

SUNDAY JANUARY 18 2026 **Epiphany 2**

Dear Readers,

The New Year is passing quickly and the first PCC will take place tomorrow. Yesterday, the group of eleven pilgrims travelled to and from Worcester. On behalf of the parish the pilgrims carried gifts for both Bishop Hugh and Lizzie his wife. For the bishop there were books on Worcester Cathedral and guide books in case the bishop goes to Peru (his now, link diocese). But what for Lizzie, in answer to this question it was suggested that tea-towels might be good – so there are three very exclusive tea-towels and a shaded blue silk scarf as a reminder of both the River Tamar which she leaves and the River Severn which will flow through her time in Worcester.



Avril has written her THIRD pantomime and here are the performance dates:

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 13: 7.00pm St Euny

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 14: 2.00pm & 7.00pm St Euny

The working title is: **“Tamsin, Harry and the Lamp”**



A rehearsal schedule is available from FP.

WARM SPACES – You are welcome at them all!!

*WEEKLY MONDAY MORNING IN THE CRYPT with breakfast from 8.30am
(next one 19 / 01 / 26*

*WEEKLY TUESDAY GAMES at Christchurch. This event is now WEEKLY and
will continue thus until the Tuesday of Holy Week. When you read this,
the next one is **Tuesday January 20 2026.***

WEDNESDAY GAMES at Four Lanes Chapel, 2pm – 4pm (next one 28/1/26)

This alternates with the WEDNESDAY CLUB (next one 21/1/26) same place, same times

WEDNESDAY WEEKLY OPEN CAFÉ at St Euny, 2.15pm – 4.00pm

MONTHLY TEA PARTY at Treleigh 2.30pm (Next one, February 10 2026)

*LAST SUNDAY MONTHLY TEA PARTY in the THE PENCOYS HALL 4.00pm
(next one Sunday January 25 2026)*

*MARGARET'S LAST MONDAY TEA PARTY in Christchurch 2.00pm
(next one Monday January 26 2026)*

With the assurance of our prayers

The Rev'd Rebecca / Rector and the Ministry Team of the Parish of Redruth

The Redruth, Camborne & Hayle Methodist Circuit

Jim Seth, Chaplain to The Readers and Parish Safeguarding Officer

Sarah Flowerday, Four Lanes Methodist Minister

THE GOSPEL SET FOR SUNDAY JANUARY 18: John 1 vv29 – 42

This Gospel is centred on the gathering together of a group of disciples.

The narrative starts with John publically proclaiming the events of Jesus' baptism, risking arrest and unpopularity he says quite clearly that Jesus was 'the Son of God'.

This is followed by two of John's disciples following Jesus. One of them was Andrew who is so convinced that he brings his brother, who Jesus names as Peter. So, think for a moment how you are being called or gathered into the circle of God's love, and how, in your own way you are following him.



THOSE WHO WE REMEMBER THIS WEEK

MONDAY JANUARY 19 Wolfstan Bishop of Worcester 1095

Born around 1009, He was ordained and spent 25 years in a monastery in Worcester. Against his will he was consecrated Bishop of Worcester in 1062. He was able, through a gentle and caring approach lead people from Saxon, to Norman rule.



TUESDAY JANUARY 20 Hilary Richard Rolfe of Hampole 1349

Born in 1300 in Yorkshire where he began to live as a hermit at the age of 18. He eventually settled close to the Cistercian nuns near Hampole. He wrote extensively, often in Latin and he was revered long after his death.



WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21 Agnes Child Martyr at Rome 304

The cult of the 'child martyr' perhaps began with Agnes who refused an arranged marriage. She announced that she had given her life to God and therefore, married to Him. She died in the Diocletian wave of persecution.



THURSDAY JANUARY 22 Vincent of Saragossa Deacon Martyr 304

Vincent was born towards the end of the third century in Spain. The Diocletian persecutions led to the arrest of Bishop Valerian who ordained Vincent deacon and to Vincent himself. On questioning Vincent spoke for himself and his bishop and was condemned by the state governor. He died following the example of Stephen the first deacon, and also he was the first martyr of Spain.



SATURDAY JANUARY 24 Francis de Sales Bishop of Geneva 1622 Born in 1567, Francis was educated first as a lawyer and then as a priest. He preached against Calvin, and then in 1599 was consecrated as suffragan bishop of Geneva and later in 1602 as diocesan bishop. Although banned in his time, the Roman Catholic traditions were administered by Francis from France. The ban was finally lifted in 1799.



WEEKLY PRAYERS

Please let FP know if there is a name to include on this part of the sheet: 079 038 079 46 or baptism66@gmail.com

The list is being revised. Please let FP know if you have a name to include

Poppy, Pie, Karenza, Demelza, Ben, Jo, Pat Bassett, Mark, Aidan, Anya, Bev., Eric, Andy & Linda, Mary, Karen and family, Helen, Hilary, Jill, Sue & Fr Ray Webber, Jane Selway, Sarah, Michael Tangye.

PRAYERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

SUNDAY JANUARY 18 EPIPHANY 2 / The call of the first disciples

"You O Lord are the light for my lamp" Matthew 5 vv44

PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WITHIN THE EMERGENCY SERVICES WHO WORKED FOR US IN THE RECENT STORM

MONDAY JANUARY 19 Wulstan Bishop of Worcester 1095

"In everything treat others as would like them to treat you" Matthew 7 vv12

PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE WORK IN THE NHS BRINGS LIFE AND HOPE TO US ALL

TUESDAY JANUARY 20: Richard Rolle of Hampole Hermit 1349

"Give thanks to the Lord for his constant love" Psalm 107 vv31

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO WILL CHOOSE THE NEW BISHOP OF ST GERMAN'S

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21: Agnes Child Martyr of Rome 304

"Come to me, all who are burdened and heavy laden and I will refresh you"

Matthew 11 vv28

PRAY FOR DAVID BISHOP OF TRURO, HUGH BISHOP OF WORCESTER, AND SARAH ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY DESIGNATE

THURSDAY JANUARY 22: Vincent of Saragossa Deacon 304

"Arise My love, for the flowers have appeared on the earth" Song of Songs 2 vv10

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO CARE FOR THE EARTH AND SPEAK ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE

FRIDAY JANUARY 23: Feria

"When he saw them Jesus had compassion on them, and healed those who were sick"

Matthew 14 vv14

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ABLE TO MAKE OTHERS FEEL BETTER THROUGH THEIR KINDNESS

SATURDAY JANUARY 24: Francis de Sales Bishop of Geneva 1622

"The Lord is my shepherd, therefore I shall lack nothing" Psalm 23 vv1

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ACT AS ADVOCATES



JUST A THOUGHT: It's never too late to be what you might have been

FIRST SUNDAY EVENTS / USUALLY AT 6.00pm

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 1: St Euny Feast 6.00pm



SUNDAY MARCH 1: Lanner Methodist Chapel / tbc.

If you have a suggestion for a FIRST SUNDAY theme or charity, please contact FP



DIARY DATES

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS NOT A DEFINITIVE LIST, PLEASE KEEP CHECKING THE WHITE WEEKLY SHEET WHICH MAY HAVE ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES AND

DATES.

SUNDAY JANUARY 18 Treleigh Hall 3.00pm Baptism preparation

MONDAY JANUARY 19 Parish Office 6.00pm Pastoral Group

Parish Office 7.00pm Churchwardens meeting

TUESDAY JANUARY 20 Christchurch 2.00pm Games afternoon
St Euny 6.00pm – 8.00pm Panto rehearsal

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21 Four Lanes Chapel 2.00pm Wednesday Club
FP talking about his journey through the Sunrise Centre

FRIDAY JANUARY 23 Christchurch 6.00pm DCC

SATURDAY JANUARY 24 Christchurch 3.00pm DSB1
Pencoy's Hall 6.00pm BINGO (note change of date!!)

THE REGULAR WEEKLY SHEET HAS OTHER DATES, VENUES, EVENTS, SERVICES , ALL ARE AVAILABLE ON THE REDRUTH CHURCH WEBSITE!!



CHRISTCHURCH FILM CLUB

The club meets on the **LAST Friday** of each month. Doors open at 6.30pm and the projector starts running at 7.00pm. The sponsoring group is CFYLM which is based in the Kroji building. A year's membership costs £????? and the contribution to watch a film is £5, **BUT** there is **FREE** ce-cream and tea / coffee in the interval.

The date of the next film will be Friday January 30 2026!!

AND!! The film is: “Miracle on the Hudson” with Tom Hanks

LIGHTHOUSE



LIGHTHOUSE meets on the **FIRST SUNDAY** of each month and is held in the Four Lanes Methodist Chapel, 2.30pm – 4.30pm **Led by Caroline, Grandma Carol and FP.** the **Sunday theme is worked on**, as well as **prayer candles being offered for those known to us who are struggling.** On the **SECOND SUNDAY** the children are invited to share their work at the family service.

NOTE THE NEW TIMINGS and the next meeting is on **SUNDAY FEBRUARY 1 2026 at 2.30pm / now confirmed!!**



IF YOU ARE YOU ARE STRUGGLING AND NEED A LISTENING EAR

The Samaritans: 116 123 A long established help line for those who are moving to the edge and who need help to draw back

Anxiety UK: 03444 775 774 A helpline for those who are carrying concerns and worries that maybe overwhelming them

Mind: 0300 123 3393 An opportunity to talk through your mental health, and perhaps to find strategies to help you

Calm: 0800 58 58 58 Do not struggle alone, there are people to help you cope and move forward

Crisis text line (text) 85258 Whatever your

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Child-line: 0800 11 11 Children and young people need not be afraid, just phone for a friendly voice

Cornwall Council: 0300 1234 100 You'll get an automated voice, but keep going, press the right buttons on your phone and you'll be able to speak to someone eventually or leave a message

NSPCC: 0808 800 5000 A charity if you have concerns about a child

Multi Agency Referral Unit (MARU) 0300 1231 116 A Cornwall Council referral g`roup who will be able to guide you, or take a referral

STREET LINK: 0300 500 0914 Although this is a London number, you can be connected to a local number. BUT you may want to phone **ST PETROC'S 01872 264 153**, they are based in Truro and will be able to help you locally.

JUST TO GIVE YOU HOPE AS THE NEW YEAR BEGINS!!

There are two muffins baking in the oven. One muffin says to the other, "Phew, is it getting hot in here or is it just me?"

The other muffin says, "AAAAHHH!! A TALKING MUFFIN!"

