

# Weekly Notices



St Gluvias Church  
Penryn, Cornwall

## Third Sunday Before Advent Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021 10am – *Sung Eucharist*

### Collect:

*Heavenly Father,*

whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you."

So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across.

Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!"

And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

### Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

For Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf.

Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself.

And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

### Gospel Mark 1:14-20

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea--for they were fishermen.

And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people."

And immediately they left their nets and followed him.

As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets.

Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

### Post Communion Prayer

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**Amen**

**Deanery event - 'Generosity evening' Mon 8<sup>th</sup> November** – has had to be postponed. We will advise as soon as a new date has been agreed.

**PCC Meeting – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November @7pm** in the **Church Hall**. Please see Annie if you require a parking permit.

**'On the Way'**  
As you may know the bishops' have asked each deanery to commit to seeking God's Holy Spirit for his church, so that we may be **fruitful** and **sustainable** and indeed, that we may grow God's church.

As such YOU are invited to a **Day of prayerful listening and discussion at the Penmorvah Manor Hotel, on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November**. Please see the attached letter for more details.

**Advance Notice:**  
**Remembrance Sunday Eucharist will be @9.30am** followed by Civic Service & Act of Remembrance from 10:45am.

**Sunday 12 December – Bishop Philip will be presiding at our 10am Mass**. It is our hope to be able to offer a lunch in the Church Hall on this occasion.

**Weekly Worship**  
- **Wednesday at 9:15am Low Mass with Holy Communion, in church.**  
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PLEASE WEAR A  
FACE MASK  
DURING SERVICE

**Christmas Bazaar  
Saturday 27 November**

Please see the list of stall holders if you can help with donations or raffle prizes. Items are urgently needed for the **Tombola stall** (Mary Wade) and the **Book Stall** (Margaret McGee). Thank you.

Mr Bray from Redruth, who is active for a charity '**Bone Cancer Research Trust**'. Has asked if we could collect **Stamps, old stamp albums and ink cartridges**. Please pass any items to Annie so that they can be passed on.

**Little Sparks  
Play Group**

If you can come and support our **Thursday** sessions in any way from baking cakes to serving tea and coffees or just chatting to Mums, it would be most helpful.

**Please do chat with Rev'd Amanda for more information.**

**Children's Society Boxes**

You are kindly asked to return your collection boxes to Paul during the month of November. Many thanks.

**Carpark**

**New parking arrangements will come into force on 1<sup>st</sup> December.**

Please ensure that you speak with Annie to obtain a parking permit, so that you can park without worry when attending church services.

NB: Please inform **Rev'd Amanda or Richard** (by email) of any notices for the pew sheet by **noon on Thursday**.

**Weekly Prayer**

**Intentions:**

**Mission and Ministry of this Parish:**

For those living and working in Penryn and surrounding villages. For the parish of St. Gluvias and a growth in our congregation.

For the homeless in our parish and throughout the country. For those that rely on the support of the Foodbank.

**For the World:**

We pray for victims of terrorism the world over; for all affected by atrocities around the world. Particularly for persecuted Christians.

For deliverance from Coronavirus and those communities both locally and nationally impacted by the pandemic throughout the world. We pray for the healthcare workers, as well as civil authorities and all those involved in assisting patients and in containing the spread of the virus.

We continue to pray for the people across Syria who have suffered for so long and continue to suffer. For those fleeing violence and oppression, especially in Afghanistan.

For all exploited by people smugglers and for refugees across the world. For an end to the violence in Gaza and Israel.

For those affected by natural disasters around the world. Help us to value the environment so that we can all work to reverse climate change and global warming.

**For those suffering in mind, body or spirit especially:**

Geoffrey Philpott, Christine Martin, Edna Lytle, Kevin Jose, Rob Coward, Ruby Jeffrey, Joan Wood, Maria Strachan, Gillian Cable, Claire Coombes, Sharron Simcock Jackie Dare, Alison Oliver, Pat Rogers Lilian Hosking & Chris.



**Those who years mind:**

Thomas Jenkin (7<sup>th</sup>), Ronald Hart, Charles Bradbrooke (8<sup>th</sup>), Clifton Tremayne (9<sup>th</sup>), Arthur Allen (11<sup>th</sup>), Joyce Blamey, Teresa Hawkins, Emmie Pearce (13<sup>th</sup>).

**Recently departed:**

**In the diocese cycle of prayer:**

**UN CLIMATE CHANGE  
CONFERENCE COP26**

Heavenly Father, we pray for the leaders that will be coming together for COP26 to discuss the best way to tackle climate change. Give wisdom to those making these decisions and unity in the decisions that will be made.

Thank you for this wonderful world that we live in and we pray that we will love the world that we live in as much as you do. Help us as individuals to do what we can to protect our planet and look after the creation that you have given us. Lord, we thank you for those who are already working so hard to reduce carbon emissions and protect our planet. Amen

**Anglican Communion:**

The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

**Prayers for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Before Advent**

Let us pray to God, that his Kingdom may come and his Gospel be proclaimed.

Give to the Church the spirit of sincere repentance, so that she may be fit to preach repentance to the world...Enable your people both to follow you faithfully and to draw others to faith.

Come into the towns and cities, the crowded place where people live with stress...Break the darkness of ignorance and indifference with the sorrow for sin that brings your pardon.

In our daily work, let us always know that you are near, so that we may be ready to hear your call...Bless those with whom we work, and show them your salvation.

We pray for the lonely ones, who have lost the families they once knew...Be near to those whose work sends them into places far from home, holding them in continuing love for one another.

Have mercy on the departed, for whom Christ suffered that they might live for ever...Remembering that all must die and enter into judgement, grant us repentance and renewal while we are still in this world.

As Christ has called us to his service, we pray in his name. **Amen**

November 2021

Dear *friends*,

**'On the Way' at  
Penmorvah Manor,  
Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November**  
*(this replaces the LYCIG day  
which is now cancelled)*

The '*On the Way*' process is a Diocese-wide one, designed to support churches and deaneries to engage creatively and courageously with the future that God is calling us into and the inevitable change that will come as a result of this.

(This short video from Bishop Philip explains this well:)

<https://trurodiocese.org.uk/about-us/on-the-way/>

As Bishop Philip says, the question before us is no longer '*do we want to change*' but, '*how will we engage with it?*'

Two words are crucial to *On the Way*: **fruitful** and **sustainable**, a future which is most likely to be discerned by local churches, working together in deaneries, seeking the Spirit and looking to join in.

It is also an invitation to meet together for prayer, listening, dreaming and discussion as we discern together the future that God is calling us towards.

As part of this, 6 'Focus Groups' will be set-up to consider in more detail how we might respond to this, based around the themes of:

1. **-Discipleship** (including new faith & growing faith)
2. **-Schools, Children and Families**
3. **-Young adults, students & young adults**
4. **-Creation Care**
5. **-The Poor and Marginalised** (co-ordinated by Amanda)
6. **-Life-giving leadership / diversity of callings**

If you would like to know more or think you are called to take part in one of these Groups, please **speak to Rev'd Amanda** and come along on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> to Penmorvah.

*The day will be shaped as follows:*

**9.30am** Arrival and coffee  
**9.45am** Worship and Bible Study  
**10.15am** Prayerful discussion Groups  
**11.15am** Coffee  
**11.45am** Prayerful discussion Groups (continued)  
**12.45pm** Lunch  
**1.45pm** Sharing our ideas and praying together  
**3.00pm** Close

Please consider attending if you can.

So that the catering can be arranged, you are asked to **inform Rev'd Amanda by Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November**. We can then ensure that all the details can be made available for you.



*Rev'd Amanda*

**Catch up with the Vicar!**  
**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> November 10-12**  
(St Gluvias Hall, Calver Close off West Street)  
**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November 10-12** (St Gluvias Church)  
**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November 5-7pm** (St Gluvias Hall, Calver Close off West Street)

Rev'd Amanda would love the opportunity to catch up with you and find out more about your involvement in the church and the wider community! Do you help with the Foodbank, at the Library, Brownies or helping the elderly? Or perhaps you help to keep our beautiful St Gluvias church clean and tidy, with the flowers, polish the brass, ring the bells or organise one of many crucial church rotas or serve teas and coffees after services for instance?

All very welcome to come for a chat – whether or not you are involved in church life and whether or not you have a specific role – and for tea, coffee and cake at **St Gluvias Church and St Gluvias Hall** (or on Zoom or by phone).

Rev'd Amanda hopes to see you then!