

**Parish of St. Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes**  
**A Parish of the Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity 242380**

ST TEILO'S



Whitchurch

Old Church Road, Whitchurch,  
Cardiff, CF14 1AD Telephone: 029 2062 3444  
Email: [info@stteilos-olol.co.uk](mailto:info@stteilos-olol.co.uk) Website: [www.stteilos-olol.co.uk](http://www.stteilos-olol.co.uk)  
[f](https://www.facebook.com/stteilos.olol) /stteilos.olol [@stteilos\\_olol](https://twitter.com/stteilos_olol)  
Parish Priest: Rev. Canon William Isaac  
Parish Safeguarding Rep: Gerry Lewis Tel. 2061 6557

**Parish Newsletter**

**Weekend 26th/27th January 2019**

**Third Sunday of Ordinary Time**



**Today's Mass:** The Mass readings and prayers for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 129.

### **First Holy Communion**

Preparation for First Holy Communion will start today at 10am at St Teilo's. If your child is in Year 3 or above and you would like him/her to make his/her First Holy Communion, please come along today. First Holy Communion will take place on Sunday, May 19th.

### **Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg**

Today we welcome the Welsh language community who will be celebrating Mass in Welsh at 4.30pm this afternoon. Croeso!

### **Memorial Candle**

The candle burning in front of the Book of Remembrance this week is for the repose of the souls of the Deceased Members of the Caffarelli Family. May they, and all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

**Rest in Peace** - Please pray for Tony Regan, Luke Haines, Courtney Raymond Spencer, Donald Parry, Valentine Roscon, Alma Linnard and Patrick O'Driscoll, who are all parishioners who have died recently. Mr. Regan died on his way home from Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes last Saturday night, His funeral is being arranged. Mr. Haines' Funeral Service will take place at the Wenallt Chapel, Thornhill on Friday, February 1st at 3.30pm. Mr. Spencer's Requiem Mass will take place at St. Teilo's at midday on Monday, February 4th, followed by interment at Thornhill. Mr. Parry's Funeral Service takes place at St. Teilo's on Friday, February 8th at 10.45pm followed by interment at Thornhill. Mr. Roscon's Funeral Service will take place at the Briwnant Chapel, Thornhill on Friday, February 15th at midday. Mrs. Linnard's Requiem Mass will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes on Monday, February 18th at a time to be confirmed. Mr. O'Driscoll's funeral is taking place in his former parish church – St. Francis of Assisi, Ely.

Many parishioners will know Theresa Cunliffe who also died recently. Her Requiem Mass will take place in St David's Cathedral on Friday, February 8th at 12.45pm.

### **20s and 30s drinks**

This evening, the 20s/30s drinks for young adults will be at the Brewhouse and Kitchen in Sophia Gardens in Canton from 7pm, after the evening Mass at St Mary of the Angels. Please do pop by and say hello - all welcome!

### **Parish Rosary Prayer Group**

The Parish Rosary Prayer Group meets on Thursday this week 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! 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.

### **PAC Meeting**

The next PAC meeting will take place this coming Thursday, January 31st at 7pm in the Hall.

### **First Friday Coffee Morning and Cake Sale**

The First Friday Coffee Morning and Cake Sale takes place this Friday after the 10am Mass. Why not come along to share coffee, tea, good fellowship and a raffle?

### **Presentation of the Lord**

Saturday is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Traditionally called Candlemas, this Feast, which occurs forty days after the birth of Jesus, sees the blessing of candles for the Church throughout the year. Mass is at 10am.

### **Friends of Nazareth House Quiz Night**

A quiz night is to be held at Nazareth House Colum Road on Friday, February 1st, starting at 7.30 pm. Entrance fee is £5 per person, which will include a chip supper. All are welcome to come along.

### **Come and Sing – Stainer’s ‘The Crucifixion’**

The Whitchurch Methodist Church welcomes all parishioners to a ‘Come and Sing’ event on Saturday, February 2nd. The event begins at 12.30pm and leads to a public performance of ‘The Crucifixion’ at 6pm that evening. The event will cost £12 to cover the cost of light refreshments and hire of the score. Booking is advisable on:-

<http://www.whitchurchmethodistchurch-cardiff.co.uk/crucifixion-Booking-Form.php>  
or contact [comeandsingcardiff@gmail.com](mailto:comeandsingcardiff@gmail.com)

### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

Preparation sessions for the Sacrament of Confirmation will begin on Monday, February 4th from 6pm to 7pm in St. Teilo’s Church Hall. We are inviting pupils from Year 8 and above. If you have not already indicated you wish to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation but are interested, please complete an application form that can be found at the back of the Church and return it to Canon Isaac by Monday, January 28th. The Sacrament of Confirmation will take place on Saturday, May 25th.

### **The SVP Clothing collection – thanks**

The parish SVP would like to thank all the generous donors who brought clothes to the Church last weekend for the SVP shop in Pontypridd. There was a very generous response for which we are most grateful.

Mass attendance on Sunday 19th/20th January 2019 LOLO 6pm - 79, St. Teilo’s 9am - 128, 11am - 159, 6.30pm - 96
---

Collections for 19th/20th January 2019					
LOL	6pm	St Teilo's	9am	11am	6.30pm
Cash	£ 105		£ 156	£ 214	£ 264
Gift Aid	£ 142		£ 185	£ 164	£ 54
S.P.U.C. - £664.20		Gift Aid Standing Orders December 2018 - £1,111			

### **Baptism Courses**

February's Baptism Course will take place in St. Teilo's Parish Hall (access at rear of the Church) on the Thursdays, February 14th and 21st at 7pm. Please email Cathy & Mel if attending: [cathyhopkins@sky.com](mailto:cathyhopkins@sky.com)

March's Course will take place at Christ the King Church, hosted by Brigid Lee on the Tuesdays, March 26th and April 2nd at 7.30pm. Anyone wishing to attend should e-mail Brigid for details of the venue: [andylee63@talktalk.net](mailto:andylee63@talktalk.net)

### **Adults Wanting to become a Catholic**

Would you like to be received into the Catholic Church? Would you like to find out more about what it means to be a Catholic? Are you an adult who has missed out on the Sacrament of Confirmation?

Canon Isaac would be very pleased to speak to you if you are in one of the situations above. If you are interested, please email: [whitchurchandgabalfa@outlook.com](mailto:whitchurchandgabalfa@outlook.com) or ring the presbytery. You would be most welcome.

### **Belmont Abbey Pastoral Programme**

Belmont Abbey runs a series of retreats, day events and workshops throughout the year. Every year, the Belmont Community welcomes individuals and groups to the Abbey. There are different types of retreats to suit different needs; all the retreats take their rhythm from the Divine Office sung in the Abbey Church. Guests have time for private prayer and rest and to enjoy the peace and beauty of the Herefordshire countryside. Hedley Lodge is the Abbey Guesthouse, which offers modern, comfortable accommodation. Guests are invited to enjoy the peace of the monastery gardens.

A full list of events are advertised on the Abbey's updated website, which was designed by one of our parishioners -<https://www.belmontabbey.org.uk/retreats-brochure>. A few hard copy brochures are available at the back of the Church.

### **Vocations Weekend for young women**

Theme: Follow your Heart - Discernment and Vocation

Dates: 15th – 17th February 2019      Location: Liverpool

The weekend is organised by the Sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ).

There is nothing quite like religious life – it's an extraordinary adventure into a deep relationship with God. If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more, why not come along? You are welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on Saturday for the day. There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, a chance to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them. For more information contact Sr. Lynne FCJ at [lynnefcj@hotmail.com](mailto:lynnefcj@hotmail.com) or visit our website [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org)

**Confessions Saturday:**

St. Teilo's - 10.30-11am, OLOL - 5.15-5.45pm

<b>Mass Times / Intentions Weeks Beginning 26th/27th January 2019</b>			
Sat 26th January 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Private Intention
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
Sun 27th January 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	St.T.	9am	Holy Souls
	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	11am	For the People of the Parish
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	4.30pm	Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg
	St.T.	6.30pm	Helen Vickery (JS)
Mon 28th January St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church	St.T.	10am	Deceased Relatives and Friends of the Mullins Family
Tue 29th January	St.T.	10am	No intention received
Wed 30th January	O.L.O.L.	7pm	Mairead Sutherland - RIP
Thu 31st January St. John Bosco, Priest	St.T.	10am	George and Mary Allen
Fri 1st February	St.T.	10am	No intention received
Sat 2nd February The Presentation of the Lord (Feast)	St.T.	10am	No intention received
Sat 2nd February 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Vincent and Willie McLaughlin
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
Sun 3rd February 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time	St.T.	9am	For the People of the Parish
	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	11am	Derek Jenkins - Anniversary (L&CJ)
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	6.30pm	Deceased Members of the Morgan, Philips and Gummer Families

**The Welsh Pilgrimage to Medjugorje – September 2019**

The cheapest 8 Day pilgrimage in the UK for only £515 (assuming two people sharing a room) at the Hotel Grace near the Church - amazing quality and value! From September 16th to the 23rd 2019.

Flying from Bristol Airport. Book now on 0800 6894792 or [www.aglowpilgrimages.com](http://www.aglowpilgrimages.com) You can speak to Jonathan Baylis or Philip Illsley on 01443 203 305. This pilgrimage will book up quickly because this is the Best and Cheapest 8 day pilgrimage in the UK and cannot be beaten! It's the pilgrimage of a lifetime and great value for money to Medjugorje, the nearest place to heaven on earth.

*Please note that the list of our Faithful Departed whose anniversaries occur this week is on the noticeboard. Please inform Canon Isaac of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive Communion at home.*