

**THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF NEWQUAY,  
PERRANPORTH AND ST. AGNES**  
7th October 2018 – The Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Our Churches**

Most Holy Trinity RC Church, Lower Tower Road, Newquay, Cornwall, TR7 1LS  
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**REFLECTION**

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today’s Gospel in many ways is split into two parts. The first concerns itself with the ‘Law of Marriage’ and it is interesting to note that Jesus does not go along with what many consider to be the popular decision made by Moses. Jesus doesn’t rebuke Moses’ decision, rather he says that he was doing his best in the circumstances with which he was faced. Moses lays the blame with the people for being so unteachable. Jesus then reaffirms the Sacrament of Marriage. What we must never forget is that God is with all of us, so for those who are married he is there when times are good, which is hopefully most of the time. However we must never forget God is also there when things go wrong in a marriage and is truly a God of mercy and compassion.

The second part of the Gospel looks at what it is to be ‘Community’, again like last week he uses the image of children to get his point across. What is it to be ‘Community’? On Tuesday we had a wonderful outing to Buckfast Abbey. Our Mass gave us a wonderful feeling of community as parishioners from Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes all prayed together in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Here at Holy Trinity we have a wonderful model of community, in fact we have a head start, because the very Church in which we worship is call Holy Trinity. The Trinity of Father, Son and Holy Spirit is the perfect community. So how can we learn from the Trinity?

Well I often think that it is like dancing. The ideal of dancing is that two people should move as one especially if one is doing a waltz. But like many of you, I’m sure when I first learnt, it was not like this at all. The girl who I first tried dancing with ended up with very sore feet, a broken shoe and a twisted arm. I ended up with a sore leg, where she kicked me. After that brief episode I enlisted my sisters to teach me how to dance, which worked very well. The only problem with that was, the girl I took out that night, informed me at the beginning of the evening that she though dancing was for wimps.

The ideal community would work together in perfect harmony like the perfect dancing couple. However, because we are human, mistakes happen, people get annoyed, upset and fed up. What we have to do is keep trying to work together. Using the image of the Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit as our guide.

And the first way in which we can start is by making everyone feel welcome and truly part of our community here in Newquay, Perranporth and St. Agnes.

## SERVICE TIMES

Sunday 7th October		Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
MHT	10.30 am	Steve Jones RIP and family
CTK	4.00 pm	Deceased relatives and friends of the Keily Family
OLSOS	6.00 pm	Count Gunter Von Lichtenberg RIP
Monday 8th October		No Mass
MHT	7.00 pm	Adoration
Tuesday 9th October		Weekday Mass
MHT	9.30 am	Eamonn Byrne RIP
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
Wednesday 10th October		Weekday Mass
MHT	9.30 am	People of the Parish
Thursday 11th October		No Mass
OLSOS	9.30 am	Rosary
Friday 12th October		Weekday Mass
MHT	9.30 am	Frank Lockeridge RIP
MHT	10.00 am	Holy Hour and Rosary
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
Saturday 13th October		Vigil of the Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
MHT	6.00 pm	People of the Parish

**Confessions from 5.15 pm to 5.45 pm every Saturday evening before Mass**

## RESPONSES

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** May the Lord bless us all the days of our life.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** The Lord is good to those who hope in him, to the soul that seeks him.

(Please leave the kneelers down)

## NOTICES

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First Holy Communion Class this Sunday 7th October, after Mass.  
Confirmation Classes continue Sunday 14th October and every other week thereafter.

There will be no Mass on Tuesday 23rd October and Friday 26th October.

There will be a second collection for SVP at MHT next Sunday 14th October.

There will be a second collection for World Missions Sunday on the weekend of 20th/21st October.

There will be no Adoration on Monday 22nd October.

There will be no Youth Alpha on Friday 26th October

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 6th October (6.00 pm)	S Derbyshire, A Pickup	L Friel, J Lavelle	Pat A
Sunday 7th October (10.30 am)	A Stevens, A Pickup	K Mendes-Scott, J Miles	Teresa and David
Saturday 13th October (6.00pm)	S Derbyshire, A Pickup	E Ryan, L Friel	Chris and Tony
Sunday 14th October (10.30 am)	P Sergeant, E Davies	B Probett, D Wilson	Hilary and Bill

DATE	CLEANER	COUNTERS
Monday 8th October		Team A
Friday 12th October	D Wilson, A Rose	
Monday 15th October		Team B
Friday 19th October	E Ryan, P Ainley	

## COLLECTIONS

MHT	CTK	OLSOS
Loose Plate reported next week Standing Orders (July) - £742.33	Loose Plate reported next week Standing Orders (July) - £30.00	Loose Plate reported next week Standing Orders (July) - £125.00
<i>(Thank you for your generosity)</i>		

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY

Friday 5th October - Family Fast Day CAFOD invites us to fast, pray and give the money we save to help people in need around the world especially those without a reliable source of clean, safe water.  
All envelopes will be collected in this weekend.

### HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Sunday 7th October. Donations of fruit, vegetables, tins of food and general provisions will be most welcome.  
(Bring fresh fruit and vegetables on the day please)  
All goods will be auctioned off after 10.30 am Mass and all proceeds will go to CAFOD.

### TRINITY LADIES CIRCLE

Every third Monday of each month at MHT at 7.00 pm.  
Next Meeting 15th October. All Welcome.

### AFTERNOON CLUB

Every first and third Tuesday of the month at MHT 2.00 pm until 4.00 pm. All Welcome.

### YOUTH ALPHA

Every Friday at MHT at 6.00 pm until 8.00 pm (11-18 years)  
Food and drinks provided.

## 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 written consent.  
I ask you to pray for all who 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. Peter Morgan (Dean of Cornwall)  
TRURO – 01872 272291 – Fr. John Gilbert      NEWQUAY – 01637 851697 – Fr. Anthony O’Gorman  
PENZANCE - 01736 362619 – Fr. Philip Dyson

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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 are on alternate Sundays after 10.30 Mass commencing 23/09/18.  
CONFIRMATION – YEAR 6 UPWARDS – Classes are on alternate Sundays after 10.30 Mass commencing 30/09/18.  
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