

## OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent Yr C</b> Deut. 26:4-10 Ps. 90(91):1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 Rom. 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13 <b>Psalter Week 1</b>	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Parish Community Ryland Kiff RIP (R & A H) Joe Bracchi RIP (M W)
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	9.30am	Toni & Family (E T)
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	9.30am 11.00am	Clive Solomon (C S) <i>Stations of the Cross: St David's School children</i>
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	9.30am  1.00pm	Mabel Thomas (C S) <i>(No Coffee Morning today)</i> <i>Funeral Mass (Abigail Rockefeller)</i>
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	7.00pm	Intention of the donor
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	9.30am 3.00pm – 4.00pm 7.00pm	Intention of the donor <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and Adoration</i> <i>Stations of the Cross</i>
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent</i>	10.00am 10.30am– 11.00am	Intention of the donor <i>Adoration and Confessions</i>
<b>Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent Yr C</b> Gen. 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps. 26:1.7-9, 13-14 Phil. 3:17–4:1; Luke 9:28-36 <b>Psalter Week 2</b>	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Intention of the donor Parish Community James Webb (R W)
<b>Cycle of Prayer:</b> <i>(In the Season of Lent): Candidates for the Sacraments; Women; The Needy and Hungry of the World; Penitents and Wanderers.</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 every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 5pm.

**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, Mary Brearley, Claire Clancy, Pat Davies, John Fowler, Bill Gill, John Grant, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Barbara Little, Anne Martin, 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:** Joseph Bracchi, Abigail Rockefeller, Rose Lamprey.

**WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME:** James M<sup>c</sup>Neff, Nora & Daniel Gallivan, Bernard M<sup>c</sup>Carthy, Harold M<sup>c</sup>Donald, James Webb, Margaret Leder, Brian Deehan, Jennifer Hicks, Susan Herrieven, Bishop Francis Vaughan, Fr Eddie Murphy, Fr Evan Hope, Roy Thomas, Kath Williams.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** 7pm every Friday during Lent.

<p><b>SUNDAY OFFERING:</b> Last Sunday £853.55</p> <p>Second Collection NEXT weekend for Lenten Family Fast Day. Envelopes available in the porch.</p>	<p><b>ROTAS (17<sup>th</sup> March 2019)</b> <b>Extraordinary Ministers:</b> 6.30pm: M. Williams 8.30am: T. O'Donoghue 10.30am: <i>Campion</i>: M. Whitmore <i>West Cross</i>: J. Stafford <i>Mumbles</i>: J. 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: Peter Mason</p> <hr/> <p><b>200 CLUB:</b> Subscription due this weekend (9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> March) New members welcome.</p>
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### 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.

**PRAYER GROUP:** Next meeting on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March after 7.00pm Mass. Meets every two weeks. All welcome.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S SOCIETY:** Next meeting Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> April, 7.15pm. Meets first Monday of the month (but following Monday when it is bank holiday). All welcome.

**LECTIO DIVINA:** Next meeting Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> March, 7pm. Meets Tuesday every two weeks. All welcome.

**LADIES GUILD:** Meets 2.30pm first and third Wednesdays of the month. All welcome.

**SVP:** The next SVP meeting will be held on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm. All welcome.

**RED MISSIO BOXES:** The Red Boxes are due to be emptied. Please bring yours to church or phone Jackie on 601058 to arrange for collection.

**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY APPEAL:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March to help children suffering from hunger and malnutrition. A short talk will be given by our CAFOD Parish representatives at the end of each Mass on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> March.

**SINGLETON HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY:** Fr Clement Oloruntoba OP at Our Lady of Lourdes, Townhill, has taken over the Catholic Chaplaincy for Singleton Hospital. Tel: 07459335606; email: [townhill@menevia.org](mailto:townhill@menevia.org). A reminder of the Catholic Chaplaincy number for Morrison Hospital is 07792003905 (Canon Jason Jones). If you or a friend or relative are going into hospital and would like the Catholic Chaplain to visit you, please remember to inform them as we do not have access to patients' details.

**LENT: "WALK WITH ME":** Copies of this useful devotional guide to prayer during Lent are available in the porch. Suggested donation 50p.

**LENTEN STATION MASS:** Morrison Parish, Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 7pm. Confessions 6.30pm.

**LENTEN DAYS OF RECOLLECTION:** Two separate days of recollection are planned. 1. Townhill Parish on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March (from 10.00am to 2.00pm) with talk by Fr Michael Akpoghiran, OP. 2. Belmont Abbey, Hereford, on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March (10.30am to 3.00pm) with talk by Fr Michael Akpoghiran, OP. Please see posters on notice board for details.

**LENTEN ALMS:** There is a slot in the porch marked for your donations for Lenten Alms.

**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.

**ST DAVID'S COMMUNITY RECYCLING MUMBLES:** The school has started a community recycling scheme to help the environment, and to raise funds for the school. They will be collecting everyday products like crisp packets, biscuit wrappers and bread bags. Please check the bin in the porch for items collected, and

[Facebook.com/StDavidsCPSRecycling](https://www.facebook.com/StDavidsCPSRecycling). Please DO NOT put any other plastic in, we can only recycle items stated.

**FUNERAL: ABIGAIL ROCKEFELLER:** Funeral Mass for Abigail Rockefeller will be held here in our parish church on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 1.00pm.

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

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