



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

Sunday October 30th 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, Yr C. <i>Wisdom 11:22 - 12:2;</i> <i>Psalm 144(145): 1-2, 8-14;</i> <i>2 Thessalonians 1:11 – 2:2; Luke 19:1-10.</i> Psalter Week 3; Yr 2, Week 31	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Margaret Kelly (FJ) Parish Community Margaret Veale RIP & Madeleine Ryan RIP anniv. (PW)
Monday 31 st Funeral Service ALL SAINTS (SOLEMNITY) VIGIL	9.30am 1.45pm 7.00pm	Sick and Retired Clergy Bruce Webb RIP John Leonard RIP (CM)
Tuesday November 1 st ALL SAINTS (SOLEMNITY) HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION	9.30am	Parish Community
Wednesday 2 nd THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS)	9.30am 7.00pm	Deceased Members of the Parish November Dead List
Thursday 3 rd <i>St Winefride, Virgin</i>	7.00pm	November Dead List
Friday 4 th <i>St Charles Borromeo, Bishop</i>	9.30am 3.00pm	November Dead List Virgie Cresci RIP anniv. (AL) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Holy Rosary</i>
Saturday 5 th <i>Votive Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday</i> Wedding Service	10.00am 10.30-11am 12.30pm	November Dead List Edna & Frank Kent RIP anniv. (J&A) <i>Exposition and Confessions</i> Elizabeth Thomas and Michael Berry
Sunday November 6th 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time, Yr C. <i>2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14;</i> <i>Psalm 16(17):1, 5-6, 8, 15;</i> <i>2 Thessalonians 2:16 – 3:15; Luke 20:27-38.</i> Psalter Week 4; Yr 2, Week 32	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5pm	November Dead List Parish Community November Dead List/Peter Covelli <i>Vespers and Benediction</i>
Cycle of Prayer (From September to Christ the King): The Spread of the Gospel; The Harvest; the Fruits of Human Work, and the Reverent Use of Creation; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners and their Families.		

CONFESSIONS: after Saturday morning Mass, and from 6.00pm – 6.15pm Saturday evening, and on request.

MARIAN DEVOTION: Decade of the Rosary after each weekday Mass. Holy Rosary each Friday in October from 3pm.

EXPOSITION and BENEDICTION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT: following the Saturday morning Mass.

VESPERS AND BENEDICTION: Usually first Sunday of each month at 5pm. Check newsletter.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Please remember in your prayers: The sick and elderly clergy and religious of the diocese; Kath Baker, Janet Blackburn, June Blackhurst, Joan Bowden, John Fowler, Gina Grattorolla, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Rose Lamprey, Barbara Little, Kath and Colin Milford, Anita Oakley, Doris Renninghoff, Audrey Robinson, Veronica Sked, Tony Taylor, John Williams, Carol Williams, and all other members of our parish who are unwell at this time.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: Bruce Webb.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Martin Joyce, Frances Hayes, Phyllis Stevens, Daniel Thomas, Annie Williams, Frank Kent, Pietro Covelli, Vergie Cresci, June Clarke, Audrey Haigh, Mrs Lyndon.

FUNERAL: Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Bruce Webb who has died. His funeral service will take place here on Monday 31st October at 1.45pm.

SUNDAY OFFERING:

Last Sunday: £812.
 Second Collection: £346
 Many thanks for your generous support.

OCTOBER MASS COUNT:**Last Weekend:**

Sat.	6.30pm:	54
Sun.	8.30am:	68
	10.30am:	99
Total:		221

200 Club: October Winners:

£40: M. Davies (174)
 £20: G. O'Brien (5)
 £10: M. Richardson (116)
 Subs collected NEXT Weekend.
 New Members Welcome.

Rotas (6th November)**Extraordinary Ministers:**

6.30pm: Maureen Williams
 8.30am: Anne Bowen
 10.30am: *Brynfield*: Brian Hughes
 West Cross: Tess O'Donoghue
 Mumbles: Maggie Morris
Flowers: Joy Stafford, Mim Atherton,
 Jean Powell
Cleaning: Anne Richards, Judy Mulchay

FOOD DONATIONS: The Sisters of Charity in the Strand, Swansea, are deeply grateful for your generous donations of food for the poor and needy. Please continue to give generously.

Our Lady's Lamp: £5 per 7-day candle. Special Envelopes in porch. This week: Liz

**Wednesday Coffee Morning:**

After 9.30am Mass. Delicious Coffee and Homemade Cakes. Second hand books on sale in the hall. All proceeds to

CAFOD

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION: Parents of children who are eligible and wish to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion (Yr 2+) and Confirmation (Yr 6+) should speak to Fr Mansel after Mass to obtain the necessary application form. Your child needs to be registered for these Sacraments before 31st November.

WEDDING: Please remember in your prayers Elizabeth Siobhan Thomas and Michael George James Berry who will be joined together in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony here on Saturday, 5th November 2016 at 12.30pm.

BAPTISM: Please remember in your prayers James Damien M^cAnaney who will be welcomed into God's Holy Family through the Sacrament of Baptism here on Sunday 13th November 2016 at 12.30pm.

NOVEMBER DEAD LIST: If you would like your deceased relatives, friends and loved ones remembered at each Mass during November please pop their details in one of the brown envelopes available in the porch and place the envelopes in the basket at the back of the Church. They will be placed in front of the Altar at each Mass in November. Anniversaries will be shared with the List.

MASS FOR ALL SOULS AT MORRISTON CREMATORIUM: Bishop Tom Burns will celebrate Mass for All The Faithful Departed at the Crematorium Chapel on Wednesday 2nd November at 1.50pm, after which there will be the blessing of graves.

"AMY DILLWYN": Many thanks to all who attended the wonderful caricature presentation of *Amy Dillwyn* by Debra John last Sunday afternoon. It was lovely to see so many from other local churches. Thank you to everyone who worked so hard in laying on a sumptuous Victorian Tea which was greatly appreciated. The event raised £150 for *Maggie's Centre* at Singleton Hospital.

TRAIDCRAFT/CAFOD: Christmas Cards, Advent Calendars and other goodies now on sale in the porch. TRAIIDCRAFT catalogues also available. Orders to be in by November 13th, please, or ASAP to ensure availability. Ann Lane 367512.

PARISH CHRISTMAS SUPPER/GRAND PRIZE DRAW: Friday 9th December at 6.30pm. Fish/Chicken & Chips £5.50 p.p. Includes complimentary drink and dessert. Prize Draw tickets £1 per strip available in porch; please return counterfoils showing name, tel.no. & cash in envelope provided (see sample ticket in porch). Lists in porch for meal choice/prize donations. This is a very popular event so, first come, first served will apply. All proceeds to **AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED "Shine a Light in Advent Appeal"** helping persecuted Christians around the world, especially at Christmas. Thank you for your support. <http://www.acnuk.org/>

PLIGRIMAGE: Medjugorje 15th – 22nd June 2017. £589 from Bristol. Contact Sr Margaret on 473453.

LECTIO DIVINA: Tuesday 1st November at 7pm.

PARISH FILM NIGHT: "The Monuments Men." Friday 4th November at 7pm. Donation £3.

Waiter to customer: "...And how would you like your eggs cooked, sir?" Customer: "Does it make a difference to the price?" Waiter: "No, sir." Customer: "In that case, I'll have them cooked with beans, chips and three sausages."
 Q. What cheese is made backwards? A. Edam



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