

## 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, 14<sup>th</sup> April 2024</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Eastertide</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Parish Community Claire Clancy, RIP Anniversary (A L) Francis Gilfedder, RIP Anniversary (C B) O/L Star of the Sea Lamp: Jackie Rees (Pauline Howard)
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Eastertide</i>	9.30am	Claire Clancy, RIP Anniversary (R C)
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Eastertide</i>	9.30am	Christine Hughes, RIP (A L)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Eastertide</i>	9.30am 10.00am	Mike Coles, RIP (B & D D) <b>Coffee Morning</b>
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Eastertide</i>	7.00pm	Tony Lane, RIP (A & J J)
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Eastertide</i>	9.30am	Christine Hughes, RIP (J M)
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Beuno, Abbot</i>	10.00am	Ray Clancy, RIP (J M)
<b>Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Eastertide</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am 10.30am	Clive Solomon, RIP Anniversary (C S) Parish Community James Wilson, RIP (P W) O/L Star of the Sea Lamp: Sheila Ward

**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)

**PARISH FILM NIGHT (with Fish and Chips):** Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm. Please sign up in the porch. Thank you.

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** We are there for anyone who needs support following a bereavement – whether it's recently or some time ago. It may be the need for someone to talk to, someone to listen, someone to pray with – or maybe just company for a coffee and chat. Please call 07813157296. We are waiting for your call.

**PARISH LADIES' GUILD:** Next meeting on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April at 2pm.

**SVP:** The next meeting will be on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April at 6.30pm. All welcome.

**PARISH PRAYER GROUP:** Now meeting every other week in the Church Hall. Please join our next meeting at **7pm on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April**. All are welcome.

**PARISH BIBLE STUDY ONLINE:** **Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 7pm.** Text: John chapter 4. Zoom Meeting ID: 585 166 8513.

**HOUR 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 17<sup>th</sup> April.**

**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 25<sup>th</sup> April** at 7.30 to 8.30pm in the Parish Hall. **Theme: Treasures of the Catholic Faith.**

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a retiring collection next weekend for the Priest Training Fund.

**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, Janet Blackburn, Yvonne Richards, Bill Gill, Jimmy

Taylor, Janice Jones, Wendy Graham, John Mannion, Jill Griffiths, Rachael Naylor, Michael Kinrade, Karolina Ashton, Andy Payne, Allan Jones, Noreen Hyden, Rita Power, Mary Richards, Pauline Howard.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Peter Macpherson and Millie Richards**.

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER:** During Eastertide, we are asked to pray for these intentions: Survivors of Abuse; New Members of the Church; Vocations; The Right Use of the Media; the Church; Human Work.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL:** Let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognised in every culture and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world.

<b>SUNDAY OFFERING: £923</b> <b>HOLY PLACES: £152.30</b> Thanks for your generosity.	<b>EVANGELISATION (DOMSEC) DONATIONS:</b> Thanks to all who donate to support the work of evangelisation
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**From the Parish Events Planning Team**  
**UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS**  
**(April 2024)**

<b>Friday 19 April</b> <b>7.00pm</b>	<b>PARISH FILM NIGHT</b> <b>(with Fish and Chips)</b>	£8 per person (for fish and chips, and Joe's ice cream)
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### **Priest Training Fund: Second Collection 20th & 21st April**

Next weekend, there will be a second collection for the Priest Training Fund, which supports those in the Diocese preparing for a life in ordained ministry. A seminarian's formation lasts seven years, during which the Diocese invests approximately £185,000 to support their tuition and living costs. This fund is pivotal in enabling them to fulfil their priestly vocations. You can also donate online by scanning the QR code.



## **Follow the Flame: Cardiff Bay 10k**

Be part of something special this Pentecost by supporting the Priest Training Fund appeal at the Cardiff Bay 10k on Sunday 19 May 2024.

Join the Archdiocese of Cardiff and Diocese of Menevia's **Follow the Flame** team to fan the flame of vocations and to support those called to the priesthood.

Sign up to the Cardiff Bay 10k at [www.cardiffbay10k.co.uk/register](http://www.cardiffbay10k.co.uk/register) under general entry to do something positive today.

When: Sunday 19 May 2024  
Where: Cardiff Bay  
Distance: 10 kilometres (6.2 miles)  
Cost: £30  
Minimum age: 15 years

Please see notice board for more information.