

## Weekly Notices:

**Deanery Synod Open Meeting**, discussing the proposals for reshaping the deanery within the next 3 – 5 years. **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April @7.30pm – St Gluvias, Penryn.** Please do your best to support this event.

**Thank you to everyone who kindly helped decorate the church for Easter.**

**Food Bank** – Coffee, tinned foods, cereals, dried pet food, washing powder and toiletries...all items donated are greatly appreciated.

**Patronal Festival & Parish Lunch – Sunday 5 May from 12noon.** This month the 'bring and share' lunch will be held at **Prospect House** (thanks to Carolyn Hartley), not the Parish Community Hall. We hope as many as possible will be able to join us for this occasion.

**Patronal Festival Flowers:** The church will be open on Saturday 4th May from 10am to decorate the church for Patronal Festival (any colour flowers). Could all flower arrangers now be responsible for taking down their own flower arrangements.

**NB: Please inform the churchwardens of any notices for the pew sheet by noon on Friday**

### **Post Communion Prayer:**

Lord God our Father,  
through our Saviour Jesus Christ you have assured your children of eternal life and in baptism have made us one with him: deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen**

# ST GLUVIAS, PENRYN WEEKLY NOTICES



**LOW SUNDAY**  
(THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER)  
**SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2019**

8.30am – Low Mass  
10.00am - Family Mass with Sunday School

**Hymns: NEH 106, 102, 104, 286, 103**

If you do not normally receive Holy Communion, please still come to the rail with everyone else. Carry the Mass book as a sign that you wish to receive a blessing.

### **Week Services:**

#### **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April**

9.15am – Low Mass

7.30pm – Deanery Synod Open Meeting

#### **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Patronal Festival**

8.30am – Low Mass

10am – Sung Eucharist with Sunday School

### **Collect**

Almighty Father,

you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification:

grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth; through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**Amen**

### First Reading: a reading from **Acts 5:27-32**

When they had brought them, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, "We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us."

But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree.

God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins.

And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

Second Reading: a reading from **Revelation 1:4-8**

John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

The Gospel according to **John 20:19-31**

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you."

After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you."

Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!"

Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Weekly Prayer Intentions:

**Mission and Ministry of this Parish:**

For those living and working in Penryn. 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.

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. 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:**

Lorna Smuda, Norman Perry, Pauline Milan, Mary Webber, Geoffrey Philpott, Christine Martin, Edna Lytle, Kevin Jose, Gary Taylor, Rob Coward, Ruby Jeffrey, Michael Wycherley, Joan Wood, Paul Heaven and Cath Pike.

**Recently departed:** Steven Root RIP and Christopher Morgan Pr.

**Those who years mind:** Edward Gosling (28<sup>th</sup>), Clara Minson, Bertie Morrice, Donald Copus (29<sup>th</sup>), Vera Whitford, Nancy Bowden (30<sup>th</sup>).

**Home Visits** – if you know of anyone who is unable to attend church but would like to receive communion or a visit from a priest, please let the Churchwardens know.