

**THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF NEWQUAY,  
PERRANPORTH AND ST. AGNES**  
6<sup>th</sup> September 2020 – Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Our Churches**

Most Holy Trinity RC Church, Lower Tower Road, Newquay, Cornwall, TR7 1LS (MHT)  
Lanherne Convent, Chaplain’s House, St. Mawgan, Newquay, Cornwall, TR8 4ER  
Christ the King, Wheal Leisure Road, Perranporth, Cornwall, TR6 0EZ (CTK)  
Our Lady Star of the Sea, 16 Trevaunance Road, St. Agnes, Cornwall, TR5 0SE (OLSOS)

**REFLECTION**

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Today’s Gospel talks about forgiveness, which is probably one of the toughest things to talk about. It is even more difficult sometimes, asking for forgiveness. How often does one have a row with a friend or a family member but refuse to believe that they are in the wrong. How often is it “not my fault”, but the fault of others. Deep down I’m sure many of us would love to be perfect, and never make any mistakes, but of course this is not true. Each of us make mistakes, and when we offend others then there is a word that we can use but very rarely do, or maybe we use it too often and it loses its effect. Whatever the outcome that word is “Sorry”.

Now, don’t for one minute, think that the person here preaching to you today is an expert on using this word, because I’m not. I can always remember a friend of mine being asked to judge a sand castle competition two summers ago. When he went down onto the beach, he accidentally trod on and destroyed one of the exhibits. I said to him, “Did you apologise”?, he said “Well sort of”, I said “What did you exactly say”?, he said “I told them that it was a silly place to build a sand castle. Then I said “Sorry”. We all have to realise that forgiveness and living as a loving community before God is Christ’s key commandment.

At the very end of our Gospel passage, Our Lord says that where two or three are gathered in my name, I shall be there with them. Unity within the Christian Church is also important and we hope one day to be part, not of a Catholic or Protestant Church, but a member of the Christian Church. However, this can only be achieved when we work at unity within our own community. It is then, that we can start to work for unity within our world.

# SERVICES

<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
MHT	8.30 am	People of the Parish
MHT	10.30am	Holy Souls
OLSOS	6.00 pm	People of the Parish
<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>NO MASS</b>
MHT		NO MASS
<b>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
MHT	9.30am	Frank Phillips RIP
<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>Weekday Mass</b>
MHT	9.30 am	Brenda Cowie Int.
		<b>NO MASS</b>
MHT		NO MASS
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>Weekday Mass</b>
MHT	9.30 am	Philip Keily RIP
<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September</b>		<b>Vigil of The Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
MHT	6.00 pm	Anne Patterson RIP

**It is with great regret that I have to address the finances of the Parish during these difficult times. I appreciate that we are all going through financial difficulties, but I would be very grateful if you could consider setting up a standing order to support our Parish as this will guarantee our financial security for the long term.**

**Many thanks  
Fr. Anthony**

## NOTICES AND DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

We need your support. During these very difficult months trying to manage all the directives given to us, has been a very difficult task. We have tried to balance so many demands but as our congregation is growing, could we ask for help to clean the church again. If you are able to help then please contact Jodie in the office. Thank you.

Most Holy Trinity Church will be open for Mass on Saturday evening at 6.00 pm and Sunday morning at 8.30 am and 10.30 am. There will also be a weekday Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 9.30 am.

Our Lady Star of the Sea in St. Agnes will be open for Mass on Sundays at 6.00 pm.

Christ the King is open for Private Prayer only on Sunday and Wednesday at 4.00 pm until 5.00 pm

(Social distancing restrictions will be in place when attending all Masses and Private Prayer and there will be restricted numbers allowed in the Church at any one time. Please wear face coverings at Mass. You will be required to give your name and contact number to our stewards for "Track and Trace" reasons)

Please see "Services" for all times of Public Masses to be celebrated by Fr. Anthony.

**These will all be live streamed via our Facebook page  
Most Holy Trinity R.C.Church**

You will appreciate that whilst the church is open to restricted numbers only, our overheads are still ongoing. We do have donation baskets on the tables and any payment, cheque or cash is most acceptable.

Cheques payable to: **PRCDTR Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes RC Parish**

Should you wish to contribute via standing order or

Direct debit then please email Jodie on [newquay@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:newquay@prcdtr.org.uk)

Of course, if you are a tax payer, to Gift Aid would be even more helpful to us.

**WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT**

Fr. Anthony would like to thank all those who have already sent generous amounts and who have set up standing orders to support us during these difficult times.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FOLLOWING HAVE BEEN CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Adoration, Rosary, Holy Hour, Fabrics and Finance Meetings,  
Parish Team Meetings, AGM, Holy Communion Groups, Mini Alpha, Youth Alpha,  
Afternoon Club, Trinity Ladies Circle, Table Tennis Club, etc.

Please note all cheques to be made payable to: **PRCDTR Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes RC Parish**

## COLLECTIONS

MHT	CTK	OLSOS
<b>Collection £208.60</b> Average weekly Standing Orders for August £225.00	<b>Other Gifts/Collections £20.00</b> Average weekly Standing Orders for August - £6.77	<b>Collection £90.60</b> Average weekly Standing Orders for August - £28.00
<i>(Thank you for your generosity)</i>		

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Under the new General Data Protection Regulation that came into force on 25th May 2018,  
we are unable to list names of any sick family and friends without their prior consent.

I ask you to pray for all who are sick or are suffering in any way.

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. Michael Brandon

FALMOUTH: 01326 312763 – Fr. Brian Kenwick (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 AVENUE, 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 Classes take place 11.30am – 12.30pm after Sunday Mass (suspended for now)

CONFIRMATION - Year 6 Upwards (2021)

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