

## Our Lady Star Of The Sea Catholic Church

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THE SUNDAY 10.30AM MASS AND ALL WEEKDAY MASSES ARE USUALLY LIVESTREAMED

Date & Liturgical Celebration	Time	Mass Intention
<b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b> <b>13<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Edna May Kent, RIP Anniversary (A & J) Denis & Mary Frawey, RIP Anniv (Bowen) Jack Morris, RIP Anniversary (B M T)
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10.00am	<b>Mass in Townhill</b>
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Anna O'Leary, RIP (A M)
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am 10.00 am	Christopher Clee, RIP (G & B C) <b>Coffee Morning</b>
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Maria Goretti, Virgin &amp; Martyr</i>	7.00pm	Fr Mansel Usher, 10 <sup>th</sup> Ordination Anniversary (E T)
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Jojo Jose, Private Intention (J J)
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> July <i>Votive Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.00am	Claire Clancy, RIP (F T & F)
<b>Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b> <b>14<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Parish Community Peter & Pauline Stewart, RIP Anniversary (M & S S) Claire Clancy, RIP (M & A B)

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

**ADORATION AND BENEDICTION:** Saturday morning after 10am Mass (Confessions also available)

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** Sam Rees, Deisi Souza, Paul Kieft, Vianney Wilson, Katie Percy.

**ITEMS NEEDED:** Do you have a fridge freezer, large blender or a bicycle suitable for an adult, which you can donate to a needy family? If so, please contact Eileen Waters (07592 829091) or any member of the SVP. Thank you.

**UNIVERSE CATHOLIC WEEKLY:** If you would like a copy of this Catholic weekly, please get in touch with Maggie (07917176923).

**GIFT AID:** The parish will shortly be submitting a claim for its Gift Aid refund from HMRC. Many of our parishioners who signed up for Gift Aid on their donations did so in 2014 and we would just remind them and others to inform us if they were no longer eligible to give Gift Aid for the tax year ended 5/4/23. For more information, please get in touch with Peter Andrewes (01792 204701). Thank you.

**PARISH LADIES' GUILD:** Next meeting on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July for a visit to Verdi's. Please meet at the Church at 2pm to walk there or at 2.30pm if you are going directly there.

**PARISH MEN'S GROUP ANNUAL MEMORIAL LUNCH:** All members of the Men's Group, plus their wives and partners, are invited to the Annual Memorial Lunch for Joe Blackburn on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July at the Mermaid Restaurant. Please let Maurice (01792 601058) know as soon as possible if you are attending. Thank you.

**SVP:** Do you know anyone who would like a visit from the SVP? Can you think of any Parishioners who are no longer able to get to Mass, or who feel forgotten? If so, please let Father Michael or Eileen Waters know. Thank you for your help.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a retiring collection next weekend for the Apostleship of the Sea (Sea Sunday).

**PARISH PRAYER GROUP:** Now meeting every other week on Zoom. Please join our next meeting on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July** at 7pm. **Zoom meeting ID: 585 166 8513.** All are welcome.

**PARISH BIBLE STUDY ONLINE:** **Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July at 7pm.** Text: Matthew 26. **Zoom Meeting ID: 585 166 8513.**

**HOUR OF GRACE:** 6pm - 7pm every other Wednesday. Led by Fr Matthew Achunine OP, this is a solemn moment of prayerful encounter with Jesus in the Exposition and Adoration of the Holy Eucharist. It will include an Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Silent Adoration, Talk, Worship Songs, Intercessions for Various Intentions, and Benediction. **Next on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July.**

**PRAYER INTENTION ENVELOPE (HOUR OF GRACE):** If you would like us to pray for an intention during the Hour of Grace (Eucharistic Adoration), please collect a brown prayer intention envelope in the porch. It is NOT a Mass intention envelope. Thank you.

**CATHOLIC FAITH ROUNDTABLE:** The next meeting **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July**, 7.30pm to 8.30pm in the Parish Hall. **Theme: Indulgences.**

**WE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND, AND THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS:** Isabelle Gilfedder, Roy Miller, Frank Bowen, Michael Guerin, Theresa Plunkett, Kath Bowling, Frances Traylor, Mary Brearley, Audrey Robinson, Angela Matthews, Millie Richards, Janet Blackburn, Yvonne Richards, Peter McPherson, Heather Ellis, Bill Gill, Jim Sander, Jimmy Taylor, Tristan Carroll, Janice Jones, Maurice Rees, Joy Stafford, Wendy Graham, Tony Lane.

**RECENTLY DECEASED (Vincent McCarry, RIP):** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Vincent McCarry whose Funeral Mass was on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June at Our Lady Star of the Church. May the Lord grant him eternal rest and reward. Amen.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY:** That Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relations in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER:** During Ordinary Time - Summer we are asked 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

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If you have a child/children between the age of 3-11 years old, have you thought about sending your child to St David's School? St David's is situated in West Cross, transport is provided for children who live in the Catchment Area. (Please see school website for more information.)

We are a happy, friendly, inclusive school that welcomes children from a range of backgrounds. We endeavour to give your child/children the best opportunities we can. We have wonderful outdoor space and regularly use our surrounding areas - The Beach, The Castle and The Woods. If you would like more information, please visit our school website: <https://www.stdavidscatholicprimary.swansea.sch.uk/>

We want our children to be happy children who become happy, confident learners. We do this by living the Gospel Values and remembering our mission statement, 'To Love God, Love Learning, Love Life.' If you would like more information, please contact the school office. Telephone number: 01792 512212 or email: [st.davids.primaryschool@Swansea-edunet.gov.uk](mailto:st.davids.primaryschool@Swansea-edunet.gov.uk)

“Anyone who does not take his cross and follow  
in my footsteps is not worthy of me.”

Matthew 10:38