



**Our Lady of the Assumption &
St Mary Magdalene
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 12TH MAY 2024 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B)

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY—THE RIGHT USE OF THE MEDIA

(Readings: Ac 1:15-17020-26 Ps102 Jn 17:11-19)

Saturday 11th	Vigil Mass of Seventh Sunday of Easter	Yelverton 6.00pm	Mass	Int: Ann Harrison Intention
Sunday 12th	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Tavistock 9am	Mass	Int: Janet Gardner RIP
		Yelverton 10.45am	Mass	Int: People of the Parish
Tuesday 14th	Yelverton 9.25am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary		
St Matthias	10am	Mass	Int: Private Intention	
	Tavistock 6pm	Rosary Group		
Wednesday 15th	Cathedral 11am	Requiem Mass for Fr Michael Cole RIP		
No Mass in Tavistock				
Thursday 16th	Yelverton 10am	Requiem Mass for Margaret Mary Davidson RIP		
Saturday 18th	Vigil Mass of Pentecost	Yelverton 6.00pm	Mass	Int: People of the Parish
Sunday 19th	Pentecost	Tavistock 9am	Mass	Int: Thomas Patrick King, Sr. RIP
		Yelverton 10.45am	Mass	Int: Fr Louis Rieunier RIP

Sacrament of Reconciliation: After Mass or by appointment.

A very warm welcome to all our Visitors

Unfortunately, there will be no Saturday evening Masses at Yelverton from 25th May – 22nd June inclusive as we are unable to get cover for the Vigil Masses during Father's holiday. Sunday services will be as normal.

World Communications Day—Today there will be a retiring collection for World Communications Day. We pray for all who work in the media; may they broadcast with truth and integrity.

Please pray for ...

those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Theresa Palastre, Charles Hall, Leslie Smith, Luke Joseph Glancy, Winifrid Thorn, Major Albert Booth, Thomas George Gidley, Patricia Ann Eastbury, Frank Stanley Williams, Mary Elizabeth Swallow, Anthony Maxwell Hill, Christopher Robin Start, Kerri Louise Sheerin, Pamela Anne Crowley Brown, Theresa May Yelland, Francis Farrell, Richard Lee, Josie Holwill, Katharine Fitzgerald, Mark William John Gillett and Dennis Joseph McMahon.

the sick and/or housebound including: Kit Cook, Ian Kilpatrick, Roddy Meredith, Paul & Jan Demery, Geoff Luckman, Ian Wood, Audrey Campbell, Mandy Ewings, & Pat Johnston

Act now to stop DIY abortion up to birth MPs Diana Johnson and Stella Creasy have both tabled amendments to the Government's Criminal Justice Bill that would decriminalise abortion. In different ways, they would essentially legalise DIY abortion up to birth, for any reason. Please contact your MP urgently, asking them to oppose these extreme and barbaric proposals. You can do this using SPUC's easy to use webtool, at <https://www.spuc.org.uk/abortionamendments>. The Bill will be debated on 15 May, so please contact your MP NOW. Please pray for the defeat of these amendments, for protection of unborn babies, and help and comfort for mothers in need.

Children's Liturgy every Sunday. Children under 4 years of age need to be supervised by a parent/carer.

Every Wednesday **Coffee and Craft**, 10:30am -12:30pm in our meeting room. All welcome.

Pentecost Prayer Vigil — **Saturday, May 18th**, at St. Peter's, Crownhill. 8pm until Midnight. Quiet prayer before Jesus and the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome.

Date for your Diary: Sat 15th June Mary and Ian Bell are hosting a cream tea. Tickets on sale from Today.

We have no main **fundraising for the month of July** would anyone be able to host a coffee morning? Help will be available.

Tavistock Food Bank. For your information the following goods are required at our food bank: **Milk, Fruit juice, coffee, tinned fruit, biscuits, pot noodles.** Thank you.

Caritas Art exhibition at Plymouth Cathedral 18 – 24 May— From the **18th-24th May** there will be an **Art Exhibition and self-guided reflective walk.** On **Monday 20th May 12.00pm-4.00pm** Everyone is invited to drop in and add to the mass participation artwork in a **Creative Workshop – Mossy Carpet.** On the evening of **20th May 6.00pm-8.00pm** join us for our **Seeds of Hope Talk** to discuss and reflect about how we are called to be stewards of all creation. Registration essential. Email caritas@prcdtr.org.uk for more information or see the poster at the back of church.

St Rita's of Cascia Feast Day on Wednesday 22nd May 2024 at St Rita's Centre—see poster on the noticeboard at the back of church.

Angela Watson is running the Great West Run 1/2 Marathon on the 26th May 2024 in Exeter, as a fundraising event for our SVP conference. Please help Angela raise funds. There are sponsorship forms at the back of church and you can give online via Just Giving - Angela Watson (<https://www.justgiving.com/page/angela-watson-1712600964816>) or call Angela to be sent a link 07834829960

Please join us at the Third Annual Mass for Marriage Saturday June 8th 2024 at Midday at Plymouth Cathedral. Send us your anniversaries to add to the Order of Service - whether you have been married for one week or sixty + years (or about to marry). Let us know too when your wedding will take place if you are engaged. Light refreshments will be provided and (not so light) wedding cake. For further information please contact: deborah.vankroonenburg@prcdtr.org.uk

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Crediton on Sunday 9th of June at St Boniface Church, Park Rd, Crediton presided over by Cannon Paul Cummins. Parishioners are warmly invited to the celebration of the Feast of Saint Boniface, Patron of our Diocese. Pilgrims are invited to gather from 4:00 PM at the Church for Vespers and Benediction. Light refreshments will be provided. For further information, please see poster or e-mail crediton@prcdtr.org.uk. Parking is available nearby for coaches.

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 26th July - 1st Aug—Here's your chance to join us at Our Lady's beautiful shrine this year; let's go and bring some blessings back for our diocese! Fr Chris (01202) 746539. For a booking form please contact Ann in the Parish Office.

The Plymouth Catenian Circle are a group of Catholic men aged from 18 to 95 who meet socially each month to support each other in their faith and in their family life. We meet at The Boringdon Golf Club on the third Thursday of each month. We have an active social programme which includes walks, pub visits, visiting speakers, boules, barbecues and quizzes. Our wives also have a full programme of events. If you wish to know more please ask Fr. Cyriacus to introduce you to one of our members or contact David Leah, 07970097452 or Dleah55@msn.com

Collections:	
Sunday 28th April:	Loose Plate £135.70 & Card Reader: £42 Standing Order: £500
Thank you	

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Pope's Intentions for May — For the formation of Men and Women Religious, and Seminarians We pray that men and women religious, and seminarians, grow in their own vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, that leads them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel.
