

DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH

**PARISH OF ST MARY & ST PETROC, BODMIN**

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**St Mary & St Petroc, Bodmin + St Michael, Wadebridge +**

**St Petroc, Padstow + St Paul, Tintagel**

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Fr Robbie's Homilies [www.stpaulrepositary.com](http://www.stpaulrepositary.com)



**Confession Times:** *On request and Tuesdays 10.00am (Padstow); Thursdays 6pm (Bodmin); Fridays 10.00am (Wadebridge); Sundays 5pm (Tintagel)*

**Masses week beginning Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019: 4thweek of Easter C Psalter 2**

	Bodmin	Padstow	Wadebridge	Tintagel
Saturday 11 May		5.30pm		
Sunday 12 World Day of Prayer for Vocations	10.30am <i>Susan Frost RIP Children's Liturgy</i>		8.30am <i>Parish</i>	5.30pm <i>Int Joyce Morris</i>
Monday 13	9.30am			
Tuesday 14 ST MATTHIAS - APOSTLE		9.30am <i>Adoration Ray Chew RIP</i>		
Wednesday 15	10.30am <i>Leon Taylor RIP</i>			
Thursday 16	6.00pm Adoration 6.30pm <i>Mary Commons RIP</i>			10.00am
Friday 17	Funeral Mass of <i>Pam Wilson RIP</i> 2.30pm		9.30am <i>Ray Chew RIP</i>	
Saturday 18	9.30am <i>Legion of Mary Mass</i>	5.30pm <i>Paul Michelmores RIP</i>		
Sunday 19	10.30am <i>Int 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Children's Liturgy</i>		8.30am	5.30pm <i>Int Joyce Morris</i>



**We Are His People, the Sheep of His Flock**

**Acts 13:14.43-52** We must turn to the pagans.

**Psalms 99:** We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

**Apocalypse 7:9.14-17** The Lamb will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water.

**Alleluia! Alleluia!** I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me. **Alleluia!**

**John 10:27-30** I give eternal life to the sheep that belong to me.

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

**COFFEE** in the Parish Centre after 10.30am Mass. All welcome

## Prayer for the sick:

Please pray for: *Carole Coates, Penelope Willis, Tony & Madeleine Singleton, Peter Richards, Marian Vickery, Margaret Chew, Mercia Hellyar, Michael Lasslet, Peter Prideaux-Brune, Scott O'Connor, Neita Tolhurst Tony Stalley, Paddy Powell and all the sick or housebound in our Parish and those who are particularly poorly at this time. May the Lord Bless them and all who care for them.*

## Pray for Vocations

Please pray for the parish of St Augustine Church, St Austell, & *Fr Peter Morgan*, Parish Priest & for vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life from that Parish.

## Last week's £842.72 - thank you!

	Padstow	W'bridge	Bodmin
S.O.*	86.80	101.15	156.25
Envelopes	5.00	20.00	42.00
Loose	91.27	203.60	136.65
<b>Total</b>	<b>183.07</b>	<b>324.75</b>	<b>334.90</b>

## Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Penelope Willis*. Please also remember her family in your prayers at this time.

**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.

## Legion of Mary

Meet every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month. Fr Ciaran celebrates mass at 9.30am on that Saturday morning at St Mary's and all are welcome to the Mass.

## The Pope's May Intentions



*Evangelisation: The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity*

That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be a seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.



## First Holy Communion

Next Meeting 26<sup>th</sup> May 2019  
11.30am – 12.15pm in the Parish Centre.



## Confirmation Course

Meet every Sunday 11.45am-12.30am in the Parish Centre.

## RUN TO THE SON:

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June to Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, Buckfast Abbey. For the third year running, a weekend of prayer and inspiration to help equip you for mission. Main features include:- a day of growth in discipleship led by Anthony Gielty, a night vigil of prayer welcoming the dawn in the splendour of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel and a sunrise Mass with Bishop Mark. Tickets £50 inclusive of food and camping facilities. (Other accommodation available at additional cost). Booking forms and more details available at [www.buckfast.org.uk/run-to-the-son](http://www.buckfast.org.uk/run-to-the-son) or contact St. Peter's parish office on 01752-701660 if you have any questions.

## Secular Clergy Fund

Annual collection for sick and retired priests in the Diocese is on 18/19 May. Please give generously and show our sick and retired priests how much you care.

## Ecumenical Pilgrimage to Crediton

in celebration of St Boniface on Sunday 9th June led by the Catholic Bishop of Plymouth, Right Reverend Mark O'Toole and the Anglican Bishop of Crediton, Right Reverend Jackie Searle. Beginning at 3pm with sung Evensong at the Anglican Parish Church of Holy Cross, Church Lane followed by a procession to the statue of St Boniface in Newcombes Meadow and then to the National Shrine of St Boniface, Park Road. The pilgrimage concludes with Solemn Benediction at approximately 4.30pm in St Boniface church adjoining the Shrine followed by light refreshments.

## Fowey Retreat Garden



Fr Robbie & Sara are opening their garden at Fowey 17, Lankelly Lane, PL23 1HN on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May as part of the Fowey Festival. Do come and see it and all the other 'Secret Gardens' that will be open. Teas, Coffee and cake on the terrace. All welcome.

## SVP Bodmin Conference

Meet on the first Tuesday of the month at 2pm in the Parish Centre.

## WALSINGHAM COMING TO PLYMOUTH:



From Thursday 16th May to Saturday 18th May the Dowry Tour of Our Lady of Walsingham will be coming to our Cathedral. This major and unique event in the life of our Cathedral has been touring in every other cathedral in England and Wales. The Rector of Walsingham Shrine will be coming with a support team to bring us this exciting opportunity for consecrating our lives to Mary. The Dowry Tour will include a replica shrine of the Holy House of Walsingham accompanied by a major exhibition on Walsingham, "England's Nazareth". There will be a solemn crowning of Our Lady and Act of Consecration celebrated by Bishop Mark, various talks by Mgr John Armitage, the Rector of Walsingham Shrine, a special Mass for the schools of our city, and other devotions. Please see the poster at the back of the church for more details. All are welcome. Please take advantage of this unique opportunity which will never happen again.

## School News



Thursday 16 May- Reception Class to visit Bodmin and Wenford Railway. Friday 17 May- Year 4 to visit the Eden Project  
*\*Unfortunately the Friends of School Bingo Session due to take place this Friday in the School Hall has been cancelled.*

**Getting Married Soon?** 'Marriage Care South West' is running a one-day marriage preparation course on Saturday 20th July at Plymouth Cathedral rooms. The "Preparing Together" course is for a group of engaged couples and is designed to be informal and interactive. If you would like to attend, then please telephone the Appointments Service on 0800 389 3801. Alternatively, you can contact them by emailing [appointments@marriagecare.org.uk](mailto:appointments@marriagecare.org.uk). More information about the course is available on the Marriage Care website ([www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)) or you can send any queries to the local coordinator, Jenny Allen, at [jennifer.j.allen1966@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.j.allen1966@gmail.com). (In 2019 there will also be one further course on 16th November

**Buckfast Abbey Retreat**

We will be holding a residential retreat at Southgate from Friday 12<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July. As part of the weekend, Fr Christopher will be running a Quiet Day, to run as part of the retreat. The Superior, Fr Francis will welcome participants and there may be contributions from other members of the Monastic Community as well. There are more details on our website (listing pictured below) and bookings are now being taken:

<https://www.buckfast.org.uk/product/tickets/s-top-in-the-name-of-god>



This retreat is especially aimed at those who have not been on a residential retreat before. It has been inspired by our work with an organisation called the Retreat Association, whose Icon (pictured here) we recently displayed in the Abbey Church for a few weeks to help raise

awareness of retreats, both here and at other Retreat Centres and Guest Houses all over the country. [www.retreats.org.uk](http://www.retreats.org.uk)

**Diocesan Summer Camps**



Applications are now being taken for places at the Plymouth Diocese Catechetical Summer Camps, to be held at

Grangehurst, Buckfast Abbey. Camp details and application forms can be obtained from your parish priest or on-line from the camp website: [www.pdsummercamps.org.uk](http://www.pdsummercamps.org.uk) Prompt applications are advisable.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes,**



1st - 8th August 2019. By air from Exeter. £795 pp (fully inclusive.) More info.: Pilgrimage Director, Fr. Kieran Kirby, 01803 294142 or the tour operator, *Joe Walsh Tours*. 0203 4680617, email: [info@joewalshstours.co.uk](mailto:info@joewalshstours.co.uk).

**Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to**

**Lourdes,** 1st - 8th August 2019. £495 pp (fully inclusive). Further details: *Rev. Anthony O'Gorman*, 01637 851697, [Anthony.O'Gorman@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:Anthony.O'Gorman@prcdtr.org.uk)

**To Make You Smile**

The Sunday School teacher, was telling his class the story of the Prodigal Son. Wishing to emphasize the resentful attitude of the elder brother, he laid stress on this part of the parable. After describing the rejoicing of the household over the return of the wayward son, the teacher spoke of one who, in the midst of the festivities, failed to share in the jubilant spirit of the occasion. "Can anybody in the class," he asked, "tell me who this was?" Nine year old Olivia who had been listening sympathetically to the story waved her hand in the air. "I know!" she said beamingly. "It was the fatted calf."

**Next Sunday's readings:**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

Acts 14:21-27; Ps 144;

Apocalypse 21:1-5; John 13:31-35