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### MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b> <b>THE BODY AND BLOOD OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST (SOLEMNITY) Yr B</b> <i>Exodus 24:3-8; Psalm 115(116):12-18; Hebrews 9:11-15; Mark 14:12-16, 22-26</i> <b>Psalter Week 1</b>	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5.00pm	John Carter RIP (CC) Annie Stott (Fouracre Family) Sue Philippart (S&TO`K) <i>Vespers and Benediction</i>
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> Requiem Mass	10.00am 4.30pm	Joan Bowden RIP <i>Reception into church of Anne Houlton RIP</i>
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Requiem Mass	10.00am	Ann Houlton RIP
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> <i>9<sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Don Falvey RIP anniv. (PF)
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> <b>THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS (SOLEMNITY)</b>	7.00pm	Moyra Whyte RIP (A&MO`C)
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> <b>THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS (SOLEMNITY)</b>	9.30am 3pm-4pm	Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart (GC) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary, Adoration</i>
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> <i>The Immaculate Heart of Mary</i>	10.00am 10.30 - 11.00am	Melita Dowson RIP anniv. (WK) <i>Adoration and Confessions</i>
<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>10<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Yr B</b> <i>Genesis 3:9-15; Psalm 129(130); 2Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35</i> <b>Psalter Week 2</b>	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am <i>First Holy Communion</i>	Parish Community Thomas Barton RIP (T&CL) First Holy Communion Children
<b>Cycle of Prayer:</b> <i>(During Ordinary Time up to September): 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 5pm. Check newsletter.

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

**WE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:** the elderly clergy and religious of the diocese; Janet Blackburn, June Blackhurst, Joe Bracchi, Mary Brearley, Claire Clancy, John Fowler, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Rose Lamprey, Barbara Little, Anne Martin, Kath Milford, Roy Miller, Anita Oakley, Doris Renninghoff, Millie Richards, Audrey Robinson, Tony Taylor, 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:** Joan Bowden, Ann Houlton Josy Burton.

**WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME:** Joseph Harte, Elsie Cottle, Antonio Monaco, Alun Richards, Doris Grant, Annie Stott, Don Falvey, Rena Hatton, Pamela De Alwis, Marguerite Sullivan, Conor Norris, Mike Stanley, Russell Price, John Noel, Glyn Lloyd, Len Davies, Margaret Thompson, Sr Mary Patrick, Fr Terry Walsh.

**FUNERALS:** Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Joan Bowden, whose Requiem Mass will be here on Monday June 4<sup>th</sup> at 10am followed by Cremation at Morryston Crematorium at 12noon. Also, Ann Houlton, whose mortal remains will be received into church on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 4.30pm. Her Requiem Mass will be here on Tuesday June 5<sup>th</sup> at 10am followed by Burial at Pennard Community Cemetery. Also, Josy Burton, whose mortal remains will be received into church on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June at 4.30pm. Her Requiem Mass will be here on Wednesday June 13<sup>th</sup> at 10am followed by Burial at Oystermouth Cemetery at 11.45pm.

<p><b>SUNDAY OFFERING:</b> Last Sunday: £769.58</p> <p><i>Second Collection THIS Sunday for Sick and Retired Clergy.</i></p> <p>Many thanks for your generous support.</p>	<p><b>ROTAS (10<sup>th</sup> June)</b> <b>Extraordinary Ministers:</b> 6.30pm: Margaret Whitmore 8.30am: Joy Stafford 10.30am: <i>Campion:</i> Norma Evans <i>West Cross:</i> Joan Morgan <i>Mumbles:</i> Tony Lane <b>Flowers:</b> Ann Lane, Diane Davies, Sandra Morgan <b>Cleaning:</b> Ann Lane, Liz Lyons, Diane Davies</p>	<p><b>OUR LADY'S LAMP:</b> £5 per 7-day candle. This Week: First Holy Communion Children</p> <hr/> <p><b>200 CLUB:</b> May Winners: £40: K. Holley (24) £20: E. Davies (69) £10: A. Bennett (9) Subs due next weekend. 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 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.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION 2018:** Please remember in your prayers the following children who are preparing to receive the sacrament of **First Holy Communion:** Ava Chamberlain, Sam Rees, Seren Jones, Jack Law, Rhodri Jones and Gwenllian Jones; and those preparing for **Confirmation:** Emily Holmes, David Johnstone, Lili Parry, Annabel Parry, Alba De La Cuesta de Wet, Lola Philippart, Luke Richards and Delyth Jones.

**First Holy Communion: Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am. Confirmation: Sunday July 1<sup>st</sup> 10.30am.**

**PLANT AND TABLE TOP SALE:** Many thanks to all who helped and supported this event last weekend. **£180** was raised for Parish Projects.

**LECTIO DIVINA:** Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June, 7pm.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S SOCIETY:** Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June, 7.15pm. Guest Speaker is Grace Birt speaking on the Gospels. All welcome.

**CHARITY NIGHT FOR ST DAVID'S SCHOOL:** *'And Then There Were None'* by Swansea Little Theatre. Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm in the Dylan Thomas Theatre. Tickets £12 includes fizz and canapes. All Welcome.

**SVP FUN AUCTION:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June. Viewing 7pm, commence 7.30pm. Good quality articles e.g. jewellery, glass, china, paintings etc. gratefully received (sorry, no clothes). SVP box in porch for your items. Please contact any SVP member for more information. Entry £2, includes glass of wine. Tea/Coffee available. There will also be a **RAFFLE!!!**

**CAFOD: Share the Journey:** is a global campaign launched by Pope Francis and is *"a unique opportunity"* for Catholics to put pressure on governments to respond to the huge levels of global migration around the world. At the end of 2018 the United Nations will agree two new agreements which will shape how countries respond to migrants and refugees for years to come. Join us on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June, during **Refugee Week**, as our Parish **'Share the Journey'** with our global neighbours. Every step taken will show world leaders that they must treat refugees and migrants with dignity and respect. We will begin our walk at 1.30pm from Our Lady Star of the Sea to the Marina. You can walk all or part of the way, and also join us in prayer and spirit *en route* at the Cenotaph on the promenade near St Helens at 3.00pm to pray together.

**INVITE-A-FRIEND SUNDAY, 1<sup>st</sup> JULY:** By agreement with Bishop Tom, and Archbishop George Stack, parishes across Cardiff and Menevia are asked to make Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July a special day when parishioners invite a friend to come and experience Sunday Mass, especially those who have been away from the Sacraments for a while.

*Overheard outside Church one Sunday:*  
Son: "Dad, did you go to Church when you were little?"  
Dad: "Yes son, every single Sunday."  
Son: "I thought so. Bet it won't do me any good either."

