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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sunday 14th July 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C Deut. 30:10-14; Ps. 68:14. 17. 30-31. 33-34. 36-37 r.33; Col. 1:15-20; Luke 10:25-37 Psalter Week 3	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Nan & Dan Crotty (A & J C) Pauline Stewart, RIP (P S) Parish Community
Monday 15 th <i>St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i>	9.30am	Neil Lewis, RIP (B & D D)
Tuesday 16 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 15</i>	9.30am	Fr Clement, Ordination Anniv. Thanksgiving (R K)
Wednesday 17 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 15</i>	9.30am 10.00am – 12noon	Private Intention <i>Coffee Morning</i>
Thursday 18 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 15</i>	7.00pm	Don Falvey, RIP (P F)
Friday 19 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 15</i>	9.30am 3.00pm	Mary Dyer, Birthday Anniv. (A L) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and Adoration</i>
Saturday 20 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 15</i>	10.00am 10.30pm–11.00am	Private Intention <i>Adoration and Confession</i>
Sunday 21st July 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C Gen. 18:1-10; Ps. 14: 2-5 r.1; Col. 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42 Psalter Week 4	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am	Maureen & Patrick O'Connell, RIP (K A) Parish Community Intention of the donor

Cycle of Prayer: *(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.*

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 1st Sunday at 5pm.

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

BIRTHDAYS OF THE WEEK: In thanksgiving to the Lord, we pray for parishioners who mark their birthdays this week: Gill Griffiths (14th), Norma Evans (14th), Hannah Kieft (17th), Jayne Kelly (17th), Anne Meredith (20th). May the Lord bless and keep them. Amen.

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, Gina O'Brien, 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: Paul Hetherington.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Nan Crotty, Maria D'Imperio, Pauline Stewart, Edwin Gardiner, Patrick O'Brien, Gordon John Jones, Nancy Ronayant, Dan Crotty, Margaret Neal, Islwyn Jones, James O'Brien, Maureen O'Connell, Joseph Taylor, Fr Bueno McLoughlin, Fr Denis Cleary, Fr John Coghlan, Fr Maurice Newman.

<p>SUNDAY OFFERING: Last Sunday: £815.35</p> <p>Second Collection THIS weekend for Apostleship of the Sea. Thank you for your generous support.</p>	<p>ROTAS (21st July 2019) Extraordinary Ministers: 6.30pm: A. Bowen 8.30am: J. Stafford 10.30am: <i>Campion</i>: T. Morgan <i>West Cross</i>: M. Morris <i>Mumbles</i>: S. Morgan Flowers: J. Morgan, A. Lehane, T. O'Donoghue Cleaning: C. Brennan, K. Dutko</p>	<p>OUR LADY'S LAMP: £5 per 7-day candle. Intention of Mo</p> <hr/> <p>200 CLUB: Draws due 28th July. 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 18th July after 7.00pm Mass. Meets every two weeks. All welcome.

CATHOLIC MEN'S SOCIETY: Meets first Monday of the month (but following Monday when it is bank holiday). Next Meeting 2nd September. All welcome.

LECTIO DIVINA: Next meeting Tuesday 23rd July, 7pm. Meets Tuesday every two weeks. All welcome.

LADIES GUILD: Meets 7pm (in BST) first and third Wednesdays of the month. All welcome.

SVP: Typically meets 7pm second and fourth Wednesdays of the month. All welcome.

PARISH FILM NIGHT: Friday 6th September at 7pm. All welcome.

BISHOP TOM'S RETIREMENT: Pope Francis has appointed Archbishop George Stack to be Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Menevia, on acceptance of the resignation of Bishop Tom Burns in accordance with Canon 401 §1, on the grounds of age (75 on 03 June 2019). Bishop Tom has welcomed the appointment of Archbishop George, who will assume his additional responsibilities with effect from 11 July 2019, the Feast of St Benedict, Patron of Europe. On this date, after 17 years as a Bishop (of the Armed Forces and then of Menevia), Bishop Tom will relinquish all responsibility for the Diocese of Menevia and will move into retirement as Bishop Emeritus of Menevia.

a MASS OF THANKSGIVING

will take place in St Joseph's Cathedral, Swansea SA1 2BX
on Tuesday 23 July 2019 at 7 p.m.

During this Mass Bishop Tom will formally lay down the symbols of his episcopal office, and Archbishop George will officially assume the responsibility entrusted to him by Pope Francis.

Bishop Tom will be Principal Celebrant and Archbishop George will preach.

Invitations to clergy and people will be issued shortly.

100 YEARS OF WORSHIP AND WITNESSING: July this year marks the centenary of the celebration of the sacred liturgy in this church. In thanksgiving to the Lord and to mark this centenary, there will be a concelebrated Holy Mass on Sunday 21st July at 10.30am with the Bishop as principal celebrant. This Mass will also usher in a year-long celebration (with different events lined up until 2020). Details will follow later. After Mass, buffet lunch will follow at Oyster Lounge. £3 per person, free for children under 10. Our centenary is a celebration of 100 years of worship and witnessing to Christ, and we appeal to all parishioners to support the events which mark it.

CENTENARY MASS REFRESHMENTS: Oyster Lounge 21st July @ £3 per person; all monies will be collected following Masses on 13/14th & 20/21st July. Please see collectors in Porch. Thank you for your help and support.

OUR PARISH NEEDS YOU: Our Parish is blessed with many talents and gifts. We are grateful to every parishioner for bringing their giftedness to serve Christ and his Church. Our Parish needs each one of us in order to do more to serve and support us all in our spiritual journey. The Lord may be inviting YOU to a deeper commitment to service in the Parish. We really need more volunteers. Please consider a further engagement with your faith by serving in any one or more of the following ministries/groups: Readers, Altar Servers, Flowers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Cleaning, Sacristans, Building Maintenance, Gardening, Catholic Men's Group, Ladies Guild, Prayer Group, Lectio Divina, Children's Liturgy, Film Club, Junior Film Club, St Vincent De Paul, Coffee Morning, Music, Parish Secretarial work, Youth Ministry, Home Rosary, Evangelisation. Contact Fr Michael to accept this appeal to serve; phone number and email are in this newsletter. Thank you for your support.

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

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