

**THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF NEWQUAY,  
PERRANPORTH AND ST. AGNES**  
4th March 2018 – Third Sunday of Lent

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**Our Churches**

Most Holy Trinity RC Church, Lower Tower Road, Newquay, Cornwall, TR7 1LS  
Christ the King, Wheal Leisure Road, Perranporth, Cornwall, TR6 0EZ  
Our Lady, Star of the Sea, 16 Trevaunance Road, St. Agnes, Cornwall, TR5 0SE

**REFLECTION**

Third Sunday of Lent (Year B)

In the Gospel we hear Our Lord lose his temper with the money changers in the Temple and accuses them of turning his Father’s House into a market place. He then tells them to destroy the Temple and that in three days he will raise it up. Of course, when we read this now we know that he is talking about himself and his rising from the dead in three days, but we have this knowledge, through the grace of hindsight, which the people at that time didn’t have. Yes they met Jesus and spoke to him, but they could never have realised what was actually going to happen, because for them what Jesus was suggesting was impossible. Rebuilding a Temple in three days is one thing, but to actually rise from the dead is something else, this is what Jesus does to show us that death is not the end, that there is a life to come.

Jesus saw that the Temple, which was supposed to be the House of God, had become nothing more than a market place, if you like, the Tesco of Jerusalem. It is this Temple that is about to be replaced, not by another building, but by Jesus’s body, which is to be destroyed and then resurrected within three days.

In our world today it can be easy for us to put our possessions and our way of life before many other things. But they must never be put before respect for human life. We are all Children of God and therefore human life is sacred. If buildings are destroyed then they can easily be rebuilt. Not so with human life. So in times of war we must continue to pray for peace, we must continue to pray all those who have lost their life due to wars and conflicts throughout the world.

In the first reading we hear the Ten Commandments given to Moses, one of which is “Thou shall not kill” and as Christians we must pray for peaceful solutions to the problems of the world.

In the coming week let us take a few minutes each day to pray for all those who fear for their lives living in places of war, let us pray for all those involved in the conflict, and for the leaders of our Nations, we pray that the Lord will help them to see that war can never be the answer.

## SERVICE TIMES

Sunday 4th March		Third Sunday of Lent
MHT	10.30 am	Pearl and Daniel Donnelly
CTK	4.00 pm	Paddy McParland RIP
OLSOS	6.00 pm	Boeck Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren INT.
Monday 5th March		No Mass
Tuesday 6th March		Tuesday of the Third Week of Lent
MHT	9.30 am	People of the Parish
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
Wednesday 7th March		Wednesday of the Third Week of Lent
MHT	9.30 am	Benjamin and Ann Donnelly Wescomb INT.
Thursday 8th March		No Mass
OLSOS	9.30 am	Rosary
Friday 9th March		Friday of the Third Week of Lent
MHT	9.30 am	People of the Parish
MHT	10.00 am	Holy Hour and Rosary
MHT	5.30 pm	Stations of the Cross
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
Saturday 10th March		Vigil of the Fourth Sunday of Lent
MHT	6.00 pm	Jeno H Int.

## RESPONSES

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** You, Lord, have the message of eternal life.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Praise to you, O Christ the king of eternal glory! I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord, whoever believes in me will never die. Praise to you, O Christ, kind of eternal glory!

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** For anyone who drinks it, says the Lord, the water I shall give will become in him a spring welling up to eternal life.

Fr. Anthony will be available for confessions before Mass at Perranporth and St. Agnes throughout Lent.

Thank you to all who attended the Lenten Lunch on 23rd February and for your kind donations totalling £105.00 for CAFOD. Thank you also to those who made soup, helped set up, served and cleared away afterwards.

We welcome into God's family Shauna Kelly who was Baptised at Most Holy Trinity, Newquay on Sunday 25th February 2018.

Please note that there will be no Adoration at MHT on Monday 5th March and Monday 19th March.

We are looking for volunteers to help set up and clear away on the evening of Friday 9th March at the Celtic Night at MHT. Please let Jodie know if you can help.

Please note that since Natwest Bank has closed some of their branches, we can no longer take the old one pound coins as these are not accepted at our local Post Office.

N.B. Car Parking Free: Saturday from 5.00 pm – 8.00 pm and Sunday 8.00 am - 1.00pm  
For all other times, all visitors must go to the Reception to register your vehicle and avoid a fine.  
If you have any issues with Parking Eye please come to reception first.

### MINISTRIES (MHT)

DATE	MINISTERS	READERS	WELCOMERS
Saturday 3rd March (6.00 pm)	J Lavelle	J Selkirk, J Selkirk	Moira
Sunday 4th March (10.30 am)	P Connell, E Hunter	E Davies, J Miles	Hilary and Bill
Saturday 10th March (6.00pm)	J Selkirk, P Connell	S Karkeek, J Lavelle	Pat A
Sunday 11th March (10.30 am)	A Pickup, A Stevens	B Probett, D Wilson	Julia and Althea

DATE	CLEANERS	COUNTERS
Monday 5th March		Team B
Friday 9th March	E Ryan, P Ainley	
Monday 12th March		Team C
Friday 16th March	S Cleaver, M Nullmeyers	

### COLLECTIONS

MHT	CTK	OLSOS
Collection - £401.88 CAFOD Collection 615.70 Standing Orders (Jan) - £718.33	Collection - £160.10 CAFOD Collection - £37.54 Standing Orders (Jan) - £ 110.00	Collection - £172.51 CAFOD Collection – 180.85 Standing Orders (Jan) - £135.00
<i>(Thank you for your generosity)</i>		

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

### FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT

(26th February – 11th March) There will be a stall selling a selection of Fairtrade goods after Masses on Saturday 3rd March and Sunday 4th March. Farmers in developing countries need your support.

### CELTIC NIGHT

Friday 9th March at MHT Hall at 7.30 pm (All welcome)  
(Tickets on sale now from the office)

### RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Monday 19th March at 6.00 pm at MHT.  
Please note that there will also be a Polish Priest available that evening.

### TRINITY LADIES CIRCLE

Every third Monday of each month at MHT at 7.00 pm. Next Meeting 19th March 2018.

### YOUTH ALPHA (11 – 18 years)

We meet every Friday (MHT Hall at 6.00 pm – 8.00 pm)

## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Dennis O’Gorman, Vicki Phoenix, Santiago Alvarez, Margaret Baker, Joy Slater, Benjamin Donnelly-Wescomb, Pat O’Connor, Katherine Smith, Robert Bussandri, Fiona Southern, Ann D’Arcy, Nelson Alvarez, Patrick Wilson, Mark Dougherty, Pam Morgan, Mary Bradwell, Adam Cain, Fr. Fred Franklin, Molly Taylor, Marcus Bougourd, Heather Anderton, Susan Bartle, Douglas Frost, Gordon Huggins, Mary Mannell, Oliver Gledhill, Giacinto Barberio, Edward Bulgin, Tony Lee, Doreen Leverton.

IF YOU REQUIRE A PRIEST IN AN EMERGENCY IN THE ABSENCE OF FR. ANTHONY, HERE ARE THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS FOR THE VARIOUS PARISHES IN CORNWALL (PLYMOUTH DIOCESE)

BODMIN – 01208 72833 – Fr. Ciaran McGuinness

ST. AUSTELL - 01726 73838 – Fr. Peter Morgan (Dean of Cornwall)

TRURO – 01872 272291 – Fr. John Gilbert      NEWQUAY – 01637 851697 – Fr. Anthony O’Gorman

PENZANCE - 01736 362619 – Fr. Philip Dyson

ANDREW HENWOOD – FUNERAL DIRECTOR, 74 EDGCUMBE AVE, NEWQUAY  
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## **INFORMATION FOR SACRAMENTS**

PARISH REGISTRATION – New Parishioners to our Parish, please hand your details into the Office.

BAPTISM PREPARATION – See Fr. Anthony O’Gorman

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2017 – Classes are on Sundays after 10.30 Mass.

CONFIRMATION – YEAR 6 UPWARDS.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION - Please contact the Parish Priest six months prior to your wedding date.

WEDDINGS - CHURCH FEES £175.00 - REGISTRAR FEE - £55.00 (flowers and organist by arrangement)

RCIA PROGRAMME/JOURNEY IN FAITH