

## 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 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b> <b>12<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	6.30pm (Vigil) 8.30am  10.30am	Sandra Lewis, RIP (D L) Jimmy Taylor, RIP (E W) / Heather Ellis, RIP (A M) Parish Community
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> <b>The Nativity of St John the Baptist</b> <b>(Solemnity)</b>	9.30am	Millie Richards, RIP (F F)
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.30am	Jimmy Taylor, RIP (S T)
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i> <b>CONFIRMATION MASS by Archbishop Mark</b>	6.30pm	<b>No Morning Mass Today</b> <b>No Coffee Morning</b> <b>Sacrament of Confirmation</b>
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop &amp; Doctor of the Church</i>	7.00pm	Jimmy Taylor, RIP (J C)
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> <i>St Irenaeus, Bishop &amp; Martyr (Memorial)</i>	9.30am	Roger James, RIP (J G)
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> <i>Votive Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.00am	Millie Richards, RIP (B R)
<b>Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>Saints Peter &amp; Paul, Apostles (Solemnity)</b>	6.30pm (Vigil)  8.30am  10.30am	Veronika & Vladmir Ratkovsky, RIP Anniversary (K D) Jean Morgan, RIP Anniversary (J R)/ Parish Community Tony Lane, RIP (M & S 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:** Matthew Morgan, Eimea Upton, Martha Pass.

**PARISH GARDEN PARTY (CHANGE OF DATE):** Due to the Ironman event in Swansea on 14<sup>th</sup> July (with road closures), our Parish Summer Garden Party has been moved to Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 1pm. Venue is off Mayals Road. We apologise for the inconvenience caused by the change of date.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION:** We welcome Archbishop Mark O'Toole to our parish to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on **Wednesday, 26th June, at 6.30pm**. We invite all parishioners to the celebration. It will be a joyous occasion to celebrate with our youngsters and their family, and to welcome Archbishop Mark.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DATE:** Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> November 2024: Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.

**ELECTION:** As Catholics we hope to have politicians who uphold Social Justice at home and who commit to tackle the injustices that affect our global family and to care for our common home. To find out more go to Cafod.org.uk, then follow 'your voice'. You can contact our Gower MP, Tonia Antoniazzi, on 07712 060 008 /Tonia4Gower@gmail.com

**PARISH LADIES' GUILD:** Next meeting on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July: a talk by the Community Police.**

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Help needed – if you can spare two hours every two to three months to help clean the church, please contact Liz Lyons on 07743 160792. Thank you.

**RECENTLY DECEASED PARISHIONERS:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of John Ryan, Gail Wilson, Jonathan Greenslade. May the Lord grant them eternal rest and rewards. Amen.

**FUNERAL OF GAIL WILSON:** Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July, at 12noon, St David's Church, City Centre. Officiating Priest: Fr Michael, OP.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a retiring collection next weekend for Peter's Pence.

**PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** Are you in need of confidential one-to-one support following a bereavement, whether a recent loss or one that occurred some time ago? A member of our Parish team is available to meet you and provide individual support. Whether you need someone to talk to, listen, pray with or just some company for a coffee and chat, please don't hesitate to call Rose at 078131-57296. We are here to support you. You are not alone in this journey of grief.

**PARISH PRAYER GROUP:** Now meeting every other week in the Church Hall. Please join our next meeting at **7pm on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**. All are welcome.

**PARISH BIBLE STUDY ONLINE:** **Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> July at 7pm.** Text: John chapter 6. 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 3<sup>rd</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 ROUND TABLE:** Explore Catholic teachings from a biblical background. The next meeting is on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July** at 7.30 to 8.30pm in the Parish Hall. **Theme: Treasures of the Catholic Faith.**

**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, 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, Elizabeth Williams.

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER:** During Ordinary Time 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.

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE:** Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

<b>SUNDAY OFFERING: £972;</b> Thanks for your generosity.	<b>Day for Life: 210.70</b>	<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 (July 2024)		
<b>Sunday 21 July 1.00pm</b>	<b>PARISH SUMMER GARDEN PARTY</b> (Please invite your families and friends)	Please sign up in the porch. See notice board for Venue



And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Quiet now! Be calm!"