

Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday	30 th March	11.00 am	Blessing of the Polish Food	(MHT)
		7.00 pm	Easter Vigil	(MHT)
Sunday	31 st March	8.30 am	Holy Souls	(MHT)
		10.30 pm	Brian Fury RIP	(MHT)
		4.00 pm	Mary Clarke RIP	(CTK)
		6.00 pm	People of the Parish	(OLSOS)
Wednesday	3 rd April	9.30 am	Harnett Family Intentions	(MHT)
Saturday	6 th April	6.00 pm*	Allan Cunningham RIP and Victoria Montagu (Intentions)	(MHT)
		Sunday	7 th April	8.30 am
		10.30 pm	Special Intention	(MHT)
		4.00 pm	Tommy Kolinski RIP	(CTK)
		6.00 pm	Mary Rickards RIP	(OLSOS)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated before or after Mass, or on request.

**First Mass of Sunday*

Collections

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

MHT Collections: £281.02 Dec. Standing Orders: £1,173.33	CTK Collections: £109.55 Dec. Standing Orders: £70.00	OLSOS Collections: £94.50 Dec. Standing Orders: £455.00
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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

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



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Sunday 31st March 2024

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Sunday Year B

Weekday Cycle II

*"The stone had been moved away
from the tomb."*

Most of us will have experienced some kind of disappointment, pain or failure - it is part of life and cannot be avoided. For some this will be the loss of a loved one, or the break-up of a marriage. For others it might be persistent ill health, a job they don't enjoy or financial hardship. Some may perhaps feel that life has been a disappointment, a series of small, exhausting setbacks and broken dreams. We all have our own crosses to bear. For the disciples, the crucifixion and death of Jesus on Good Friday must

have signalled the ultimate dashing of all their hopes and dreams. They had seen him as the Messiah, the anointed one, the one who was to save them... and now he was gone.

But everything changed when Christ rose from the dead on that first Easter Day - nothing would ever be the same again. Without the resurrection the Jesus story would have been an interesting footnote in history - a miracle worker, a holy man, remembered with fondness and a little disappointment by his friends. As each of the apostles passed away,

the memories would have dimmed and the "Jesus Movement" would probably have withered away, a few stories passed on to grandchildren perhaps and then nothing left but folklore - and then nothing.



The resurrection means that we can say "Jesus is alive!" in the present tense. He has conquered death, not just for himself, but for all peoples and all times. It enables us to say "He

lives among us”, not a figure from history, but as a living presence - in the present. The risen Christ transcends time and space - he is available everywhere to everybody.

For the disciples, the resurrection meant that Jesus had fulfilled the promise he had made to them. He truly was the Son of God. He appeared to them in various places in the days that followed, enabling

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Prayers for the Sick

Thank you for your prayers for those who are sick and/or housebound. We pray for Fr Martin Stone, Canon Philip Dyson, Joyce Allen, Evelyn Morris, Pat Byrne, Kathleen Birch, Molly Taylor, Rebecca May, Heather Anderton, John Cain, Mary Cain, Lily Callaghan, Patrick Hinder, Pat Hinder, Vicky Law, Justine Hocking, William Walton, Sabina Mason and John Lavelle at this time. If you would like to add yourself or a close family member then please email the Parish Office.

Poor Boxes

Thank you for your donations of **£32.00** in the Poor Boxes. The funds raised enable us to reach out to those in need.

Gift Aid Envelopes (2024-2025)

While many now give by standing order we have, nevertheless, ordered Gift Aid Envelopes for the next tax year for those who still use them. We will let you know when they arrive. Thank you for your ongoing support.

British Summer Times begins

Please note that the clocks go forward one hour on Sunday 31st March.

Thomas the “doubting disciple” to proclaim, “My Lord and my God!” More than just an ordinary man, the Word made flesh, the risen Lord, was ready to fill his followers with his Holy Spirit so that the Christian Church could begin and then spread to every corner of the globe.

Holy Week & Easter Supply

We thank Fr Maurice O’Mahony CSsR, a Redemptorist, who has covered all the Holy Week Services, including Stations of the Cross in each of our churches. Thank you for your assistance.

Easter Offering Envelopes

These are available as usual from the back of church. Thank you for your support, generosity and continued prayers not only at Easter but, indeed, throughout the year.

Easter Collection

The Easter Collection goes to help support your Priest. Together with Christmas your offerings at this time form the major part of a priest’s allowance for the year. Thank you for your generosity and support!

Second Collection

There will be a second collection for Holy Places on Good Friday 29th March 2024. Thank you for your support.

Welcome

Please pray for Maisie and Rivers as we welcome them into God’s family. They were both received into our Parish on Holy Saturday.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Sick Calls/Visits

If you require a priest in an emergency in the absence of Fr Martin, here are the following numbers for some of the more nearby priests:

Bodmin - Fr Paul Keys
01208 72833

St Austell - Fr Michael Brandon
01726 73838

Truro - Fr John Gilbert
01872 272291

Fr Martin’s Health

Fr Martin had another consultant visit this week. In addition to an inflamed bursa and frozen shoulder, which he will receive an injection for, the scan seems to indicate that a muscle was torn but has thankfully almost healed. Fr Martin had a couple of injections which hopefully will allow him to begin to move his arm a little more normally and he will be using the next few weeks to begin to build the strength up in his arm. Thank you for your patience and prayers.

Patricia Nadolski RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Patricia who recently died, may she rest in peace. We remember her family in our prayers at this time.

Rachel Staffieri RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul Rachel who recently died, may she rest in peace. We remember her family in our prayers at this time.

Mary Rickards RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary who recently died, may she rest in peace. We remember her family in our prayers at this time.

Easter Sunday

Entrance Antiphon

I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia.
You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia.
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge
alleluia, alleluia.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Acts 10:34,37-43

Responsorial Psalm:

This day was made by the Lord:
we rejoice and are glad.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ, our passover, has been sacrificed:
let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord.
Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 16:1-8

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, ...**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, (All bow)** suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Communion Antiphon

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed,
alleluia;
therefore let us keep the feast
with the unleavened bread
of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.