

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY  
FOR OUR PRAYERS**

**Holy Father's Intentions for January:**

**Evangelization: Christians at the service of the challenges of humanity.** That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.

**For those for whom prayers have been requested:**

**The Sick:** Theresa Duncan, Barbara Kelly, Susan Richards, Haworth Richardson, David Poole, Molly Booth, Ligaya Baptista, Daisy Bushnell, Maureen Wildash, Eileen Sturock, Peter Eustice, Paul Slater-Lindsay, Teresa Yelland

**PASTORAL COMMITTEE** The next Meeting will be on **Tomorrow, 23rd January 7.30pm** in church after mass

**FINANCE COMMITTEE** Next meeting on **Thursday 26th February, 7.30pm**

**FORTHCOMING SOCIAL AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS**

**FUNDRAISING FOR 2017 WILL BE FOR NEW ALTAR LINEN**

**February Product Stall** will be on 12th February. Thank you for your support. We made £40 last week which was amazing.

**QUIZ** will be on **Friday 10th February 2017** at 7pm tickets are £7.50 to include Fish and Chip supper. Quiz totally lighthearted and fun. Tickets are now available from Maria. To be held at the United Reformed Church Cafe, Russell St.

**FOOD BANK** The Foodbank wishes to thank parishioners for their generosity throughout the year. Your gifts enabled hampers to be given to families who have needed help through the year for a variety of reasons.

**Parish Safeguarding Representatives**

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**3RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)**

**Sunday 22nd January 2017**

**TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES**

Sunday	22nd Jan	9.15am	<i>The Parish</i>
		5.00pm.	<b>St Austell</b> ( <i>Novus Ordo</i> )
Monday	23rd Jan	<b>11.45am</b>	<b>Funeral - Margaret Vosper</b>
		7.00pm	Ferial
Tuesday	24th Jan	10.00am	<i>St Francis de Sales Bp</i>
Wednesday	25th Jan	7.00pm	<b>St Austell</b> ( <i>Divine Worship</i> )
Thursday	26th Jan	10.00am	<i>St. Timothy and St. Titus Bp</i>
Saturday	28th Jan	10.00am	<i>Anniv. Of the Ordination of Bishop Mark O'Toole</i>
Sunday	29th Jan	9.15am	<b>4th Sunday in Ordinary time</b>
		5.30pm	<b>Sacrament of Penance:</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>6pm - 6.45pm</b>		<b>St Austell</b> ( <i>Ordinariate Mission</i> )

**Exposition & Benediction: Monday** 6.00pm - 6.45pm

**Tuesday** - after Mass

**Holy Rosary:**

Saturday - after Mass (for more vocations to the priesthood)

## WELCOME!

We welcome all visitors to Tavistock Catholic Church. If you want to contribute to the upkeep of our Church and you are a UK tax payer, please use the blue envelopes provided in the pews. Please complete the form on the envelope; through your generosity we receive 25p back for every £1 you give. *Thank you for your help.*

## FR. JOHN'S DIARY

**Monday**            **11.45am** Funeral - Margaret Vosper  
                          **7.00pm** Pastoral Committee (after Mass)

**Tuesday**           **6.25pm** Prayers with Town Council

**Wednesday**        **St. Austell**

**12.45pm** Penrice College

**2.00pm** Study Group - Linda's

**Thursday**        **12.30pm** Lunch with Headmaster - Mount Kelly

**Friday**             Day off

## QUIET DAY FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE

**EUCHARIST:** As is customary, there will be a Lenten Quiet Day for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. This will take place on **Saturday 25th March from 10am to 4pm**. The Quiet Day is also open to anyone who wishes to spend time in quiet prayer and preparation during Lent.

**ECHOES COURSE:** In a few weeks time at the Parish Mass, we hope to present certificates to those who attended 8 or more of the sessions. Hopefully Dr Caroline Farey will be there to present them.

**TACT ANNUAL UNITY SERVICE AND AGM** The Annual Service for unity will be **Tonight, 6pm at St Eustachius Anglican Church**. The Annual Meeting will follow the service at 7.15pm which will end by 8.30pm

**THE MEMORARE:** Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word incarnate despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

## **CORNWALL ORDINARIATE MISSION.**

**BONUS BALL** Numbers are a £1 and available from James at the end of Mass.

**STUDY GROUP** **Wednesday 25th January 2pm at Linda's**

**RETREAT FOR LAY PEOPLE** **Friday 10th March - Saturday 12th March** at The Dowry House, Walsingham. Cost £150 per person (full Board) details from Fr. John

**ST AUSTELL CHURCHES TOGETHER UNITY SERVICE** This will take place **Tonight, 6.30pm at Holy Trinity Anglican Church**.  
**Please note: Mass will be at 5.00pm**

## **FOUNDATIONS IN THE FAITH FOR THE NEW**

**EVANGELISATION** Bishop Mark is commending to every parish a course by **The School of Annunciation**. It is designed to reach the faithful, especially parents, catechists and those thinking about being catechists, providing an exciting journey to deepen our faith. It will also be a good follow on for those who completed **The Echoes Course**. Bishop Mark will issue certificates, with diocesan approval to those who successfully complete the course. The Archdiocese of Southwark and the Diocese of East Anglia have already started on the course. The course lasts for 18months (2 x 9 months) and starts at Buckfast Abbey on **Saturday 25th February**. The first 9 months cost £360, some financial help may be available to anyone who would be interested in undertaking the course. Further details from Fr John

**IGNATIAN PRAYER GROUP** Next mtg will be on 25th January 7.30pm and will be based on Matthew 5:1-16 (Light in the World).

At the following meeting on 8th February, the theme will be 'Hope in the Darkness' and will be lead by Joanna Price of the Plymouth Roman Catholic Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group, and will take place at Liz Moles home (31 Grenville Drive Tavistock) Details from Liz 616243

## **COLLECTIONS.**

**15th January 2017**

Cash Collections	£N/A
Gift Aid Donations	£210.00
Total Amount	£N/A

*(This figure does not include 'one off donations'.)*

<b>Weekly Budget Amount</b>	<b>£600.00</b>
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