon as possible. Thank you.

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon

Save us, O Lord our God!
And gather us from the nations,
to give thanks to your holy name,
and make it our glory to praise you.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19



Responsorial Psalm:

My lips will tell of your help.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord;
No one can come to the Father except through me.
Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Prayer for the Synod

May our synodal preparations
inspire people to dream
about the church we are called to be,
to make hopes flourish,
to stimulate trust,
to bind up wounds,
to weave new and deeper relationships,
to learn from one another,
to build bridges,
to enlighten minds and
restore strength to our hands
for our common mission.

We trust in your Spirit who journeys with us.

Communion Antiphon

Let your face shine on your servant.
Save me in your merciful love.
O Lord, let me never be put to shame,
or I call on you.

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Sacramental Programmes & Preparation

PARISH REGISTRATION – New Parishioners to our Parish, please hand your details into the Office.

BAPTISM PREPARATION – See Fr. Martin

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022 – We are finalising the number of children who will be making their First Communion in June 2022. If your child is in year 3 or above then please speak with Fr Martin at your earliest convenience.

CONFIRMATION – Year 9 upwards. If interested please speak with Fr Martin.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION – Please contact Fr Martin (or the priest in the parish where you are looking to get married) at least six months prior to your proposed wedding date. A contribution of £175 is requested for the Church for weddings with a Registrar Fee of £55.00 (flowers and organist are by personal arrangement).

RCIA PROGRAMME/JOURNEY IN FAITH – If you are interested in knowing more about the Catholic church then please contact Fr Martin.

Collections

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

MHT Collection: £233.16

December Standing Orders:
£867.33

CTK Collections: £48.70

December Standing Orders:
£30.00

OLSOS Collections: £370.86

December Standing Orders:
£165.00

Thank you for your generosity which allows our extended parish to grow and flourish!

Sick Calls/Visits

If you require a priest in an emergency in the absence of Fr Martin, here are the following numbers for the various parishes in Cornwall (Plymouth Diocese).

Bodmin ☎ 01208 72833 - Fr Ciaran McGuinness • St Austell ☎ 01726 73838 - Fr Michael Brandon
Falmouth ☎ 01326 312763 - Fr Brian Kenwick (Dean of Cornwall)
Penzance ☎ 01736 362619 - Fr Philip Dyson • Newquay ☎ 01637 851697 - Fr Martin Stone
Truro ☎ 01872 272291 - Fr John Gilbert • ☎ 01637 861752 Lanherne Convent - Canon Scott Smith

Our Churches

Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church

Lower Tower Road,
Newquay, Cornwall, TR7 1LS

Lanherne Convent

Chaplain's House, St. Mawgan,
Newquay, Cornwall, TR8 4ER

Christ the King

Wheal Leisure Road,
Perranporth, Cornwall, TR6 0EZ

Our Lady Star of the Sea

16 Trevaunance Road,
St. Agnes, Cornwall, TR5 0SE

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