FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Holy Father's Intentions for August: Universal: The treasure of Families:

That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Monday 17th September 7pm

<u>FREE ITEMS</u>: Please help yourselves to any of the items on the table at the back of Church; we need to clear everything before the work begins at the back of Church on 10th September.

<u>CHURCH RAMBLE</u>: Our next ramble will take place in late September—date tbc.

DONATIONS TOWARDS FLOWERS FOR CHURCH: Thank you for recent donations towards our flowers. Regular contributions always gratefully received.

<u>BUCKFAST ABBEY</u>: The next in Fr Christopher's series of Quiet Days takes place in the Violet Evelyn Hall of the Southgate Retreat Centre on Saturday 15th September. The subject of this Quiet Day is: *'Temptation and some suggestions as to deal with it!*'. The cost is £15 to include refreshments and a light lunch.

SOUTH WEST CELEBRATE WEEKEND: This event is now taking place on 13th/14th October at Notre Dame School, Plymouth. Details on the Notice board.

FUNDRAISING AND PRODUCT STALL: The next product

stall will be on Sunday 9th September.

BONUS BALL: Forms are now available for this at the back of Church—to start in September.

FOODBANK: Donations always greatly received and there is a list on the box that suggests products that are currently needed.

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TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year B)

Sunday 19th August 2018

(Twelfth Sunday after Trinity)

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Sunday	19th Aug	9.15am	The Parish
		5.30pm	St. Austell (The Ordinariate Mission)
Monday	20th Aug	12 noon	No Mass
Tuesday	21st Aug	10.00am	No Mass
Wednesday	22nd Aug	10.00am	St Austell - No Mass
Thursday	23rd Aug	10.00am	No Mass
Saturday	25th Aug	10.00am	Our Lady
Sunday	26thth Aug	9.15am	Twentieth Sunday of the Year
		5.30pm	St. Austell - Trinity 13

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday: 11.30am - 11.50am (none this week) Tuesday: After Mass (none this week)

Holy Rosary:

Saturday: After Mass

<u>The Sacrament of Confession:</u> Saturday 9.00am - 9.40am

WELCOME!

We welcome all visitors to Tavistock Catholic Church. If you would like to contribute to the upkeep of our Church and you are a UK tax payer, please use the blue envelopes provided on the table at the back of church. 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:

<u>ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY:</u> Many thanks to everyone who fulfilled their obligation by attending Mass on this Solemnity last week.

SECOND COLLECTION: Sunday 26th August—This will be for Plymouth Catholic Children's Society.

<u>COGIMENTA</u>: "Mercy will always be greater than any sin, no-one can put a limit on the love of the all-forgiving God. Just by looking at him, just raising our eyes from ourselves and our wounds, we leave an opening for the action of his grace. Jesus performs miracles with our sins, with what we are, with our nothingness, with our wretchedness." Pope Francis, The Name of God is Mercy.

WEST END DEVELOPMENT: Work will begin at the west end on Monday 10th September; by then, we will need to completely clear the west end of the Church. The work will be completed by Easter. The west end will be screened off during this period and the Church will become a "building site" from Mon-Fri of each week with strictly no admittance. There will inevitably be some disruption and dust from time to time.

Fr. John has negotiated with the Vicar of St. Eustachius Anglican Church for us to celebrate Mass on a Monday, Tuesday and Thursday (Saturday and Sunday will be in church as usual). Fr. John has also asked the Vicar if we can use his Church for funerals if the occasion arises.

READER'S TRAINING SESSION: Several people have indicated that they cannot make the September date, so we will move the training day to *Saturday 13th October at 11am*. Please put this date in your diary; I will send everyone a letter with the new date on. Fr. John.

Could all *Readers* and *Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist* please ensure that they find substitutes if they cannot undertake their duty on a particular Sunday.

CORNWALL ORDINARIATE MISSION.

(Part of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham Charity No: 1141536) **BONUS BALL:** Please contact James if you would like to take part.

<u>**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:</u>** This will resume in September when the children go back to school. If you are interested in getting involved with the Children's Liturgy, please let Gill or Maria know. There will be a meeting at the end of August to discuss.</u>

HERITAGE DAYS: To celebrate the 700th Anniversary of St Eustachius Church there will be historical tours around the town on the weekend of the 8th and 15th of September. The tours will stop at our Church at 11.30am (tbc) and there will be a concert by the Canticorum Choir.

PARISH CENSUS FORM: These are now at the back of Church. Please could I ask that everyone completes a form and returns to either Fr. John or Lucy Gardner to enable us to update the Parish Register and comply with new GDPR guidelines. Thank you.

ORDINARIATE OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM-SOUTH

WEST FESTIVAL: This will take place on *Saturday 22nd September at our Church*. We hope to welcome groups from Cornwall, Torbay and Buckfast Abbey. The Day will begin with Mass at 12 noon (Ordinariate Use), at which the homilist will be Fr. Robin Ellis and conclude with Benediction at 4pm. I hope members of our congregation will be able to join us and welcome our brothers and sisters to our parish. Please bring a packed lunch with you.

Collections for 12th August 2018:

£192.40
£234.00
£426.40
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY