

## 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 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)
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	<b>Mass in Townhill</b>
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> <b>St Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe (Feast)</b>	9.30am	Jack Morris, RIP Anniversary (B M T)
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> <i>St John Jones, Priest, Martyr</i>	9.30am 10.00 am	Eimar and Kenny, Thanksgiving (E T) <b>Coffee Morning</b>
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	7.00pm	Stewart Morgan, RIP (T & S M)
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Joy Stafford, Private Intention (K B)
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Bonaventure, Bishop &amp; Doctor of the Church</i>	10.00am	Claire Clancy, RIP (SVP)
<b>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b> <b>15<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Hywel Rees, RIP Anniversary (B R) Parish Community Thanksgiving for Parishioners (J S)

**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:** Maureen Dooley, Maureen Jensen, Gill Griffiths, Norma Evans.

**ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD:** Rev Gregory Beckett will be ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Menevia on Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> July at 12 noon at St Joseph's Cathedral, Swansea. You are welcome to attend.

**TRANSPORT TO MASS:** Do you have difficulties coming to Sunday Mass due to transport? If you are interested in a bus to Mass on Sunday, please sign up in the porch. We will try an arrangement. Please note that a bus fare will apply.

**SISTER ACT JR AT BISHOP VAUGHAN:** Bishop Vaughan School is performing Sister Act Jr next week Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm in the school hall. Please support, tickets available at <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/bishop-vaughan-school>

**ITEMS NEEDED:** Do you have a fridge freezer 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.

**SVP:** The next meeting will be on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm in the Church Hall. All are very welcome.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a retiring collection this 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, 17<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm.** Text: Matthew 26. **Zoom Meeting ID: 585 166 8513.**

**HOOR 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 (HOOR 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.**

**FUNERAL OF JIM SANDER, RIP:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jim Sander who passed away on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July. **Funeral Mass on Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July at 10.15am, Our Lady Star of the Sea.** Body will be received into church on Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> July at 5pm. May the Lord grant him eternal rest and reward. Amen.

**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, Jimmy Taylor, Janice Jones, Maurice Rees, Joy Stafford, Wendy Graham, Tony Lane.

**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.

**SUNDAY OFFERING: £854** **ST PETER'S PENCE: £187.60**  
Thanks for your generosity.

**EVANGELISATION (DOMSEC) DONATIONS:**  
Thanks to all who donate to support the work of evangelisation.

## PARISH GARDEN PARTY

Date: Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2023. Time: 1.00p.m. Venue: Please see notice board for address.  
Special thanks to our hosts.

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. Please sign up on the notice board.  
Thank you.

## ST DAVID'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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.stdavidsatholicprimary.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)