



**Our Lady of the Assumption & St Mary Magdalene
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 1ST JUNE 2025 — 7th SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year C)

Sunday 1st June	Seventh Sunday of Easter
9.00am	Mass Int: Mary Clark RIP (Retiring collection for the Catholic Communications Network)
Tuesday 3rd June	10.00am Requiem Mass for Frank Ward, RIP The family welcomes everyone who wishes to attend
Friday 6th June	9.25am Adoration 10.00am Mass Private Intentions
Sunday 8th June	Pentecost Sunday
9.00am	Mass Int: For the People of the Parish

A very warm welcome to all our Visitors

Please pray for ...

those whose anniversaries occur during the month of June: Nicholas Burtnyk, Margaret Perry, Jozef Serwatta, Patricia Ember, Una Bettina Agnes McCaffrey, Vera Dorothy Lyons, Doris Elizabeth De Boos, Margaret Corden, Favige Gordon, Doris Steele, Pamela Joan Williamson, Bridget Fielder, Harold Edward Patrick Harris, Mark William John Gillett, Susan Beatrice Garrity, Douglas John Meeten, Teresa Mary Duncan, Harrold Goodall, Martin Kelly, Annette Sparling, Janet Gardner, Alistair Cruickshank.

the sick and/or housebound including: Kit Cook, Ian Kilpatrick, Paul & Jan Demery, Geoff Luckman, Ian Wood, Audrey Campbell, Jean Rose, Jeff Moles Frank Ward and Corrie Grice.

Mothers and Grandmother's Prayer Group. We meet on the first Thursday of the month (ie, this month 5th June) at 5.15pm until 6.00pm, to pray for our children and grandchildren. We meet at 31 Grenville Drive, Tavistock PL19 8DP and all are welcome to join us. See Liz Moles, Anne Wood or Mel Mulroy for details.

Please can you help with the following. We need a few more cleaners so that we can make two teams. Please give your name to Rosemarie Richards after Mass, or leave your name at the office.

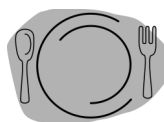
We also need more volunteers for the Readers rota and the Collection Counters rota. If you are able to assist with either of these, please leave your details with the office (in person or by email).

Children's Liturgy: Children under 4 years of age need to be supervised by a parent/carer.

Confirmation: Any young people who would like to discuss Confirmation, please contact Gill.

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Date for the diary: Mary Bell is hosting a Cream Tea at her home in Calstock on Sat 5th July, from 2.30pm. Tickets will be £5.00 per person.



Church Social Event: You are all invited to a Parish Lunch on Saturday 14th June at 12 noon in Church. If attending please bring a plate of food.

There is a list of suggested food categories on the table at the back of Church. Please put your name against the item you are bringing. Tea/coffee and squash will be provided. Fr Anil will be attending and we look forward to seeing you.

Fauré's Requiem Workshop, Saturday 28th June. Our Church are hosting this workshop being run by the Mount Kelly Choral Society. Proceeds from the day will be shared between the Church and the Mount Kelly Choral Society. If you would like to take part, there is £10 charge (includes music and refreshments); free for under 18's. Registration is from 1.30pm, with the Rehearsal starting at 2.00pm. There is a Break at 4.00pm for refreshments, and the Performance starts at 5.00pm. For those wanting to attend the performance only, there will be a retiring collection. Further details of this event are available from Maria Neal.

School Transport grants for the Academic Year 2025-26

The Diocese of Plymouth is now taking applications from parents/guardians wishing to apply for grants for transport to a Catholic or Catholic/CofE school situated in the Diocese of Plymouth. Applications for the academic year 2025-26 must be submitted in writing and be signed by the Parish Priest. Families will be notified at the start of the Autumn term if their application has been successful. There are limited funds and not all applications may be successful. You can obtain an application form from the Parish Office.

Summer Residential Silent Retreats - Diocese of Plymouth 2025, at Sclerder Abbey near Looe:

⇒ Jun 27th – 29th Jun (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat

⇒ Jun 27th – 1st July (Fri - Tues) Extended Weekend

Recommended donations: Weekend Retreat £160; Extended Weekend Retreat £285. Cost for retreats includes full board & lodging.

Venue: Sclerder Retreat House (Chemin Neuf), Sclerder Abbey, Sclerder Lane, Looe, Cornwall PL13 2JD. (Please note: The Retreat House was once a Carmelite Monastery; it offers simple accommodation, but is not suitable for those with mobility issues).

The individually guided retreats are led by experienced members of the Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group who have received training in Ignatian Spirituality. These silent retreats in the Ignatian tradition are open to Christians of any denomination, who would like to step back from everyday life and review their journey in faith and be strengthened in their vocation as disciples of the Lord. An Individually Guided Retreat offers each person the opportunity for space, SILENCE and prayer. Each retreatant will meet a Spiritual Companion daily and together they will discuss how best to use the time of retreat. The Companion will help you to pray using scripture and your own experience of life. Together you will try to discern what God is saying to you at this time. The retreat will be made in SILENCE to help you to pray and to leave other retreatants equal opportunity for reflection.

For further information, to check availability, or to book telephone Wendy on: 01752 769164 or 07823447637 or email: Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk

Light a Candle at the National Shrine – A Beautiful Act of Faith

As we approach the Feast of St Boniface this June, the Jubilee Year presents a special opportunity to reflect, celebrate, and come together in faith. Lighting a candle at the National Shrine is a meaningful way to participate. It symbolizes prayer, devotion, and our connection with Our Lord. To take part, please visit our website: <https://catholicchurchcrediton.org/index.php/support-us/light-a-candle>, make a donation (£2 suggested), and email crediton@prcdtr.org.uk to let us know. Candles will be lit upon request: Wednesdays before 4pm and Sundays before the 9:30am Mass.

Thank you for your support—we deeply appreciate it!




FREE Gift - SmartLoving BreakThrough Course - Year of Jubilee

To celebrate the Jubilee Year which is marked as a time to re-establish a proper relationship with God and with one another, Catholic marriage ministry, SmartLoving is offering its BreakThrough online course as a free gift.

This course is designed to help an individual to understand the struggles they are facing in their marriage, and to equip them with powerful tools to restore love, communication, and connection.

Use Coupon code: **Jubilee2025** for FREE access to BreakThrough.

the offer is available from now until the Feast of Pentecost, Sunday 8 June 2025. Visit: www.smartloving.org/jubilee



**St Boniface
Apostle of
Germany and
Holland**
“...the greatest
Englishman”.
(St John Paul II)

Feast Day 5th June
Mass 4pm
St Boniface Church
Crediton
National Shrine
Park Rd - EX17 3ES
All welcome

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The **Parish Safeguarding Representative** is
Darren Clarke - 07311 346522

Collections: 25th May 2025 — Thank you for your support

Standing Orders: **£155.00**

Loose: **£194.92**

Card: **£TBC**

Sunday Mass Attendance: **79**

Pope's Intentions for June — For Migrants Fleeing Their Homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.