

## Our Lady Star Of The Sea Catholic Church

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SOME MASSES LISTED BELOW ARE LIVESTREAMED

Date & Liturgical Celebration	Time	Mass Intention
<b>Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b>The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	John & Chris Richards, RIP Anniv/birthday (A R) Margaret Harte, RIP Anniversary (E T) Maria Watkins, RIP (M M) O/L Lamp: Mary Paula-Lee, Birthday & RIP Anniv. (M W)
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	<b>Mass in Townhill</b>
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Maria Watkins, RIP (T O'D)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Anthony Pritchard, RIP Anniv (P S)
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	7.00pm (Livestreamed)	Pauline James, RIP (E T)
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> <b>Funeral Mass</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Funeral Mass for Martin Burns, RIP</b>
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church</i>	10.00am (Livestreamed)	Pauline James, RIP (S V P)
<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August</b> <b>21<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am  10.30am	Katarina Dutko, 40 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniv. (K D) Nathania Eanthumkuzhiyil, Baptism Thanksgiving (N S J) Parish Community O/L Lamp: Maurice & Jackie Rees (P H)

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday morning after 10am Mass, Saturday evening 6pm-6.15pm, and on request.

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** Anne White, Janet Jones, Lauren Oshisanya.

**STAR OF THE SEA NEWS:** Contributions required by August 21<sup>st</sup> please, by email to [madelineolss@aol.com](mailto:madelineolss@aol.com) or contact Madeline on 01792 361194 to discuss further. Many thanks.

**JOIN A PARISH SERVICE TEAM (From the Parish Meeting):** Our Parish heavily relies on the dedicated service of parishioners who volunteer to serve in different capacities. **We need more volunteers.** Please consider joining any of the following Parish Service Teams: **Outreach Team, Children/Youth Ministry, Welcoming Team, Music Team, Parish Events Planning, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Gardening Team, Building Maintenance, Cleaning Team.** A sign-up sheet is in the porch. Thank you.

**RACE FOR LIFE:** Many thanks to all who sponsored Jan Davies in the Race for Life; she raised £300.

**PARISH BIBLE STUDY:** Restarting in October. Details will be announced later.

**FAITH FORMATION:** Starting in October. Using the **Sycamore** contents, this informal course explores the Christian faith in the Catholic tradition and its relevance for life today. Participants will meet other people, watch inspiring videos, share ideas, explore Catholic beliefs, and think about questions that really matter. We will meet once a week, on Thursdays in the Parish Hall, 7.30pm-8.30pm. All are welcome. For further information, please get in touch with Father Michael or Father Matthew ([mumbles@menevia.org](mailto:mumbles@menevia.org)).

**PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** If you know of anyone in the parish who has been affected by bereavement, whether recently or some time ago, please get in touch with our Parish Bereavement Support Team who may offer support. **Rose 07813157296.**

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of Peter Smith, Pauline James, Maria Watkins, Christopher Clee, Martin Burns, Violet Anne Martin. May the Lord grant them eternal rest and rewards. Amen.

**FUNERAL OF MARTIN FRANCIS BURNS, RIP:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August, 11am, Our Lady Star of the Sea.

**FUNERAL OF CHRISTOPHER CLEE, RIP:** Private Family Funeral at Swansea Crematorium on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August. A Service of Thanksgiving will be held at the Brangwyn Hall, Swansea, on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2022, at 2pm.

**FUNERAL OF PETER SMITH, RIP:** Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 10.45am, Our Lady Star of the Sea.

**FUNERAL OF VIOLET ANNE MARTIN, RIP:** Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> August, 1.00pm, Our Lady Star of the Sea.

**WE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND, AND THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS:** Isabelle Gilfedder, Claire Clancy, Roy Miller, Frank Bowen, Michael Guerin, Theresa Plunkett, Kath Bowling, Doris Renninghoff, Frances Traylor, Rosemary Ronan, Mary Brearley, Audrey Robinson, Maria Davies, Angela Matthews, Millie Richards, Janet Blackburn, Eleanor Scowcroft, Yvonne Richards, Peter McPherson, Heather Ellis, Madeleine Riley, Bill Gill.

**WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME:** Margaret Harte, Robert Morris, Margaret Kavanagh, Gordon Webb, Harold Wood, Fr Basil Rowlands, Paula Lee, William Clancey, Ivor John. Karl Anthony Pritchard, Fr Patrick Daly, Freda Doughty, ME Williams, Rocky Rockminster.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST:** For small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of social and economic crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER:** During Ordinary Time (Summer), we are invited to pray for these intentions: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression, and denial of human rights; Europe; Human Life; Seafarers

**SUNDAY OFFERING: £ 822**

Thanks for your generosity.

**EVANGELISATION (DOMSEC) DONATIONS:**

Thanks to all who donate to support the work of evangelisation.

**Our Catholic Primary School:** Our local Catholic Primary school is **St David's** on West Cross Avenue, a welcoming and happy school where children are cared for and nurtured to develop educationally, spiritually and emotionally. The contact details for St David's are at the top of this Newsletter - do get in touch to secure a place for your child.

Email: **6703303** [stdavidscatholicprimaryschool@hwbcymru.net](mailto:stdavidscatholicprimaryschool@hwbcymru.net) or phone on 01792 512212 or follow us on

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**PARISH SERVICE TEAMS**

**NEW VOLUNTEERS**

**(Not including already serving volunteers)**

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<b>Building Maintenance</b>	Maurice Rees, Dayo Ijasan, Dave Clarke
<b>Children/Youth Ministry</b>	Sandra Morgan, Catherine Maxwell-Carr, Elizabeth Wigley, Helen Clarke, Clare Power
<b>Welcoming Team</b>	Sandra Morgan, Louise Watkins, Breda Regan
<b>Parish Events Planning</b>	Eileen Waters, Jim Sander, Joy Stafford, Ian Lamond
<b>Gardening Team</b>	Louise Watkins, Fran Jordan, Sandra Morgan, Aidan Byrne, Dayo Ijasan, Pat Joyce, Breda Regan
<b>Cleaning Team</b>	Matthew Maxwell-Carr, Jon & Louise Pass, Ann Richards, Judy Mulcahy, Nora Howard, Fran Falvey, Jan Davies, Mary McGinty
<b>Sunday Tea/Coffee</b>	Marie Fouracre, Sandra Morgan, Clare Power, Margaret Joyce-Brown, Theresa & Pat Joyce
<b>Liturgical Music Team</b>	Stephanie Jefferies, Daniel & Clare Power, Norma Evans, Rose Cooze
<b>Wednesday Coffee Morning</b>	Nora Howard, Beryl Rees
<b>Livestreaming</b>	Martin Power, Eileen Waters, Rose Cooze

Many thanks to those who have volunteered. **We need more volunteers, please.**