

**SUNDAY MARCH 22 2026 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

## ***Passion Sunday***

Dear Readers,

**THE COACH TO NEWQUAY: The great day is getting closer!! March is with us!! Book your seat on the coach!! Please book your seat ASAP or the 53 seater will be reduced to a tandem!!**

**32 PEOPLE HAVE BOOKED UP FOR THE COACH. THE LIST WILL STAY OPEN FOR A LITTLE LONGER.**

**FAREWELL TO Fr Christopher, Becca, Izzy and Isaac. THE DAY IS TODAY!!**

**TODAY: Sunday March 22, 10.30am Parish service at St Andrew, Redruth 10.30  
This will be followed by a parish reception with CAKE**

***Later today from 5.00pm – 8.00pm we come together in the Crypt to celebrate the massive contribution that the Harrigan family have made to us all.***

***There will be a Ceilidh (Barn dance!!) led by SPLANN and catered for by SALT WIND. Soft drinks, tea & coffee provided, but bring your own alcohol if needed!!***

**HELP IS NEEDED TO SERVE THE NON-ALCOHOLIC DRINKS**

**COULD THIS BE YOU??????**

**THE LICENSING AT ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH, NEWQUAY**

**This will take place with Bishop David on MONDAY MARCH, 30 at 7.00pm. All are welcome. A 53 seater coach has been reserved and if you would like to sign up for that transport please contact Fr Peter (If possible a donation of £2.00 would be good )**



As we prepare to say 'farewell' we also say 'thankyou' for so many activities, events and the kindness that the Harrigan family have brought into the lives of the six worship settings in the past 3years and 10months. May God bless their preparations as they get ready for the great move to Towan Blystra (Newquay!)

## **WARM SPACES – You are welcome at them all!!**

*WEEKLY MONDAY MORNING IN THE CRYPT with breakfast from 8.30am  
next one 23/03/26*

*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 March 24 2026.***

*WEDNESDAY GAMES at Four Lanes Chapel, 2pm – 4pm (next one March 25 /3/26)  
This alternates with the WEDNESDAY CLUB (next one 1 /4 /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: April 14 2026)*

*LAST SUNDAY MONTHLY TEA PARTY in the THE PENCOYS HALL 4.00pm  
(next one Sunday March 29 / PALM SUNDAY*

*MARGARET'S LAST MONDAY TEA PARTY in Christchurch 2.00pm  
(next one Monday March 30)*

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 MARCH 22: John 11 vv1 - 45**

In this reading we meet Mary and Martha grieving for their brother Lazarus and somehow wishing Jesus had been there to prevent the death. But, we cannot just expect Jesus to put things right when it suits us. The journey of faith is something that depends on a relationship with God, through Jesus that is sustained through whatever may happen in our lives.

The Christian faith is not an insurance policy against sorrow, pain, grief or depression. The faith is about bringing God's love into the world no matter what may happen to you or to others, Each one of us is a witness to God's transforming love and through our witness others will come to understand that they too are loved and precious in God's sight.

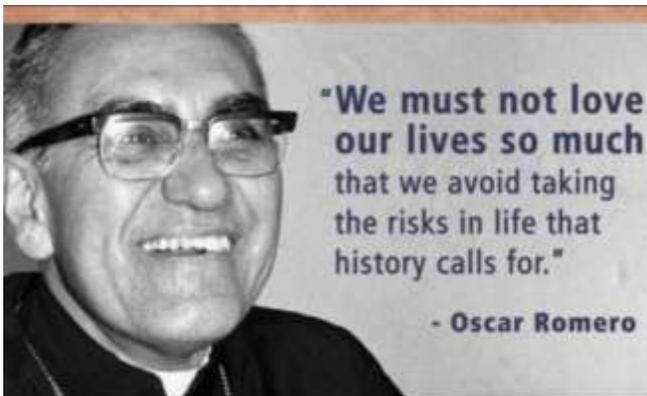
Hence, when Martha cries out to Jesus: "Lord if you had been here my brother would not have died" she perhaps cries out for us all. But Jesus reassures her that all will be well, she must just trust in him.



## THOSE WHO WE REMEMBER THIS WEEK

### Monday March 24: Oscar Romero Archbishop on San Salvador Martyr 1980

Oscar was born in San Salvador in 1917. He was ordained and led a quiet life as an unassuming pastor. But, in 1977 he was chosen to be the Archbishop. However he began to speak out against the violence and oppression suffered by the people and to call for justice. He refused to be silenced. In 1980 he was shot at the altar whilst presiding at the Mass.



### Wednesday March 25: The Annunciation

The news that God was to enter the world through the incarnation was brought to Mary by the Angel Gabriel. Thus Mary becomes the THEOTOKOS the 'God bearer' or 'the Mother of God'.



**Thursday March 26: Harriet Monsell Founder 1883**

Harriet was born in 1811 of Irish parents. After her husband died she entered the community at Clewer, near Windsor. She was professed in 1852 and became the superior of the Community of St John, Clewer. The community worked extensively amongst the poor and with women who worked on the streets. She retired to a hermitage in Folkestone and died in 1883.



**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](mailto: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, Clare, Linda B., Gail, Marie-Claire, Fr Giles

**Those whose journey is over ..... Sarah Ann Cant**

**PRAYERS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**SUNDAY MARCH 22: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT / PASSION SUNDAY**

*"Much will be demanded from those to whom much has been given" Luke 12 vv48*

**PRAY FOR Fr JAMES TREASURE, THE BISHOP OF ST GERMANS DESIGNATE**

**PRAY ALSO FOR FATHER CHRISTOPHER, BECCA, IZZY & ISAAC**

**MONDAY MARCH 23: Oscar Romero Archbishop of San Salvador Martyr 1980**

*"No matter how much your wealth increases, do not set your heart on it" Psalm 62 vv11*

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE BRAVE AND SUFFER IN PRISON**

**TUESDAY MARCH 24: Feria**

*"Jesusa said: "woman you are freed from your infirmity" Luke 13 vv12*

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO WORK WITHIN THE HEALTH SECTORS**

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 25: THE ANNUNCIATION**

*"Then Mary said "behold, I am the servant of the Lord" Luke 1 vv38*

**PRAY FOR DAVID BISHOP OF TRURO, HUGH BISHOP OF WORCESTER,  
AND SARAH ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY ON THE DAY OF HER INAUGURATION**

**THURSDAY MARCH 26: Harriet Monsell Founder 1888**

*"Naomi said "blessed be the Lord who has not forsaken me" Ruth 2 vv20*

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE RELATIONSHIP ONCE BASED IN LOVE HAS BROKEN DOWN**

**FRIDAY MARCH 27: Feria**

*"When you hold a banquet, invite those on the edge" Luke 14 vv13*

**PRAY FOR THE CRYPT WARM BANK**

**SATURDAY MARCH 28: Feria**

*"May God continue to bless us" Psalm 67 vv8*

**PRAY FOR ESTHER. JASON AND THOSE WHO STUDY WITH THEM AS THEY PREPARE TO  
BE MADE DEACONS**



**JUST A THOUGHT: Do not be afraid, you are precious in God's sight and God loves you**

**FIRST SUNDAY EVENTS / USUALLY AT 6.00pm**

**SUNDAY APRIL 12: A decision!! Aril 11 is NATIONAL PARKINSONS DAY.**

Sheila would like the parish to remember that day, and she would like to give her own summary of the past two years and thus the First Sunday Event for April has become the **SECOND SUNDAY EVENT** and will be in the **FOUR LANES CHAPEL** (note!!) at 6pm.



**SUNDAY MAY 1: Venue to be confirmed but still at 6.00pm**

**THE LOCAL GREYHOUND CHARITY**



## **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.**

**LENT STUDY GROUPS: Christchurch 11.00am**

**Pencoy's 6.00pm after the 5.00pm HC and in the Four Lanes Chapel March 25**

**Saturday March 21: Four Lanes Chapel Sunrise Centre Coffee Morning  
10.00am – 12noon**

## **SUNDAY MARCH 22: FAREWELL TO THE HARRIGAN FAMILY**

**Parish Service at 10.30am in St Andrew, Redruth**

**Ceilidh / Barn Dance at 5.00pm – 8.00pm in the Crypt (bring your own alcohol!!!)**

**Monday March 23 Bible Study 4.30pm (Morning Prayer link)**

**Tuesday March 24 Christchurch Warm Space Games 2.00pm – 4.00pm**

**Friday March 27 Christchurch Film Club 6.30pm / 7.00pm**

**Saturday March 28 Four Lanes Chapel Sausage & Mash 11.00am – 1pm**

**SUNDAY MARCH 29 PALM SUNDAY ..... see the Redruth Easter leaflet**

**Monday March 30 Christchurch Margaret's tea-party 2.00pm**

**St Michael's, Newquay Fr Christopher's installation 7.00pm**

**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 March 27 .... It is "CHARADE" with Audrey Hepburn

## LIGHTHOUSE



After 10 years, LIGHTHOUSE is waving 'farewell'. So many children, so many great events and activities. But who knows, something may begin and the lighthouse may shine again!!



### 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 group 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 AND MAYBE A SMILE EVEN THOUGH WE ARE SAYING 'FAREWELL'**



## **WE HAVE A NEW BISHOP!!**

*The Bishop of St Germans designate is*

*THE REV'D JAMES TREASURE, currently the vicar of Dudley.*

He will be consecrated on FRIDAY MAY 1 in St Paul's Cathedral and welcomed on SUNDAY MAY 10 at 4.30pm in Truro Cathedral

## **WE HAVE A NEW ARCHDEACON**

*The Archdeacon of Bodmin designate is*

*THE REV'd Dr HELEN WILLIAMS, currently Team Vicar in Salisbury*

Dates will follow ASAP



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GROWING THE CHURCH