

## 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 28<sup>th</sup> January</b> <b>Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am  10.30am	Parish Community Joan Morgan, Birthday Thanksgiving (E T) / Sue Morgan, RIP (K B) Kevin & Breda O'Carroll, RIP Anniversary (N & I L)
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>Mumbles</b> 9.30am	Pat Falvey, RIP (E W)
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Seamus Walsh, RIP (H B)
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> <i>St John Bosco, Priest</i>	9.30am	Rhiannon Williams, RIP, Birthday (R & G W)
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> February <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	7.00pm	Marian Lindop, RIP (F J)
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> <b>Presentation of the Lord (Feast)</b>	9.30am	Catherine O'Brien, RIP Anniversary (S & M O'B)
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> <i>St Blaise, Bishop &amp; Martyr</i>	10.00am	Maurice Rees, RIP (SVP)
<b>Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Parish Community John Battershell, Health & Healing (H B) Sue Morgan, RIP (M G)

**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:** Joan Morgan, Breda Tennant, Jenny Vanderhorst, Becky Webb.

**AWAY NOTICE:** Fr Michael will be away from 23<sup>rd</sup> January until 31<sup>st</sup> January.

**FREE WHEELCHAIR:** An electric auto-folding wheelchair is available for free. It can fold up and fit into the boot of most cars, suitable for flatter ground, shopping or around the home. If you or someone you know would like it, please contact Fr Michael or Fr Jude. Thank you.

**PARISH YOUNGSTERS' GAMES:**

**Chess Competition:** 12 - 16 years. First Prize £20 voucher.

**Scrabble Competition:** 12 - 16 years. First Prize £20 voucher. To register, please get in touch with the priests.

**YOUR SUNDAY OFFERING:** Please consider giving your Sunday offering by standing order if you are not already doing it. If you wish to set up a standing order to the Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Mumbles, please use the following details:

**Bank:** NatWest  
**Account Name:** Diocese of Menevia, Mumbles Parish  
**Sort Code:** 55-61-55  
**Account Number:** 02016524

Please use your name (Initials and Surname) as a reference, as it will help us match the standing order to you. Also, please let us know if you gift aid.

**PARISH PRAYER GROUP:** Now meeting every other week in the Church Hall, so no longer on Zoom. Please join our next meeting at 7pm on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January. All are welcome.

**PARISH BIBLE STUDY ONLINE:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm. Text: John chapter 2. Zoom Meeting ID: 585 166 8513.

**HOOR OF GRACE:** 6pm - 7pm every other Wednesday. Led by a Dominican priest, 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 7<sup>th</sup> February.**

**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 ROUND TABLE:** Explore Catholic teachings from a biblical background. The next meeting is on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February**, 7.30 to 8.30pm in the Parish Hall. **Theme: Treasures of the Catholic Faith.**

**DIOCESAN YEAR BOOKS:** There are some, although a limited number, available in the Porch, priced £5 each.

**WE REMEMBER THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND, AND THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR OUR PRAYERS:** Roy Miller, Frank Bowen, Teresa Plunkett, Kath Bowling, Frances Traylor, Mary Brearley, Angela Matthews, Millie Richards, Janet Blackburn, Yvonne Richards, Peter McPherson, Heather Ellis, Bill Gill, Jimmy Taylor, Janice Jones, Wendy Graham, Maureen Williams, John Mannion, Jill Griffiths, Rachael Naylor, Michael Kinrade, Karolina Ashton, Andy Payne.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Ray Clancy** who passed away on Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> January. May the Lord grant our departed parishioners eternal rest and rewards. Amen.

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER:** In the Winter Season of Ordinary Time, we are invited to pray for these intentions: Peace on Earth; Openness to the Word of God; Christian Unity; Victims of Human Trafficking and Those Who Work to Combat It; The Sick and Those Who Care for Them; The Unemployed.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY:** That the Spirit helps us recognise the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church. **FOR FEBRUARY:** Let us pray for the sick who are in the final stages of life, and that their families receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment.

**SUNDAY OFFERING: £925** Thanks for your generosity.

**EVANGELISATION (DOMSEC) DONATIONS:**

Thanks to all who donate to support the work of evangelisation.

## 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)



“And at once they left their nets and followed him” (Mark 1:18).