

*THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF NEWQUAY,  
PERRANPORTH AND ST. AGNES  
23rd December 2018 – Fourth Sunday of Advent*

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**Our Churches**

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

Reflection for Fourth Sunday of Advent year C

You may find this hard to believe but some of my relatives are quite eccentric. Every Christmas my family and I have to endure a visit from two such relatives. One of the big problems is that the presents they give us are usually so obscure that it is hard not to laugh when we unwrap them. For instance, a few years ago they gave my Father a worn-out bar towel, my sister received a jigsaw puzzle, which is a bit much when you are pushing forty and I received a pebble. I tried to be charitable and tell myself it was a paperweight, but no, it was a pebble from a beach. Each year I say to myself that it is the thought that counts. One particular year they arrived five hours late.

In today’s Gospel Mary visits her kinswomen Elizabeth. Mary is pregnant with Jesus and Elizabeth is pregnant with John the Baptist. It is a visit which brings great joy to both women and their children, we are told that John leaps for joy when he feels the presence of Jesus near at hand.

For many of us Christmas is the time when family and friends come to visit or we visit them. I’m sure like me, there are some visits you look forward to and others you don’t. There is one visit which we always remember at Christmas, that is the visit Christ made when he became man and entered our world. What is significant thought, unlike the visit of family and friends for Christmas, Christ stays with us throughout our lives, journeying with us. His constant presence is his present to us.

**I wish you a Peaceful and Holy Christmas Season  
and thank you for all your generous gifts, donations and  
support you have given throughout the year.**



*There will be a collection basket by your crib over the Christmas Season  
for the Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth).*

## SERVICE TIMES

<b>Sunday 23rd December</b>		<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent</b>
MHT	10.30 am	Dean Sefton RIP
CTK	4.00 pm	Jayne RIP
OLSOS	6.00 pm	Gunter Von Lichtenberg RIP
<b>Monday 24th December</b>		<b>Vigil of the Nativity of the Lord</b>
MHT	5.00 pm	Christmas Children's Mass
CTK	7.00 pm	Christmas Mass
MHT	8.30 pm	Christmas Carols
MHT	9.00 pm	Christmas Mass
<b>Tuesday 25th December</b>		<b>The Nativity of the Lord</b>
OLSOS	8.30 am	Mass
MHT	10.30 am	Mass
<b>Wednesday 26th December</b>		<b>St. Stephen – ProtoMartyr (Altar Servers Mass)</b>
MHT	9.30 am	Beverley Ann Cox (Fitzgibbon) RIP and Mark Rogers RIP
<b>Thursday 27th December</b>		<b>No Mass</b>
OLSOS	9.30 am	Rosary
<b>Friday 28th December</b>		<b>The Holy Innocents</b>
MHT	9.30 am	Ray and Mary Nullmeyers (50th Wedding Anniversary)
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
<b>Saturday 29th December</b>		<b>Vigil of The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph</b>
MHT	6.00 pm	Lily and Tommy Tither

## RESPONSES

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** Drop down dew from above, you heavens, and let the clouds rain down the Just One; let the earth be opened and bring forth a Saviour.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! I am the handmaid of the Lord: let what you have said be done to me. Alleluia!

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** Behold, a Virgin shall conceive and bear a son; and his name will be called Emmanuel.

## SERVICE TIMES

<b>Sunday 30th December</b>		<b>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph</b>
MHT	10.30 am	Ray and Mary Nullmeyers (50th Wedding Anniversary)
CTK	4.00 pm	Ginto Barberio RIP
OLSOS	6.00 pm	Helena Boeck RIP and Peter Boeck RIP
<b>Monday 31st December</b>		<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Tuesday 1st January</b>		<b>Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God</b>
MHT	11.00 am	Kathleen Lewis (Kitty) RIP
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
<b>Wednesday 2nd January</b>		<b>St. Basil the Great</b>
MHT	9.30 am	Rita Owen RIP
<b>Thursday 3rd January</b>		<b>No Mass</b>
OLSOS	9.30 am	Rosary
<b>Friday 4th January</b>		<b>No Mass</b>
CTK	9.30 am	Rosary
<b>Saturday 5th January</b>		<b>Vigil of The Epiphany of the Lord</b>
MHT	6.00 pm	Rita Owen RIP

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

## RESPONSES

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** The Shepherds went in haste, and found Mary and Joseph and the Infant lying in a manger.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** O blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways!

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts; let the message of Christ find a home with you. Alleluia!

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** Our God has appeared on the earth, and lived among us.

## NOTICES AND DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Over the Christmas period the office will be closed except for Sunday 23rd December and Sunday 30th December.  
Normal office hours will resume from Sunday 6th January 2019.  
This Newsletter therefore incorporates 2 weeks notices.  
The next Newsletter will be for the weekend of 5th/6th January 2019.

Please note that Mass on Tuesday 1st January 2019 is at 11.00 am.

There will be no Mass on Friday 4th January 2019.

There will be no Holy Hour until 11th January 2019.

There will be a meeting on Tuesday 15th January at 6.00 pm for all of us to confirm together to discuss the position we are currently at with the proposed new build/our vision of MHT. All welcome.

### Over 60's Lunch

Wednesday 30th January 2019 – 12.30 pm for 1.00 pm (Sandy Lodge Hotel, Newquay)  
We will collect names and menu choices the weekend of 5th/6th January at the back of the Church.  
(A small donation towards this meal will be collected on the day)

The First Holy Communion Class will resume again on Sunday 13th January 2019.

The Confirmation Class will resume again on Sunday 20th January 2019.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DATE FOR CONFIRMATION HAS BEEN CHANGED TO SATURDAY 1ST JUNE 2019 AT 6PM.**

There will be no Youth Alpha on Friday 28th December and 4th January 2019,  
it will resume again on Friday 11th January 2019.

There will be no Adoration until Monday 7th January 2019 at 7.00 pm.

### CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Monday 24th December – 5.00 pm (Children's Mass) Monday 24th December – 8.30 pm (Carols)  
Monday 24th December – 9.00 pm (Christmas Mass) Tuesday 25th December – 10.30 am (Mass)

### CHRIST THE KING, PERRANPORTH

#### PRAYER GROUP FOR HEALING

Join us in prayer each Sunday from 15.15 pm until 15.45 pm. We will say the Rosary and  
Pray that Our Lady will help us Renew and reform the Universal Church.  
All welcome.

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#### Over 60's Lunch (please see MHT Notices)

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES - Monday 24th December - 7.00 pm (Mass)

### OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA, ST. AGNES

Many thanks to all who supported our Coffee Morning on Saturday 15th December,  
a grand total £515.23 was raised.

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#### Over 60's Lunch (please see MHT Notices)

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES - Tuesday 25th December – 8.30 am (Mass)

## COLLECTIONS

<b>MHT</b>	<b>CTK</b>	<b>OLSOS</b>
Collection - £374.26 Standing Orders (Oct) - £825.33 SVP - £86.56	Collection - £154.20 Standing Orders (Oct) - £30.00	Collection - £131.00 Standing Orders (Oct) - £125.00 Coffee Morning £515.23
<i>(Thank you for your generosity)</i>		

All other collections over Christmas will be listed in the 5th/6th January 2019 Newsletter.

## MINISTRIES (MHT)

DATE	MINISTERS	READERS	WELCOMERS
Saturday 22nd December (6.00 pm)	S Derbyshire, J Lavelle	S Karkeek, S Kelly	Chris and Tony
Sunday 23rd December (10.30 am)	A Stevens, P Ainley	D Wilson, E Davies	Hilary and Bill
Saturday 29th December (6.00 pm)	TBC, P Sergeant	J Selkirk, J Selkirk	Angela and Bill
Sunday 30th December(10.30 am)	E Davies M Maguire-King	B Probett, S Cleaver	Pat H and Jackie
Saturday 5th January (6.00 pm)	G Strudwick, J Selkirk	J Lavelle, L Friel	Angie
Sunday 6th January (10.30 am)	E Davies, P Sergeant	E Ryan, D Wilson	Anne and Sebastian

DATE	CLEANERS	COUNTERS
Monday 24th December		Team D
Friday 28th December	M Leech, Angela	
Monday 31st December		Team A
Friday 4th January	D Wilson, A Rose	
Monday 7th January		Team B
Friday 11th January	E Ryan, P Ainley	



## 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 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

ANDREW HENWOOD – FUNERAL DIRECTOR, 74 EDGCUMBE AVE, NEWQUAY

TEL NO: 01637 851199 – [athenwood@btconnect.com](mailto:athenwood@btconnect.com) – [henwoodfunerals.co.uk](http://henwoodfunerals.co.uk)

## 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

CONFIRMATION – YEAR 6 UPWARDS – Classes are on alternate Sundays after 10.30 Mass

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

***The next Newsletter will be for the weekend of 5th and 6th January 2019.***