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SOME MASSES LISTED BELOW ARE LIVESTREAMED

Date & Liturgical Celebration	Time	Mass Intention
Sunday 21st August 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Katarina Dutko, 40 th Wedding Anniv. (K D) Nathania Eanthumkuzhiyil, Baptism Thanksgiving (N S J) Parish Community O/L Lamp: Maurice & Jackie Rees (P H)
Monday 22 nd	10.00am	Mass in Townhill
Tuesday 23 rd Funeral Mass	10.45am	Funeral Mass for Peter Smith, RIP
Wednesday 24 th St Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast)	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Bernard & Claire Gregory, RIP (B S)
Thursday 25 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	7.00pm (Livestreamed)	Pauline James, RIP (M M)
Friday 26 th Mass 1: Weekday Mass Mass 2: Funeral Mass	9.30am (Livestreamed) 1.00pm	Jimmy McCann, RIP 3 rd Anniv (N E) Funeral Mass for Violet Anne Martin, RIP
Saturday 27 th <i>St Monica</i>	10.00am (Livestreamed)	Maria Watkins, RIP (J M)
Sunday 28th August 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	OLSS parishioners, Thanksgiving (B S) Maria Watkins, RIP (Fouracre Family) Dot & John Hunt, RIP

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

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Tal Cox, Theo Oshisanya, Sue Sander, Martin Power, Tina Law, Luca Cianci

PARISH MEN'S GROUP: will resume on Monday 5th September, at 7.15pm in the Parish Hall. Subscriptions will be due. Thank you.

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.

INFANT BAPTISM: Baptism of Shawn S J Hooson-Jones on Sunday 4th September at 12.30pm.

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).

PARISH BEREAVMENT 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 Alf Thomas, Peter Smith, Christopher Clee, Martin Burns. May the Lord grant them eternal rest and rewards. Amen.

FELIX OLORUNTOBA, RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mr Felix Oloruntoba (the father of Rev. Fr Clement Oloruntoba) who passed away on Sunday 14th August. May the Lord grant him eternal rest and rewards.

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

FUNERAL OF VIOLET ANNE MARTIN, RIP: Friday, 26th 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: Fr Patrick Collins, Stephen Holohan, Elizabeth Anne Dennis, Dan Davies, Fr Pierce Nolan, Mabel Thomas, Eileen Ratcliffe, May Lewis, Christie Collins, Fr Thomas Eadsforth, Veda Morgan, James (Jimmy) McCann, Shirley Callaway, John Snaize, Paris Amber Kinsey.

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: £ 1216

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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@hwbcmru.net** or phone on 01792 512212 or follow us on

Twitter: @stdavidscps.

PARISH SERVICE TEAMS

NEW VOLUNTEERS

(Not including already serving volunteers)

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

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

PARISH SERVICE TEAMS: MEETINGS

Gardening Team: To meet on Tuesday 23rd August at 7pm. More volunteers needed. Please join us.

Church Cleaning Team: To meet on Thursday 25th August, after the 7pm Mass. More volunteers needed. Please join us.