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SOME MASSES LISTED BELOW ARE LIVESTREAMED

Date & Liturgical Celebration	Time	Mass Intention
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
Monday 29 th	10.00am	Mass in Townhill
Tuesday 30 th <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Christopher Clee, RIP (G & B C)
Wednesday 31 st <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Christopher Clee, RIP (T O'D & Family)
Thursday 1 st September <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	7.00pm (Livestreamed)	Edryd & Valmai Davies, RIP (G & B C)
Friday 2 nd <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Kitty Jewel, RIP (J M)
Saturday 3 rd <i>St Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church</i>	10.00am (Livestreamed)	Christopher Clee, RIP (E W)
Sunday 4th September 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	For the intention of Anne Park (E B) Pope Francis, Thanksgiving (A B) Parish Community

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

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Richard Morgan, Mike Coles, Clare Power.

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

FROM THE PARISH EVENTS PLANNING TEAM:

Parish Garden Party: On a Sunday afternoon in September (in a big garden in Bishopston). Details will be announced next weekend.

Parish Day Trip: Happening this autumn. If you have any suggestions, please contact Joy Stafford (01792 361029).

Parish Quiz: This will be held in October. Details later.

Parish Christmas Raffle: This will go ahead this year.

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

RED MISSIO BOXES: The 'red boxes' are now due to be emptied. You can hand them to Marie Fouracre or leave them with Maggie. The contents will be banked at the end of September. New members welcome. Thank you for your continued support.

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.**

FUNERAL OF ROSEMARY RONAN, RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of our parishioner, Rosemary Ronan, who passed away on Sunday 21st August. Funeral Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea on Thursday 8th September at 1.30pm.

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, Mary Brearley, Audrey Robinson, Maria Davies, Angela Matthews, Millie Richards, Janet Blackburn, Eleanor Scowcroft, Yvonne Richards, Peter McPherson, Heather Ellis, Madeleine Riley, Bill Gill, Jim Sander.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: Jill Weaver, Angela Smith, Allun Rees, Betty Youlden, Sr Eugenie Elizabeth Sullivan, Emma Jones, George Simon, Fr Anthony Earle, Tom Jensen, Linda Hughes, Liam Roberts, Dorothy Weaver, Fr William Connery.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER: That the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

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: £945

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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 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 Ijasan, 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, Margaret Byrne, Mary Hughes, Karolina Ashton
Gardening Team	Louise Watkins, Fran Jordan, Sandra Morgan, Aidan Byrne, Dayo Ijasan, 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

Parish Events Planning Team: Next meeting on Tuesday 20th September at 6pm. More volunteers needed. Please join us.

**Diocese of Menevia School of Evangelisation and Catechetics (DOMSEC)
Upcoming Events (September 2022)**

Tuesday 6 September 6.30pm – 8.30pm	St Thomas Aquinas: Re-thinking how we present the Christian Faith	Talk by Fr Michael Akpoghiran, OP <i>Attend in person (also livestreamed)</i>
Tuesday 13 September 6.30pm – 8.30pm	St Thomas Aquinas: Re-thinking how we present the Christian Faith	Talk by Fr Michael Akpoghiran, OP <i>Attend in person (also livestreamed)</i>
Monday 19 September 6.30pm – 8.30pm	Faith, Good Works, and Salvation	Talk by Fr Jerome Ituah, OCD <i>Attend in person (also livestreamed)</i>

You are welcome to attend specified events in person at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Mumbles. You can follow the livestream on our Parish website or the DOMSEC website www.domsec.org.uk