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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

Sunday June 25th 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A <i>Jeremiah 20:10-13;</i> <i>Psalm 68(69):8-10, 14, 17, 33-35</i> <i>Romans 5:12-15; Matthew 10:26-33</i> Psalter Week 4	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Valladolid Pilgrims (JS) Dorothea Hunt RIP (K&P) Parish Community
Monday 26 th <i>12th Week of Ordinary Time, Year 1</i>	9.30am	John Fane RIP (N&GH)
Tuesday 27 th <i>St Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i>	9.30am	Bernadine & Jo Rimmer RIP (CM)
Wednesday 28 th <i>St Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr</i> EVENING: STS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)	9.30am 7.00pm	Holy Souls Parish Community
THURSDAY 29th HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION STS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)	9.30am	Children and Staff of St David's School No Evening Mass
Friday 30 th <i>The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church</i>	9.30am 3pm – 4pm	Pat Sivyer RIP (A&TL) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and Adoration</i>
Saturday July 1 st <i>St Oliver Plunket</i>	10.00am 10.30 - 11.00am	<i>Exposition and Confessions</i>
Sunday July 2nd 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A <i>2Kings 4:8-11, 14-16</i> <i>Psalm 88(89):2-3, 16-19</i> <i>Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Matthew 10:37-42</i> Psalter Week 1	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Confirmations Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5pm	Those receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation Thomas Little KSS RIP (BL) Lane Renfroe RIP (M&AO`C) <i>Vespers and Benediction</i>
Cycle of Prayer: (During Ordinary Time(Summer)): <i>A Deeper Understanding between Christians and Jews; Those who Suffer Persecution, Oppression and Denial of Human Rights; Europe; Human Life; Seafarers.</i>		

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

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: following the Saturday morning Mass with simple Benediction; and every Friday 3pm – 4pm with Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Rosary.

VESPERS AND BENEDICTION: Usually first Sunday of each month at 5.00pm. Check newsletter.

MARIAN DEVOTION: Decade of the Rosary after each weekday Mass.

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, Stan and Dora Clarke, Agnes Clement, John Fowler, Gina Grattarola, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Rose Lamprey, Barbara Little, Anne Martin, Kath and Colin Milford, Roy Miller, Anita Oakley, Neil Francis-Redford, Doris Renninghoff, Audrey Robinson, Phyllis Spencer, 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 RECENTLY: Denis O'Shea, Eileen Roberts, Pat Sivyer.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Sidney Dennis, Kate M^cDonald, Sheila Morris, Patrick O`Donoghue, William Cottle, Marjorie Ellery, Alan Beaumont, Lilian Cresci, Maurice Jones, James Morris, Bernard Ratcliffe, Maureen Williams, Fr Patrick O`Rourke, Fr Thomas Williams.

<p>SUNDAY OFFERING:</p> <p>Last Sunday: £787.66 Second Collection: Day For Life:£229.72 THIS Sunday: Peter`s Pence Many thanks for your generous support.</p>	<p>ROTAS (2nd July)</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers: 6.30pm: Brian Hughes 8.30am: Anne Bowen 10.30am: <i>Brynfield:</i> Maggie Morris <i>West Cross:</i> Tony Morgan <i>Mumbles:</i> Tess O`Donoghue Flowers: Joan Morgan, Norma Evans, Fran Jordan Cleaning: Ann Richards, Judy Mulchay</p>	<p>OUR LADY`S LAMP:</p> <p>£5 per 7-day candle. This Week: Private Intention</p> <hr/> <p>200 CLUB:</p> <p>June Draw takes place after 8.30am Mass THIS Sunday.</p>
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FOOD DONATIONS: The Sisters of Charity in the Strand, Swansea, are deeply grateful for your generous donations of all non-perishable food items for the poor and needy. Please continue to give generously.

A PRAYER FOR OUR DIOCESE

Almighty and eternal God, give us the grace and strength to carry out the work entrusted to us in the Diocese of Menevia. Bless our families and our parishes. You call men and women from our families to serve you as priests, deacons and in the religious life. May we read the signs of these vocations in others and help them to follow you.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
 Our Lady, Help of Christians, **pray for us.**
 St Joseph, **pray for us.** St David, **pray for us.**

LECTIO DIVINA: Tuesday 27th June at 7pm.
CATHOLIC MEN`S SOCIETY: Meet First Monday of each month. Next meeting Monday 3rd July at 7.15pm. Mr Tim Douglas-Jones will be the guest speaker, talking about travel and Cambodia. All men welcome.
PARISH LADIES GUILD: Wednesday 5th July, 7pm. *"An Edwardian Maid Serves Supper"*. Light Edwardian supper will be served. All ladies of the parish welcome.
PARISH FILM NIGHT: Takes a break for the summer. Restarts Friday 8th September. Volunteer needed to run this successful event. Please speak to Fr Mansel. Thank you.
BOTTLE OF CASH: The bottle in the hall for collecting small change has been emptied and raised £123 for the **Apostleship of the Sea**. This will be added to the collection take for the AoS on **Sea Sunday 8th/9th July**. At all Masses that weekend Paul Cullen will give a brief presentation on the work of the Apostleship of the Sea.
PAINTING: Painting of the exterior of the Church porch and windows will begin on Monday 26th June. Many thanks to all who have volunteered to help.
EXAMS: Please keep all those taking exams at this time in your prayers.

Three boys are in the schoolyard bragging about their fathers. The first boy says, "My dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a poem, and they give him £50." The second boy says, "That's nothing. My dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, he calls it a song, and they give him £100." The third boy says, "I got you both beat. My dad scribbles a few words on a piece of paper, calls it a sermon, and it takes eight people to collect all the money!"

CONFIRMATION: After a wonderful `retreat` at Belmont Abbey last Saturday, we welcome Bishop Tom Burns to the parish next **Saturday 1st July at 6.30pm** to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Heidi, Francesca, Izaak, Connor, Adam, Eoghan and Ioan. Please keep them all in your prayers. **Rehearsal is on Friday at 5pm.**

ORDINATION TO DIACONATE: Congratulations to Rev. Deacon Matthew Roche-Saunders who was ordained at Oscott Seminary yesterday. Please remember Matthew in your prayers as he continues his journey to Priesthood.

ORDINATION TO PRIESTHOOD: On Tuesday 27th June at 2.30pm, Rev. Deacon Patrick Lobo will be ordained Priest at Belmont Abbey. All are welcome to attend this event. Patrick attended this church while studying at Swansea University in the 1980s.

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, 29th JUNE: This is a **Holy Day of Obligation**. Mass is at 7pm on Wednesday and 9.30am on Thursday. On Thursday, we welcome the children and staff from St David`s School to Mass.

HANGING BASKETS AT NO. 22: Many thanks to Una Burr for the beautiful hanging basket arrangements outside the Presbytery.