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THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR LADY

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OUR LADY, STAR OF THE SEA

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THE SACRED HEART AND ST. IA

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Safeguarding: Contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Office on 01364 645430 or go via the Parish Office 01736 362619

FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER (B Psalter 4)

ALLELUIA THE LORD IS RISEN: HE IS RISEN INDEED: ALLELUIA

PENZANCE

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5 p.m.

Sat 24 April **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 5.00 p.m. *Parish and People*

Sun 25 April
Mass 11.00 a.m. *Scottie Hodges RIP*

Mon 26 April
Private Mass 8.30 a.m. *The Holy Souls*

Thu 29 April St Catherine of Siena, Patron of Europe
Mass 10.00 a.m. followed by Watch & Pray
Sarah Rudman RIP

Funeral Liturgy 2.00 p.m. Sarah Rudman RIP

Fri 30 April St Pius V
Private Mass 7.30 a.m. *Livia Morant RIP*

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 5 p.m.
Sat 1 May **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 5.00 p.m. *May Brindley RIP*

Sun 2 May
Mass 11.00 a.m. *Barbara Hanik*

HAYLE

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.

Sat 24 April **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 6.30 p.m. *A Thanksgiving*

Tue 27 April
Mass 10.00 a.m. followed by Exposition
Michael Wood RIP

1st Mass of Sunday on Saturdays 6.30 p.m.
Sat 1 **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 6.30 p.m. *Bill Glanville RIP*

ISLES OF SCILLY: see notice board for Liturgy etc.
(Bishop Christopher hopes to be back soon)

ST IVES

Sun 25 April **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 9.00 a.m. *Leo Pilley RIP*

Wed 28 April
Mass 10.00 a.m. *Jean Mulholland (b'day)*

Sun 2 May **FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Mass 9.00 a.m. *Parish and People*

The Pope's Prayer Intention for April

Fundamental rights: For those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.

This weekend: World Day of Prayer for Vocations, esp. priesthood & religious life.

For all our parishioners: For evangelisation in the parish. For all across the world caught up in natural disaster and Corona virus, and NHS & all emergency and vital workers and services. For all remaining in isolation. For all on our Sacramental programmes of Journey in Faith: First Reconciliation and Holy Communion, & Confirmation. May the Lord strengthen them all.

Our own sick, housebound & those in Hospitals or Hospice: Ray & Christine Blaker, Lynda Cripps, Christine Bunt, Tom Dauncey Jnr, Jackie Corsi, Sue Rowies, Hugo (4), Tony Noonan, Caroline Schofield, Grace Bailey, Fr. Richard Finn O.P. Jean & Roy Mulholland, Patsy & John Stevens, John Chamberlain, Christine Knowles, Sheila Devey. Eileen Carson, Tony King, Daniel McWilliams, Len Hall, Carrie Williams, Margaret & Norman Woolcock, Basil Carey, Liesel Young, Agnes Boggis, Claire Docksey, Basil Perry, Nicolette Parker, Ann Nash, Muriel Gadd, Marian Thomas, Monica & Jack McFadden & family: Tom Dolan, Poppy (10), Bob Bourne, Keith Waters, Anne Ryan Jim Annear, Barbara Hanik, Jerzy Giergielewicz (Ala's father) Fr John Webb & all lonely in the pandemic.

For those who have died, Sarah Rudman, Livia Morant, Bill Glanville (Jenny Hollow's mum) and for all who mourn.

Reconciliation/Confessions: Penzance

Saturdays from 4.15- 4.45 p.m. or by appointment

The Daring Duo's Dry Lentathon: Clean water for Africa, Peter and Kate: The splendid, exciting news is they managed to raise £2020. What a wonderful boost for all who supported them, and even greater for the dear people of Africa who will so benefit with clean water. .

200 Club: The draw for the first 3 months of 2021 plus the BIG April draw will take place after the 5 p.m. Mass this weekend. Subs for 2021/22 will then be due in May. New members always welcome.

My Day by Day for May are on the table now.

A day out at St Just-in-Roseland: Monday 26 April.

Our own West Cornwall Catenian group invite parishioners to join them for a walk in St Just-in-Roseland environs and visit to the historic church there. Meet in the car park in St Just at 10.30 a.m. on Monday 26th: As they are not sure if a café there is open, come prepared with a drink and a bite. A beautiful part of our Duchy. Please let Keno know if you are able to join them. His email kenotoriello@gmail.com or ring 07981626318

Day of Prayer for victims and survivors of Abuse. The Holy Father has asked all Bishops' Conferences to have a day of Prayer. For England and Wales this is on Tuesday, 4th May. Please continue to pray and support the listening to and healing of these individuals.

Safeguarding Review Implementation. The Elliot review group has been producing a regular newsletter, available every two weeks. It can be seen at www.catholicsafeguardingproject.org.

St Ives: Monthly Ecumenical Prayer meeting on Zoom.

Local Christians invite parishioners who may be interested to join in this once a month Zoom prayer time for St Ives on the last Wednesday evening of each month. This will from April. More info email; sarahalisoncashmore65@gmail.com

A Precious Place of God's Grace – the next step.

Bishop Mark has invited International speaker Michael Dopp to present to the clergy and laity of our diocese. . Drawing on the themes of missionary discipleship that are emphasized in the document, we will explore how to concretely live this out in our own lives, as a parish, and throughout the diocese.

Join us on Saturday 1st May, for the two part presentation 11am – 12noon. 1pm – 2pm.

Please register via the following link and you will receive a further link to join the session:

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/a-precious-place-of-gods-grace-michael-dopp-on-missionary-parishes-tickets-145433789379

Caritas Plymouth: latest newsletter on diocesan web.

Youth events: on line: arranged by Saskia Hogbin

Your faith in action: Social justice talks Monday 26 April 7.30- 9 pm by ZOOM. We are pleased that CAFOD will join us to talk about their Reclaim our Common Home campaign. We will have a chance to explore what is the G7 summit, coming to our parish in Carbis Bay. How does it impact on our lives? Why does it matter? For Zoom log email youth@prcdtr.org.uk

Pentecost Drama: Dance and singing workshops, 21, 28 April, 5, & 12 May 7.00 -8.15 by Zoom. Aimed at year 6 upwards. Zoom log as previous youth@prcdtr.org.uk

Saskia is seeking young people across the diocese that speak an additional language to English and would be happy to record themselves saying the Lord's Prayer.

Contact Saskia at same email as above.

Red Missio Boxes. Thanks to those who support world Mission through the Red Boxes or give directly. Communities around the world are so grateful that we in this parish are supporting them through prayer and generous donations. The missionaries and the people they serve, are living in such difficult circumstances, made even harder by Covid-19. They have asked me to pass on their thanks and tell us they pray for us all. Missio magazines are available, and find out more at mission.org.uk

Beda College Discernment weekend. The Beda College in Rome is running a discernment weekend for men between the ages of 30 and 55 from Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th September at St Beuno's Spirituality Centre in North Wales. The weekend is to reach men who are not already in touch with Fr. Ralph Candy, our Vocations Director, and is a first step for those who may be exploring the possibility of priestly vocation in later life. If interested speak initially to either Fr David or myself.

Online Retreats in Daily Life: 3, 4, 5, or 6 days of accompanied prayer in the Ignatian tradition are open to anyone. These are led by experienced members of the Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group. Email diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk or phone Wendy on 01752769164 or 07823447637

Lockdown: The weekday pattern of Mass resumes. I will continue with a private Mass on Monday's and Fridays.

But remember we are still in some lockdown, so we need to keep the Covid restrictions in place to keep as clear as possible of infection. **HANDS – FACE- SPACE** with an increased vigilance. Please do be aware of **SPACE:** make sure there is safe distance all round you, so that you are not breathing down someone else's neck in front of you.

Some notes from Bishop Mark about the Virus and Vaccine.

"Some people of faith – a very small minority it must be said – have suggested that believers should not worry about catching the virus. They suggest that it will not touch you if you have faith. This attitude is misguided. Apart from suggesting that faith acts like a kind of magic which instantly insulates us from all illness and disease, for us Christians, it is also something of a heresy. It equates us completely with the Lord, puts us on the same level. But we believe there is only one Son of God, who became incarnate. You or I are not him. He is the Lord, we are not. He is the source of all life, of healing. We are not."

Bishop Mark also urged people who were doubtful about receiving the vaccine to "reflect seriously on the matter", for "although it is a personal decision it is not just a private one." Bishop Mark noted. "What we choose has consequences not just for ourselves, but for all those around us." In receiving the vaccine, he said he was "grateful not just for myself, but for all those whom I encounter now or hope to encounter in the future, in my ministry as Bishop." He indicated he received the vaccine "out of love for them."

The Good Shepherd: The design of the logo from the front cover of the Catechism of the Catholic Church is taken from a Christian tombstone in the catacombs of Domitilla in Rome, which dates from the end of the 3rd century A.D. The pastoral image, of pagan origin, which was used by Christians to symbolise the rest and happiness that the soul of the departed finds in eternal life. This image also suggests certain characteristic aspects of this Catechism: Christ the Good Shepherd, who leads and protects his faithful (*the lamb*) by his authority (*the staff*) draws them by the melodious symphony of the truth (*the panpipes*) and makes them lie down in the shade of the '*tree of life,*' **his redeeming Cross which opens paradise.**