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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

Sunday July 9th (Sea Sunday) 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A <i>Zechariah 9:9-10</i> <i>Psalms 144(145):1-2, 8-14</i> <i>Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30</i> Psalter Week 2	Sat. Vigil Sunday	6.30pm 8.30am 10.30am	Maura Heffernan Valladolid Pilgrims (JS) Parish Community
Monday 10 th <i>14th Week of Ordinary Time, Year 1</i>		9.30am	Eileen Pelosi RIP (C&RC)
Tuesday 11 th ST BENEDICT, ABBOT, PATRON OF EUROPE (FEAST)		9.30am 4.30pm	Maria Davies (AL) <i>Reception into church of the Mortal Remains of Eileen Pelosi RIP</i>
Wednesday 12 th Funeral Mass		10.00am	Eileen Pelosi RIP <i>No Coffee Morning</i>
Thursday 13 th <i>14th Week of Ordinary Time, Year 1</i>		7.00pm	Joyce Lewis RIP (B&DD)
Friday 14 th <i>St Camillus de Lellis, Priest</i>		9.30am 3pm – 4pm	Thanksgiving (AL) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and Adoration</i>
Saturday July 15 th <i>St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i>		10.00am 10.30 - 11.00am	Jack and Molly Davies RIP (B&DD) <i>Exposition and Confessions</i>
Sunday July 16th 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A <i>Isaiah 55:10-11</i> <i>Psalms 64(65):10-14</i> <i>Romans 8:18-23; Matthew 13:1-23</i> Psalter Week 3	Sat. Vigil Sunday	6.30pm 8.30am 10.30am	Holy Souls Parish Community Valladolid Pilgrims (JS)
Cycle of Prayer: <i>(During Ordinary Time(Summer)): 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: Eileen Pelosi, Jean Foulkes, Fr Harding Rees.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Peter O`Bree, David Mainwaring, Nan Crotty, Maria D`Imperio, Edwin Gardiner.

FUNERAL: Of your charity please pray for the peaceful repose of the soul of Eileen Pelosi. Her mortal remains will be brought into this church on Tuesday 11th July at 4.30pm. Her Funeral Mass will be on Wednesday 12th July at 10am, followed by cremation at Morrision Crematorium at 12noon.

<p>SUNDAY OFFERING:</p> <p>Last Sunday: £939 Second Collection this weekend: Apostleship of the Sea</p> <p>Many thanks for your generous support.</p>	<p>ROTAS (16th July)</p> <p>Extraordinary Ministers: 6.30pm: Margaret Whitmore 8.30am: Anne Bowen 10.30am: <i>Brynfield:</i> Ann Lane <i>West Cross:</i> Joan Morgan <i>Mumbles:</i> Tony Lane</p> <p>Flowers: Joy Stafford, Ann Lane, Sandra Morgan Cleaning: Norma Evans, Maggie Morris, Bill James</p>	<p>OUR LADY'S LAMP: £5 per 7-day candle. This Week: Lily Hacke</p> <hr/> <p>200 CLUB: June Winners: £40: Gina O'Brien (4) £20: Ann Richards (132) £10: John Ryan (163) Subs due THIS weekend.</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.**

SEA SUNDAY: Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. Today's second collection is for the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the Church's official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. This collection is vital to enable it to continue its works, so please give generously and remember seafarers in your prayers. Thank you. At all Masses this weekend Paul Cullen will give a brief presentation on the work of the Apostleship of the Sea.

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA: There is an ongoing need for donations throughout the year of warm clothing, toiletries, medication and phone cards for seafarers who dock at Port Talbot. Please contact Maureen Davies, 367211, for details.

CONFIRMATION: Congratulations to Heidi, Francesca, Izaak, Connor, Adam, Eoghan and Ioan who were Confirmed by Bishop Tom Burns here last Saturday evening. Please keep them all in your prayers.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Marco and Sophie Resteghini who were married at St Peter's Church, Newton last Saturday. We wish them a long and happy life together. Please keep them in your prayers.

70th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Congratulations to Kath and Colin Milford who celebrate their 70th Wedding Anniversary on Wednesday 12th July. May the Lord continue to keep them safe and holy in the years ahead until they are welcomed in the fullness of their days into His heavenly banquet.

CONGRATULATIONS: also to Bishop Vaughan School which celebrates its 50th anniversary this year and was marked by a celebration of Mass with Bishop Tom at the Cathedral on Friday evening. Please keep all the pupils and staff, past and present in your prayers.

LECTIO DIVINA: Tuesday 11th July at 7pm.

SVP: Meet this Wednesday at 7pm. All welcome.

CATHOLIC MEN'S SOCIETY: Meet First Monday of each month but now takes a summer break. Next meeting Monday 4th September at 7.15pm. All men welcome.

MARRIAGE CARE: is holding an evening get together on Tuesday 18th July at 7:30pm in the church hall for those with marriage experience who may be interested in assisting them in preparing others for marriage, and/or offering relationship counselling to those whose marriage is in difficulty. Our volunteers are provided with appropriate training and support. The evening will be run by Joy Stafford and Peter Andrewes. Refreshments will be provided."

SVP FUN QUIZ: In aid of *Fitzroy*, the national disability learning centre co-founded by the late John Williams of this parish - Wednesday 26th July at 7.30pm. Entry £2 per person including refreshments. Please see Poster and Team sign-up sheet in Porch'.

PARISH FILM NIGHT: Takes a break for the summer. Restarts Friday 8th September.

A small girl was travelling with her mother to LegoLand in Windsor. Suddenly she exclaimed in excitement, "Look, Mummy, is that where God means when he says Lead us not into Thames Station.?"

WELCOME TO VISITORS: PLEASE JOIN US FOR TEA/COFFEE AND A FRIENDLY CHAT AFTER SUNDAY MASSES
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