

Our Lady Star Of The Sea Catholic Church

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SOME MASSES LISTED BELOW ARE LIVESTREAMED

Date & Liturgical Celebration	Time	Mass Intention
Sunday 18th September 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Anne Park, RIP (E B) Brian Thomas, RIP Birthday (E T) Michael Policelli, RIP Birthday (L P) O/L Lamp: Audrey & Alf Thomas RIP
Monday 19 th	10.00am	Mass in Townhill
Tuesday 20 th Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions, Martyrs	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Joseph Clarke, RIP (D & H C)
Wednesday 21 st St Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist (Feast)	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Kitty Jewel, RIP (M D)
Thursday 22 nd Funeral Mass <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	10.00am 7.00pm (Livestreamed)	Funeral Mass for Ron Howe, RIP David Akpoghiran, RIP Anniversary
Friday 23 rd <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest</i>	9.30am (Livestreamed)	Mel Davies, Birthday Thanksgiving (J D)
Saturday 24 th <i>Votive memorial of Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.00am (Livestreamed)	Parish Community
Sunday 25th September 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Mabel Thomas, RIP Birthday (C S) Derek Stott, Birthday Thanksgiving (F & S F) Parish Community O/L Lamp: SVP Members

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

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Arlene O'Connell.

PARISH GARDEN PARTY

Date: Sunday, 25th September 2022. Time: 1.00pm. Venue: 17 Northlands Park, Bishopston, SA3 3JW.

Special thanks to Janice and Allan Jones.

All are invited and welcome. Please invite your families and friends.

We would be grateful if parishioners would bring some food and/or a bottle to share. If you have a folding chair and/or a rug, please bring it. Cars can be parked at Murton Community Centre; if possible, share a car.

Disposable plates, cutlery, etc will be provided. Please sign up on the notice board. Thank you.

ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: This will be on 12th October 2022. £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes return flight from Bristol, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £100.00. Please contact Patricia on 01268 762278 or 07740 175557 or email: knockpilgrimages@gmail.com

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY: This will be on **Friday 7th October**. There will be Appeals at all Masses on 1st and 2nd October. Your donations can help provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa and support struggling communities around the world. Millions are facing a food crisis which could be the worst in living memory. Please use the envelope or go to cafod.org.uk/fastday to give a donation or start a monthly gift to CAFOD. Thank you.

PARISH LADIES GUILD: Next meeting will be on 21st September at 2pm in the Hall. A talk will be given by Dr Felicity Padley on 'The History of the Potato in Ireland'. All ladies of the Parish are welcome.

PARISH BIBLE STUDY: Restarting as from Monday 24th October at 7pm on Zoom. Thereafter, every other Monday.

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 or Maggie.**

ELEANOR SCOWCROFT, RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of our parishioner, Eleanor Scowcroft, who passed away on Monday 12th September. May the Lord grant her eternal rest and rewards. Amen.

FUNERAL OF RONALD (RON) HOWE, RIP: Please pray for the repose of Ron Howe, who passed away on Saturday 27th August. Funeral Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea on Thursday 22nd September at 10am. Body received into church 4pm Wednesday 21st.

SECOND COLLECTION: This Sunday the Second Collection is for **HOME MISSION SUNDAY**. Thank you.

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, Yvonne Richards, Peter McPherson, Heather Ellis, Madeleine Riley, Bill Gill, Jim Sander, Jimmy Taylor, Tristan Carroll.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR ABOUT THIS TIME: James Hayes, Fr William Cubley, Joan Ryan, M. Bernadine Kelleher, Esau Morris, Bernard Duhigh, Katie Flynn, Fr Joseph Jackson, Clarice John, Fr Arthur Smallwood, Fr William Bayliss, Christopher French Mullen, Ann Mullaney, Olga Riordan, James Cummins, Mel Davies, John Leonard.

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.

SUNDAY OFFERING: £1119 EDUCATION SUNDAY: £115

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 or phone on 01792 512212 or follow us on

Twitter: @stdavidscps.

Prayer for the happy repose of HM The Queen

(from the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales)

Almighty God,

You are the author and sustainer of all human life;

grant that your servant, Elizabeth our Queen,

whom you granted a long and happy reign as Monarch of these lands may be forgiven

her sins and rewarded with that eternal life promised to all those born again in the

water of baptism and power of your Spirit.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit God, forever and ever,

Amen.

Eternal rest, grant to her O Lord,

And let Perpetual light shine upon her.

May she rest in peace. Amen.

May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed,

Through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

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)

New Date: Tuesday 27 September 6.30pm – 8.30pm	Faith, Good Works, and Salvation	Talk by Fr Jerome Ituah, OCD <i>Attend in person (also livestreamed)</i>
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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