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There is usually someone in the parish office to receive calls on weekday mornings.

EASTER DAY (Year B)

Sunday 8th April 2012

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

| Holy Saturday | 7th Apr. | 9.30am 8.30 p.m. | Morning Prayer Easter Vigil |
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| Easter Day | 8th Apr. | 8.30am | Mass of the Resurrection |
| | | 10.30 a.m. | Mass of the Resurrection (John Ryan RIP) |
| Tuesday | 10th Apr. | | No Mass |
| Wednesday | 11th Apr. | 10.30 a.m. | Liturgy |
| Thursday | 12th Apr. | | No Mass |
| Friday | 13th Apr. | 10.30am | (Margaret Knight RIP) |
| Saturday | 14th Apr. | 6.00pm | (Eric Coupe RIP) |
| Sunday | 15th Apr. | 8.30 a.m. | (Eileen Tucker) |
| | | 10.30 a.m. | (Eva Woodfield RIP) |

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5.15 p.m. – 5.45 p.m.

EXPOSITION

Wednesday after Mass until Noon.

ORDINARIATE MASSES

Sunday 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.

BIDDING PRAYERS

Compiled this Sunday, Easter Day, by the Flower Group.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun 8th Apr-John Ryan RIP (Sylvia and Ryan family intention). Fri 13th Apr-Margaret Knight RIP (Intention of Catholic Community in Par). Sat 14th Apr-Eric Coupe RIP (Mary Coupe's intention). Sun 15th Apr, 8.30am-Eileen Tucker. Sun 15th Apr, 10.30am-Eva Woodfield RIP (Deidre Cottrill's intention).

EASTER BAPTISMAL WATER

At Easter the font is solemnly blessed, providing water for baptism, You may wish to bring a small container to take home some of the blessed water from the font. You can use the holy water to bless your home and family during Eastertide. Say the Our Father together as you sprinkle the family and home, and use a simple form of blessing, for example: "Blessed are you, God our Father, bless our family and home this Eastertide as we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever".

EASTER SUNDAY

Celebration breakfast after 8.30am Mass. All are welcome.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Please note that there will no Masses on Tuesday 10th, Wednesday 11th or Thursday 12th April. Fr. Peter is having a well earned break for a few days. Deacon John will be leading Liturgy on Wednesday 11th April at 10.30am.

TAKE AND READ

The Take and Read Group will be continuing to look at St. Matthew's account of the key events in our Lord's life this coming *Tuesday 10th April at 7.30pm* in Cuthbert Mayne Room. All are most welcome.

PASTORAL CO-ORDINATING GROUP

Next meeting on *Tuesday 17th April at 7.30pm* in Cuthbert Mayne Room after the 7.00pm Mass.

EASTER MEMORIAL MASS FOR THE DEAD

Thursday 19th April at 7.00pm. As we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord, this is an opportunity to share together in prayer and to express our hope in the resurrection of all those dear to us, especially those who have died during the past year. All are warmly invited to join in with this celebration of Easter faith.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

St. Augustine's is hosting the CWL Branch Meeting on *Saturday 21st April*, beginning with coffee at 9.45am. If possible, it would be good for all members of our own CWL to come to this meeting to give a warm welcome to our visitors. Fr. Peter will be celebrating Mass for the CWL at 12.00 noon.

CONFIRMATION-RITE OF SENDING

Sunday 22nd April at the 10.30am Mass.

This is the last Liturgy for our Confirmation Candidates before their Confirmation by Bishop Christopher on Sunday 29th April. Please pray for the candidates as they prepare for this important step in their journey of Christian faith.

GUIDE FOR READERS

The April to June issue is now available for Readers to pick up in the Server's Sacristy. If you are a Minister of the Word at the weekend Masses, please help yourself to a copy. It gives a brief and useful overview of the essential message conveyed by the readings and the links between the Old and New Testament passages.

LIVING FAITH

For those of you who missed picking up your copy of the April to June edition of Living Faith, more are on order and will be available very soon in the Narthex, price 50p.

RETREAT FOR THE DIVORCED AND SEPARATED

Many of us understand bereavement but few of us understand what it must feel like not only to grieve the loss of a marriage but also the significant sense of abandonment and rejection. The Diocese of Plymouth is offering to support those for whom marriage has left a scar and is holding a weekend retreat from 20th to 22nd April at Buckfast Abbey. For details please see poster on notice board in the Porch.

ART AND REFLECTION FOR EASTERTIDE AT BUCKFAST ABBEY.

A chance to reflect creatively on the entirety of the Easter season in this one day art course. Come along and explore your hidden (or not so hidden) artistic talents in a relaxed, reflective and supportive atmosphere. All tuition and materials provided. You may be surprised at what you can do! *Saturday 5th May 10.00am-4.00pm*. For more information see our website or call the Buckfast Abbey Education Department on 01364 645518.

COLLECTIONS

The parish collection total does not include Standing Orders.

All cheques should be made payable to PRCDTR St. Austell Parish.

Parish Collection: £548.40; Flowers £13.65; APF £4.44; Coffee £14.09.

REFLECTIONS FOR EASTER

Bishop Christopher's reflections for Easter, based on St. Mark's Gospel, are now available in the Narthex. Please help yourself to a copy.

PILGRIMAGE TO BUCKFAST ABBEY

The CWL are organising a Pilgrimage to Buckfast Abbey on *Saturday 16th May.* The coach will leave St. Augustine's at 10.15am. This Pilgrimage is open to all parishioners, not only CWL members-everyone is most welcome. If you are interested please put your name on the list on the notice board in the porch.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE:

Exeter Cathedral, 21st July 2012 at 5pm.

For the past two years, significant wedding anniversaries have been celebrated within the diocese with more than 600 people celebrating some 10,000 years of marriage. This year our Catholic Diocese of Plymouth is joining with the Anglican Diocese of Exeter and Bishop Christopher will join with Bishop Michael Langrish in Exeter Cathedral to celebrate the gift of marriage which often transcends boundaries of denomination and faith. Please see the notice board in the porch for further details and contact the Parish Office if you would like a booking form.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick and housebound, especially the following: Joy Abraham, Sylvia Austin, Marcella Beer, Mary Coupe, Trevor Crump, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Eileen Drury, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Eileen Fuller, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, Rachel John, Valerie Lyons, Audrey Lunn, Carmen Matthews, Bridget Noy, Valerie Parkinson, Pamela Platt, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Pauline Reed, George Snooks, Amanda Stickney,

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"You have made us for yourself Lord and our hearts are restless until they rest in you." (St Augustine of Hippo)

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