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**God Sent his Son, Born of a Woman**

Numbers 6:22-27 They are to call down my name on the sons of Israel, and I will bless them.

Psalm 66:2-3.5.6.8 **O God be gracious and bless us.**

Galatians 4:4-7 God sent his Son, born of a woman

**Alleluia! Alleluia** At various times in the past and in various different ways, God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets; but in our own time, the last days, he has spoken to us through his son. **Alleluia!**

Luke 2: 16-21 They found Mary and Joseph and the baby…When the eighth day came, they gave him the name Jesus

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**NEWSLETTER ITEMS** by Thursday 10.00 am please.

**COFFEE** in the Parish Centre after 10.30am mass
Our prayers are asked for:
Peter Prideaux-Brune, Brian Scott, Margaret Tregenna, Daphne & Roy Scott, Bernard Merrifield, Douglas Whitehead, Mary Parr, Martin Platt, Paddy Powell, Tony Stalley, David Lindsay-Jones, John Fudge, John Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Eileen Collings, Marian Vickery, Pat Shaw, Scott O’Connor, Joan Venton, Keith Whitford, Peter Hughes, Bernard Davis, Mary Wallace, Lee Johns and all our parishioners with disabilities and who are sick or housebound.

Pray for Vocations
Please pray for the Exeter Parish and, Fr John Deeney, Parish Priest, and for vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life from that Parish.

Rest in Peace
Joseph Coyne whose funeral is at St Michael's on Friday 6th January 10.30am

Rosary for Vocations
at 10am on Sundays at St Mary’s in the Blessed Sacrament chapel. Please join this devotion for an important cause if you can.

Prayer Meeting
in Fr Ciarán’s office every Wednesday at 6.30pm.

Baptism
We welcome into our community, Benjamin Robinson, who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this afternoon, 1st January, at St Mary’s church.

The Pope’s January Intentions
Christian Unity: That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord’s teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.

Evangelisation Corner
Simple way of Evangelisation.
Prayer Card
Green laminated Prayer cards available at back of church for yourself, or to pass onto loved ones, an acquaintance or neighbour. This prayer card has a beautiful prayer for healing and a comforting prayer of confidence. The latter composed by Blessed John H. Newman. Please find them at the back of church.

First Holy Communion
course will start after Christmas and meet weekly after the 10.30am mass in the Parish Centre. If anyone of Yr3 age and above would like to join the course it is not too late, please contact Fr Ciarán or the Parish Office 01208 72833.

Confirmation
Initial meeting next Sunday 8th January after the 10.30 mass at St Mary’s church Bodmin.

Congratulations
to Reverend Peter Littleton who was recently ordained Deacon as part of his journey to priesthood.
Thank you to all those who contributed in any way to the preparations for Christmas in our parish this year.

Thank you too for all the cards, good wishes and presents and for the generosity of your giving. May God bless you all and every blessing for the New Year. Fr Ciarán Fr Robbie would also like to add a note of thanks to everyone for their kind greetings and best wishes to himself and Sara.

Holy Communion
All new requests for Holy Communion to be taken to the sick/housebound need to come to Fr Ciarán/Sr Pauline in order for them to keep apprised of who is in need of the sacrament and a visit.

ADVENT RAFFLE
Thank you to all who contributed to the raffle and also those who bought tickets. The final amount raised was £350!

Padstow Holy Dusters
Church cleaning 9am Saturday 7th January. All volunteers most welcome.

St Mary’s Cleaners
Please find new rotas, with your names on, at the back of church for 2017. This replaces the previous rota.

Help Us to Help Them
Help Needed. Each year HCPT Group 507 Joint Services take veterans with disabilities to Lourdes to participate in the International Military Pilgrimage. Without volunteers to help them these ex-service personnel would not make the Pilgrimage. If you would like to help or for further information please contact Richard 01752 787697.

Dear God
O.K. I kept my half of the deal!
Where’s the bike, Bert?

Next Sundays Readings: The Epiphany of the Lord
Isaiah 60:1-6; Ps 71; Ephesians 3:2-3.5-6; Matthew 2:2.

When the Song of the Angels is Stilled
When the song of the angels is stilled,
When the star in the sky is gone,
When the kings and princes are home,
When the shepherds are back with their flock,
The work of Christmas begins:
To find the lost,
To heal the broken,
To feed the hungry,
To release the prisoner,
To rebuild the nations,
To bring peace among brothers,
To make music in the heart.

Howard Thurman