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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

Sunday February 19th 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time Yr A <i>Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18;</i> <i>Psalm 102 (103): 1-4, 8-13;</i> <i>1 Corinthians 3:16-23; Matthew 5:38-48</i> Psalter Week 3; Yr 1,	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Sean Muldoon RIP (FJ) Parish Community Evelyn Laviers RIP (SP)
Monday 20 th <i>Feria</i>	9.30am	Intentions of Jackie & Maurice 40 th Wedding Anniversary (EW)
Tuesday 21 st <i>St Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i>	9.30am	Donald Lewis RIP (BT)
Wednesday February 22 nd <i>THE CHAIR OF ST PETER THE APOSTLE (FEAST)</i>	9.30am	John Williams RIP (C&RC)
Thursday 23 rd <i>St Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr</i>	7.00pm	Fr Peter Willkie RIP (M&WISCF)
Friday 24 th <i>Feria</i>	9.30am 3.00pm	George Plunkett RIP (J&AJ) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy</i>
Saturday 25 th <i>Votive Mass of Our Lady</i>	10.00am 10.30 - 11.00am	Brian Thomas (ET) <i>Exposition and Confessions</i>
Sunday February 26th 8th Sunday of Ordinary Time Yr A <i>Isaiah 49:14-15; Psalm 61(62):2-3, 6-9;</i> <i>1 Corinthians 4:1-5; Matthew 6:24-34</i> Psalter Week 4; Yr 1,	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Parish Community Brian Davies RIP (PH) James Wilson RIP (PW)
Cycle of Prayer: (In the Winter Season of Ordinary Time): <i>Peace on Earth; Christian Unity; Victims of Human Trafficking and Those Who Work to Combat It; The Sick and Those Who Care For Them; Students and Teachers; The Unemployed.</i>		

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.

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; Cath Baker, Janet Blackburn, June Blackhurst, Joan Bowden, Agnes Clement, John Fowler, Gina Grattorolla, John Hunt, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Rose Lamprey, Barbara Little, Kath and Colin Milford, Roy Miller, Anita Oakley, Doris Renninghoff, Audrey Robinson, Veronica Sked, Phyllis Stevens, Tony Taylor, and all members of our parish who are unwell at this time, and all those who care for them.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: George Plunkett, Terry Reilly, John Williams, Stan Hughes, Basil Freeman.

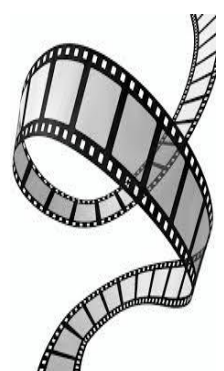

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Geraldina Cascarini, Roger Lloyd, Janet Clark, Lawrence Brimacombe, Alexander Evans, Maggie O'Donnell, Henry Ward, Margaret Buffee Mary, Crockett, Rosser Rees, Desire Hirst, Fr Gerald Holcroft, Fr Thomas Roche, Fr Joseph Becker, Fr Adrian Puntin.

FUNERAL: Of your charity please pray for the soul of John Williams who has died. His Funeral Mass will be here on Monday 27th February at 10am followed by cremation at Morryston Crematorium at 12noon.

BAPTISM: Please remember in your prayers baby Menna Theresa Cox-Evans, who will be welcomed into God's Holy Family through the Sacrament of Baptism during the 10.30am Mass this Sunday.

<p>SUNDAY OFFERING:</p> <p>Last Sunday: £759.</p> <p>Many thanks for your generous support.</p>	<p align="center">ROTAS (26th February)</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers:</p> <p>6.30pm: Joy Stafford</p> <p>8.30am: Anne Bowen</p> <p>10.30am: <i>Brynfield:</i> Maureen Williams <i>West Cross:</i> Joan Morgan <i>Mumbles:</i> Tess O`Donoghue</p> <p>Flowers: Tess O`Donoghue, Breda Regan, Anne Bowen</p> <p>Cleaning: Ann Richards, Judith Mulcahy</p>	<p>OUR LADY`S LAMP:</p> <p>£5 per 7-day candle.</p> <p>This week: Intentions of J&M.</p> <hr/> <p align="center">200 CLUB:</p> <p>Draw takes place NEXT Sunday after 8.30am Mass.</p> <p>New Members Welcome.</p>
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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

	<p align="center">PARISH FILM NIGHT</p> <p align="center">"WE BOUGHT A ZOO"</p> <p align="center">Starring: Matt Damon and Scarlett Johansson.</p> <p align="center">"You only need 20 seconds of insane courage..."</p> <p align="center">Friday 3rd March, 7pm. Donation £3. All Welcome.</p>	<p align="center">WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING</p> <p align="center">Come and enjoy a delicious slice of Home-made cake with a steaming cup of coffee or tea. Chat with friends or browse the second-hand book stall. All donations to CAFOD 10am - 12 noon</p>	
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CHILDREN`S LITURGY: Held every Sunday during the 10.30am Mass in term-time. Aimed at children who are 3 years and older (younger children are welcome if parents/guardians feel they would benefit). The Liturgy begins at the start of Mass, studies the Gospel reading for the Sunday, and rejoins the Mass after the homily. Fun and relaxing. Each catechist is DBS checked. For more information call Marie on 403530, or speak to Fr Mansel.

LECTIO DIVINA: Tuesday 21st February at 7pm.

SAINT DAVID`S DAY: Because Ash Wednesday falls on March 1st this year, the Solemnity of St David is transferred to Tuesday 28th February. Mass will be celebrated here at **10.00am** with the children and staff of St David`s School.

LENTEN STATION MASS: St Joseph`s Cathedral, Thursday March 2nd at 7pm. Priests will be available for individual confessions.

LENTEN DAY OF RECOLLECTION AT BELMONT ABBEY: Tuesday 14th March. Bus leaves West Cross Shops at 8.30am Cost £10, plus suggested £10 donation to the Abbey. Sign-up sheet in porch.

LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICE AND HOLY HOUR: Thursday April 6th here at 6.30pm with visiting priests available for individual confessions. Mass will follow at 7.30pm.

CAFOD FAST DAY: Friday 10th March. Special envelopes for your donations available in the porch.

TRAIDCRAFT FORTNIGHT: February 27th – March 12th. During these two weeks, the Coffee Morning on Wednesdays will be in aid of TRAIIDCRAFT. There will also be a *Tabletop* of TRAIIDCRAFT goodies available for purchase. New stock is available and Easter Eggs and Catalogues will be available shortly.

ST DAVID`S SCHOOL AND FAREWELL TO MRS ANGELA HEALD: With the welcome return of Mr Phillip O`Leary back to St David`s School we shall soon be saying farewell to Mrs Angela Heald who has been in charge of the school during Mr O`Leary`s absence. We say a huge "THANK YOU" to her for all she has done for the school and wish her continued success as she returns to St Joseph`s Cathedral School. It`s Half Term this week, so **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!!**

"MEN`S FELLOWSHIP": Any male, aged 18 or over, who thinks they might be interested in forming a 'Men`s Fellowship', please sign the sheet in the Church Porch. Date of first meeting will be announced next week.

CATHOLICISM: The Pivotal Players: Continues on **Tuesday 28th February, 7pm** in the Hall with part 4, **Blessed John Henry Newman**. Remaining dates: Monday 13th March and Tuesday 21st March.

PILGRIMAGE TO SPAIN: Meeting of pilgrims on next Saturday at 2pm in the Hall.

Two goats are on their way to the OSCARS in Hollywood when they stop at a rough piece of ground and start munching on some grass. Eventually they discover an old reel of film and start to eat their way through it. "Mmmm. Not bad," says the first goat. "It`s okay," says the second. "But the book was better."

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