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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sunday 27th October 30 th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C Ecclesiasticus 35:12-14, 16-19; Ps 33:2-3. 17-19.23; 2 Tim 4:6-8.16-18; Luke 18:9-14 Psalter Week 2	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 8.30pm	Parish Community Colleen Walsh, RIP (S W) Winnie McCann, RIP (N E) Reception of Body in Church: Michael Policelli, RIP
Monday 28 th	10.30am	Funeral Mass: Michael Policelli, RIP
Tuesday 29 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 30</i>	9.30am	Sheila Ward, Thanksgiving (B & D D)
Wednesday 30 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year 1, Week 30</i>	9.30am 10.00am – 12noon	Norman Thomas, Thanksgiving (A L) <i>Coffee Morning</i>
Thursday 31 st <i>Vigil Mass for All Saints (Solemnity)</i> (Holyday of Obligation)	7.00pm	John Fowler, RIP (Prayer Group)
Friday 1 st November <i>All Saints (Solemnity)</i> (Holyday of Obligation)	9.30am 3.00pm-4pm 7.00pm	Daniel Thomas, RIP anniv. (C S) <i>Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and Adoration</i> John Fowler, RIP (A & J J)
Saturday 2 nd <i>The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls)</i>	10.00am 10.30pm-11.00am	For all the faithful departed <i>Adoration and Confession</i>
Sunday 3rd November 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C Wis 11:22-12:2; Ps 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14; 2 Thess 1:11-2:2; Luke 19:1-10 Psalter Week 3	Sat. Vigil 6.30pm Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5.00pm	Parish Community Nov. Holy Souls List / Vergie Cresci, RIP anniv. (A L) John Fowler, RIP (E W) Vespers and Benediction
Cycle of Prayer: <i>(During Ordinary Time, Autumn): Students and Teachers; The Spread of the Gospel; The Harvest ;The Fruits of Human Work and the Reverent Use of Creation; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners and their Families.</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 1st Sunday at 5pm. Please check Newsletter.

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: Kazia Obara, John Grant. May the Lord bless and keep them. Amen.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: The elderly clergy and religious of the diocese; Bobby Barragry, Janet Blackburn, Kath Bowling, George Bowen, Mary Brearley, Claire Clancy, Christine Coates, Maria Davies, Pat Davies, Roger Eddy, Bill Gill, Jerry Gilmore, John Grant, Gwyneth Isaacs, Kitty Jewell, Veronica Mary Kinsey, Helen Mannion, Anne Martin, Roy Miller, Gina O'Brien, Jim Rafferty, Doris Renninghoff, Millie Richards, Maria Richardson, Audrey Robinson, Bernadette Rosser, Margaret Sandison, Elvira Scannell, Eleanor Scowcroft, Baby Sebastian, Desmond Sweeney, Tony Taylor, Carmel Thomas, Clive Thomas, Norman Thomas, all our parishioners who are unwell at this time, and all those who care for them.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: Colleen Walsh, John Fowler, Barbara Little, Michael Policelli.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Margaret Veale, Margaret & John Kavanagh, Winifred McCann, James Hennessy, Olwen Carrick, Joan d'Rozario, Martin Joyce, Frances Hayes, Phyllis Stevens, Daniel Thomas, Annie Williams, Frank Kent.

<p>SUNDAY OFFERING: Last Sunday: £901.20</p> <p>World Mission Sunday: £260.65</p> <p>Thank you for your generous support.</p>	<p>ROTAS (3rd November 2019) Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: 6.30pm: Maureen Williams 8.30am: Gaye Clee 10.30am: <i>Campion:</i> Janice Jones <i>West Cross:</i> Joy Stafford <i>Mumbles:</i> Joan Morgan Flowers: Ann Lane, Diane Davies, Sandra Morgan Cleaning: Tony & Sarah O’Kane</p>	<p>OUR LADY’S LAMP: £5 per 7-day candle. The O’Donoghue & Byrne Families</p> <p>200 CLUB: Winners: P. Kieft £40, A. Blades £20, G. Clee £10 Subscription for Nov/Dec due next weekend.</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 Tuesday 5th November at 7pm. 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 on 4th November at 7.15pm when the speaker will be Lyn Joseph on ‘Trekking to Everest Base’. All welcome.

LECTIO DIVINA: Next meeting Tuesday 29th October 7pm. Meets Tuesday every two weeks. All welcome.

LADIES GUILD: Meets 7pm first and third Wednesdays of the month. Next meeting Wednesday 6th November, when Debra John will present ‘Gower Dreaming’. All welcome.

SVP: Next meeting Wednesday 13th November at 7pm. All welcome.

PARISH FILM NIGHT: Friday 15th November at 7pm. Title: *Dad’s Army*. All welcome.

JUNIOR FILM NIGHT: Friday 8th November from 5.30pm. All Welcome.

TABLE TENNIS GROUP: Monday 28th October at 7pm. Meets Monday every two weeks. All welcome.

FOOD DONATIONS: The Missionaries 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. There are boxes in the porch for your donations.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE: Christmas Raffle tickets are now available to pick up after all Masses. The Christmas raffle will be drawn at the Parish Supper Night on Friday 6th December and we are again asking for your generosity in providing prizes for this popular event. Please add your name, telephone number and prize offering to the list in the porch. Should you wish to donate anonymously, please email Theresa at theresa.joyce@hotmail.co.uk. We hope that you will pick up lots of books and encourage your family and friends to buy and sell them on further to help parish funds in our Centenary Year.

PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS: Our Parish Centenary Christmas cards will be available for purchase next weekend.

PARISH FUN QUIZ: Wednesday 30th October at 7.30. £2.00 entry to include refreshments. Raffle. Please sign up on the list in the Porch. Proceeds to Parish Centenary Fund.

COURSE ON SCRIPTURE, SPIRITUALITY AND EVANGELISATION: Starting February 2020 and offered by DOMSEC. This course will help participants to deepen their knowledge of the Scripture, equip them to share the word of God, and deepen their spiritual life. It will give participants the confidence to become agents of Evangelisation.

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR – SUNDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2019: Pope Francis’s theme for the World Day of Prayer is: “THE HOPE OF THE POOR SHALL NOT PERISH FOR EVER”. In his message for the third World Day of the Poor, Pope Francis reminds us that “the poor are not numbers, but people”, to be assisted, accompanied, protected, defended and saved. For further details & resources please use this link: www.csan.org.uk

NOVEMBER – PRAYING FOR THE HOLY SOULS: November is the month traditionally dedicated to praying for the Holy Souls. If you would like your deceased relatives, friends and loved ones remembered in a special way at each mass during November, please put their details in one of the brown envelopes available in the porch and place the envelopes in the basket at the back of the Church. They will be placed in front of the altar at each Mass in November. Anniversary Mass intentions will be shared with the List.

MICHAEL POLICELLI, RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Michael Policelli who passed away on Thursday 17th October. Body will be received in church on Sunday 27th October at 8.30pm. Funeral Mass on Monday 28th October at 10.30am. May the Lord grant him eternal rewards. Amen.

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

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