

ST. TEILO'S



Whitchurch

Parish of St. Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes

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Parish Newsletter



Weekend 22nd – 23rd September 2018 The Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 135 of the Mass Book.

Refreshments after the 11am Mass Today

Refreshments will be served in the Hall after the 11 o'clock Mass today. All are welcome.

Mass for the Travelling Community

This afternoon, there will be Mass at 5pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. One of the four priests who act as chaplains to the Travelling Community in England and Wales will be saying Mass next Sunday at Our Lady of Lourdes at 5pm for members of this community. Though the Mass is targeted at the large number of members of the Travelling Community here in Cardiff, it is, of course, open to anyone who wishes to attend.

Mass Times this week

Fr. John Murphy returns to the parish this week. Sunday and weekday Mass times are now back to normal.

Canon Isaac

Canon has asked that we pass on his thanks to everyone who sent him Get Well cards and prayers during this time. His first operation went very well and his recuperation is going to plan. His second operation takes place on Tuesday of this week and he asks us all to pray for him and for the steadiness of the consultant's hands during the operation.

Rest in Peace

Please keep in your prayers Adrian Moule who died recently. Mr Moule's Funeral Service takes place at 2pm on Wednesday, September 26th at Thornhill Crematorium.

Memorial Candle

No one has requested that the memorial candle be lit for his or her intention this week. If you would like the memorial candle to be lit for your deceased family members, please place a £5 donation into an envelope and put the name of the intention on the envelope. If you would like the candle for a specific date, please indicate this on the envelope.

Parish Rosary Prayer Group

The Parish Rosary Prayer Group meets on the last Thursday of each month at 2pm in Ty Mair, 19 Heol y Waun CF14 1LB at the junction of Heol Gabriel and College Road, to pray and discuss the Rosary and have a cuppa! The next meeting is this Thursday, September 27th. All are welcome to come along and join in the prayer and fellowship. For further details contact Christine Searle 07771161259. Prayer intentions are always welcomed.

Friday Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes

Friday is the last Friday of the month so the 10am Mass will be at Our Lady of Lourdes. There will be no Coffee Morning after Mass.

Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg

Next Sunday, Mass will be celebrated in Welsh at St. Teilo's at 4.30pm. All are welcome to attend.

APF-Missio – Urgent Request

Due to bereavement and ill health, two of the APF Mission Box collectors have had to drop out of the role. Peter Jones, who is the Parish APF Secretary, needs further support urgently. The collection of the boxes takes place twice a year, so volunteering will only commit you to the effort twice a year. If you are able and willing to help or would like more information about the role, please contact Peter Jones as soon as possible - 07594 693054.

Baptism Courses – October and November

Dates are now available for the Courses in October and November for those parents who plan to have their child baptised.

October's Course will take place in St Teilo's Hall on Thursdays the 4th and 11th of October at 7pm.

Please contact Cathy Hopkins (cathyhopkins@sky.com) if you wish to attend.

November's Course will take place in St. Philip Evans Small Hall (behind the Church) on Saturdays the 10th and 17th of November at 6.30pm. Please contact Ose Aneni (oseaneni1@yahoo.co.uk) if you wish to attend.

New Parish Website

This weekend, the parish launches its new website. The web-address will remain the same:

<http://www.stteilos-olol.co.uk/>

As the new site goes live, Canon Isaac wishes to acknowledge the contribution that Martin Griffiths has made over many years in designing and updating the website. In recent months, Martin has identified the need to give up this role. We thank Martin for his immense contribution to the parish's web-presence over the years.

The new website is now hosted by the company, Yogi Communications, which hosts the Archdiocesan Website. However the content continues to be developed by the parish. If you have any items you wish to include on the website and/or in the newsletter, please email the material to whitchurchandgabalfa@outlook.com If you would like to help with the development of the parish website, please also email the address above.

Social Media

Over the years, Martin has also managed the parish presence on Facebook, Twitter and Flickr. We are now looking for people to volunteer to take on this responsibility. If you are interested in helping the parish engage more widely through our social media platform then please email whitchurchandgabalfa@outlook.com

Mass Attendance for September 15th –16th

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| OLOL | 76 | | |
| St Teilo 9.00am - 130 | 11.00 -136 | 6.30pm | 78 |

Catholic Bible School Weekend – Our Lady’s Parish, Hereford

The Catholic Bible school is running a weekend retreat in Our Lady’s Parish in Hereford from Friday, October 5th to Sunday, October 7th. Parishioners from other parishes are very welcome to join us. Information on the weekend can be found at www.olqmhereford.org.uk. On Saturday, October 6th from 9am, there will be workshops entitled “Know your Bible ABC’S – Achieving Bible Confidence”, “The Word for Children”, aimed at helped parents and catechists to share the Bible with children and young people, and “Gospel Parables”. There will also be a session on Lectio-Divina, the prayerful reading of scripture, and a presentation on the Parable of the Sower. There will be special prayer stations in the Church, adoration and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. All meals and refreshments will be provided. There will be special sessions for children while the adults are gathered together for their workshops. If you would like to come along, just ring Fr. Matthew on 01432 265177, or e-mail numbers to fr.matthew@live.co.uk – just so that the group can plan numbers for meals.

Dowry Tour – Our Lady of Walsingham

Since 1051, England has been known as Mary’s Dowry. The title was used to mark the intense devotion to Our Lady, which was characteristic of England in the medieval period. While the title went into abeyance during the Reformation, it was a source of great hope for those who retained the Catholic Faith during this period of the Church’s history. As Wales dedicated itself to Our Lady of the Taper at Cardigan, so England’s great shrine to Our Lady was at the Holy House at Walsingham. In 2020, the Catholic Church in England will gather at Walsingham to rededicate England as Mary’s Dowry. In advance of that occasion, a ‘Dowry Tour’ is taking place in which the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham will be visiting the Catholic cathedrals of England. While there will be no visits to Wales, our Archdiocese includes the English county of Hereford. Belmont Abbey, once the Cathedral of the Archdiocese, will be the nearest centre which the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham will visit during the ‘Dowry Tour’.

The visit of the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham to Belmont Abbey takes place from 6pm on Thursday, October 11th to midday on Saturday, October 13th. Rosary, Mass, time to visit the statue and talks on the Dowry of Mary will take place throughout the period and all are welcome to visit Belmont Abbey during this time. Full details can be found here: <https://events.time.ly/24d8jzc?event=14353364>

National ACTA (A Call to Action) Conference - Cardiff

For the first time, the Annual National ACTA Conference is taking place in Cardiff. The theme of the conference is: “It will always be Pentecost in the Church”...

The speakers are: Dr Anna Abram and Dr Gemma Simmonds CJ, both from the Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology, Cambridge, plus Voices of Young People. The Conference takes place on Saturday, October 20th 2018 at St David’s College. Registration 10.30am for an 11am start. Close at 4.30pm. Cost £20, which includes a light lunch. Under 25s are free. Further information and booking form at www.acalltoaction.org.uk. Further advice from ACTA Coordinator mobile: 07956 005459 email: fbcallus@aol.com. Booking is essential at www.acalltoaction.org.uk For help registering call 07947 675405.

COLLECTION FOR 15th– 16th September 2018

| | CASH | GIFT AID |
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| OLOL | £108 | £113 |
| ST Teilo 9.00am | £154 | £211 |
| 11.00am | £166 | £140 |
| 6.30pm | £ 95 | £ 29 |
| Collection for the Spiritian Fathers: | £1,238 | |

Confessions: Saturday: St. Teilo's - 10.30-11am & OLOL - 5.15-5.45pm

| Mass Times / Intentions Week Beginning 22nd/23rd September 2018 | | | |
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| Saturday 22 nd September 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time | OLOL | 6.00pm | Daniel Aherne (Gerry) |
| | OLOL | 7.15pm | Msza w języku polskim |
| Sunday 23 rd September 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time | St. Teilo | 9.00am | Paul Thompson - Anniversary |
| | OLOL | 10.30am | Msza w języku polskim |
| | St. Teilo | 11.00am | Joan Ferraria - RIP (Maria) |
| | OLOL | 12.00pm | Msza w języku polskim |
| | OLOL | 5.00pm | Mass for the Travelling Community |
| | St. Teilo | 6.30pm | For the People of the Parish |
| Monday 24 th September | St. Teilo | 10.00am | Ken and Francis Williams (CJ) |
| Tuesday 25 th September | St. Teilo | 10.00am | Holy Souls |
| Wednesday 26 th September Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs | OLOL | 7.00pm | Intentions of Sister Theresa SSJ (George) |
| Thursday 27 th September St. Vincent de Paul, Priest | St. Teilo | 10.00am | Lovell and Callan Families (JL) |
| Friday 28 th September | OLOL | 10.00am | Private Intention |
| Saturday 29 th September Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels (Feast) | St. Teilo | 10.00am | Marie Celine John - Anniversary (BE) |
| Saturday 29 th September 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time | OLOL | 6.00pm | For the People of the Parish |
| | OLOL | 7.15pm | Msza w języku polskim |
| Sunday 30 th September 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time | St. Teilo | 9.00am | Mairead Sutherland |
| | OLOL | 10.30am | Msza w języku polskim |
| | St. Teilo | 11.00am | Terry Withers (WW) |
| | OLOL | 12.00pm | Msza w języku polskim |
| | St. Teilo | 4.30pm | Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg |
| | St. Teilo | 6.30pm | Holy Souls |