

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

Weekend 5th/6th October 2019

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time



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Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time are on page 146 of the Mass Book.

Quote of the Week



'Let the word of Christ, in all its richness, find a home in you. Teach each other, and advise each other, in all wisdom. With gratitude in your hearts sing psalms and hymns and inspired songs to God, and whatever you say or do, let it be in the name of the Lord Jesus, in thanksgiving to God the Father through Him.'

(Letter of St. Paul to the Colossians 3:16)

Memorial Candle

The candle burning in front of the Book of Remembrance this week is for the repose of the soul of Peter Kirby.

Refreshments after Mass TODAY

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

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Envelopes

Please return your CAFOD envelopes in the basket at the back of the Church this weekend. In doing so, you will support CAFOD's great work of enabling children to obtain water safely, easily and have time and energy for school. There are many children who still need help and who are risking their safety and missing school to obtain water. Please help CAFOD to reach more children and communities.

October – The Month of the Holy Rosary

During October, the month of the Holy Rosary, we will say the Rosary in the Church twenty minutes before the weekday Mass each day.

Ladies' Group

On Monday afternoon the Parish Ladies' Group will be meeting at 2pm in the Hall. The group meets regularly and would now like to welcome other ladies to join them for a cup of tea, a chat and a prayer. Please feel free to come along and join the group.

Mass on Tuesday Morning

Please note that Mass on Tuesday is at the slightly later time of 10.30am to enable Canon to give the Assembly at Corpus Christi School at 9.15am this morning.

Musical Oratory – Tuesday, October 8th

To celebrate the Feast of Blessed John Henry Newman on October 9th, in advance of his Canonisation, the Cardiff Oratory Schola will sing extracts from Newman's work, the Dream of Gerontius at the Oratory, St Alban's on the Moors Church, Splott. All are welcome to attend and to join the Oratorians and the parishioners in the parish hall afterwards, where the bar will be open and snacks will be provided.

Baptism Course

The next Baptism Course takes place here at St Teilo's in the parish hall. It begins on Thursday, October 10th at 7pm and completes on Thursday, October 17th at 7pm. Please e-mail Cathy & Mel if you plan to attend: cathyhopkins@sky.com

October – Extraordinary Month of Mission

Pope Francis has declared that October this year will be an Extraordinary Month of Mission. The aims of this month will be (a) To encourage Catholics into a deeper relationship with Jesus through prayer. (b) To look to, and learn from, the actions and sacrifices of our saints, martyrs and living missionaries. (c) To support overseas mission financially, through Missio. (d) To rediscover and renew our understanding of overseas mission (missio ad gentes). We will continue to reflect on the Mission of the Church throughout the month.

Missio APF Red Boxes

One of the ways we express our support for the Church's Mission is through its Missio-APF Red Boxes. A big thank you to all those who donate to the APF Missio during the year. For those who have the red boxes, these are due to be collected over the next few weeks. Please look out for your Promoter, who will be contacting you soon. Anyone wishing to have a box or wanting to make any sort of donation, please contact Peter Jones 07594693054.

There will be spare magazines and prayer cards available to anyone wishing to read more about the APF Missio and the work it does, at the back of the church. Please look out for them and take one to support the Month of Mission.

Cardinal John Henry Newman – Canonisation 13th October 2019:

The Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman will take place in St. Peter's Square, Rome next Sunday, October 13th. It will be a cause of great joy to English speaking Catholics throughout the world. The rich theology, spirituality and pastoral practice of the new Saint remain an inspiration down to our own day. It is not without reason that Newman has been called "Father of the Second Vatican Council". The Oratories have produced a great website with information on Blessed John Henry Newman including material from his writings: <https://www.newmancanonisation.com>. You will be able to follow the Canonisation live on the website.

Collections for 28th/29th September 2019					
LOL	6pm	St Teilo's	9am	11am	6.30pm
Cash	£ 125		£ 107	£ 186	£ 186
Gift Aid	£ 143		£ 165	£ 112	£ 43

Cheese and Wine with Sing Along Evening

On Friday, October 11th in the Parish Hall at 8pm, there is a Cheese and Wine evening with a sing along. Why not come along to socialise with our fellow parishioners? Tickets are £4 and are on sale after Masses this weekend and at the door on the night.

Adoration for Our Families

Monday, October 14th, sees the monthly hour of adoration for families here at St. Teilo's between 1.30pm and 2.30pm. Families face many challenges in our society. This monthly adoration before the Blessed Sacrament is an opportunity to pray for our families and the problems that they face. All are welcome to attend this time of quiet prayer.

The Year of the God Who Speaks

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has designated the year from September 2019 to December 2020 as the 'Year of the God Who Speaks'. It begins on the feast of St. Jerome, the great scholar of the Bible and the first to translate it from the Hebrew into Latin. The year will end on December 31st, 2020.

Recently, the Archbishop appointed two Scripture Champions, Kate Duffin and Madeleine Walters, to promote the 'Year of the God Who Speaks' in the Archdiocese of Cardiff. During the year, we are planning events and initiatives to celebrate, live and share God's Word. It will be the opportunity to enrich current practice and to develop and explore new ways of responding to 'The God Who Speaks'. As these are planned, we will keep you informed.

Archbishop George will pre-launch the Year of the Word in the Archdiocese of Cardiff and the Diocese of Menevia at two events, which will take place on Saturday, October 19th. You are welcome to attend either of the events. The pre-launch takes place at St. Mary's Church, Carmarthen at 11am and at St. Helen's Church, Caerphilly at 3pm. The pre-launch in Caerphilly will be the Sunday Mass. There will be refreshments after each pre-launch. The plans to date for the Year of the Word will be unveiled during each pre-launch.

In November, Fleur Dorrell, the Catholic Scripture Engagement Manager on the Bishops' Conference will be coming to Cardiff to speak about the 'Year of the God Who Speaks', to the Laity on Monday, November 18th at 7pm in the Cornerstone, Charles Street, Cardiff CF10 2SF and to the Clergy on Tuesday, November 19th. If you have any questions and/or any ideas for the year, please contact: Kate Duffin at kate.duffin@hotmail.co.uk or Madeleine Walters at madeleine.walters@rcadc.org

<p>Mass attendance on Sunday 28th/29th September 2019 LOL 6pm - 85, St. Teilo's 9am - 85, 11am - 136, 6.30pm - 92</p>
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Flower Arrangements at Church

Volunteers are needed to join the small team which undertakes the great work of flower arrangement in the Church. If you are able to join Gail, Clare, Kathy, Bernie and Brenda in this vital role, please e-mail whitchurch@rcadc.org. Support and training will be offered.

Helping in the celebration of Mass: Thanks to those who volunteered to read and/or take part in the offertory procession at St. Teilo's. I received many positive responses verbally, but to date only two people have e-mailed their details agreeing to take on this role. Please could I ask all those who are willing to undertake these roles to e-mail me on whitchurch@rcadc.org indicating which Mass you normally attend.

Canon Isaac.

Gift Aid

A reminder for parishioners to collect their Gift Aid Certificates for the year ended April 5th, 2019. Through your generosity, the parish has received £13,453 from the Inland Revenue for the last financial year.

Gift Aid is an excellent source of parish income at no extra cost. Thank you for supporting this scheme. If there are parishioners who would consider joining the scheme, there will be members of the Finance Committee at the back of the Church after Mass, with forms available for you to complete.

Please consider contributing by Banker's Order. This is a real help to our parish and enables us to plan ahead. Thank you.

Parking at St. Teilo's

Can I ask all drivers to reflect on their parking? Please do not block the pavement with cars, making it difficult for people in wheelchairs, using zimmers or with prams to walk along the pavement.

I have also been asked by the staff of the Fox and Hounds to remind parishioners that this is not a Parish Car Park. They have had difficulty with their customers parking over the last few Sunday lunchtimes. So please use the public car parks just a short distance away. Also, if you can support the Fox and Hounds going for a cuppa or a drink, remind them that you are a parishioner, so that we remain good neighbours.

Canon Isaac

Intercessory Prayer

You are always welcome to ask for prayers for your families and loved ones. If you want prayer said for a family member, loved one or friend at daily Mass, please write the name, clearly and give it to Canon Isaac.

Marriage Preparation - Volunteers needed: Could it be you?

Broken relationships are extremely painful, especially among family and friends. The Archdiocese is partnering with Catholic Marriage Care to train and equip parishioners to become FOCCUS Facilitators and help to prepare couples for the Sacrament of Marriage. FOCCUS stands for 'Facilitating Open Couple Communication, Understanding and Study'. If you want to be part of a friendly team helping couples have the best start in their marriage, training for this role will be held on October 26th – 27th at Hedley Lodge, Hereford.

For more information, visit www.marriagecare.org.uk
or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

Volunteer Relationship Counsellors Needed

Are you a Qualified Counsellor with a minimum Level 4 Diploma in Counselling? Would you like to train in Relationship Counselling and help Marriage Care reach more couples with our life-changing service?

Marriage Care is a Catholic organisation providing marriage preparation and professional relationship counselling for couples across England and Wales. Our Cardiff centre is recruiting qualified counsellors to train for our Certificate in Relationship Counselling and provides just two sessions of counselling per week. We are also recruiting qualified relationship counsellors who already hold a certificate in counselling couples. If you are interested in further developing your skills in this truly rewarding role and becoming part of a friendly local team making a real difference in our community, please enquire.

For more information, please visit us at: www.marriagecare.org.uk
or e-mail: volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk.

Cornerstone Café

If you are ever in the City Centre, why not stop by the Cornerstone Café opposite the Cathedral. They have a good selection of food and drinks.

Canon Isaac

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

Confessions:

Saturday: St. Teilo's - 9.30-10.00am, OLOL - 5.15-5.45pm

Mass Times / Intentions Weeks Beginning 5th/6th October 2019			
Sat 5th October 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Joseph and Ellen Meilak (EY)
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
Sun 6th October 27th 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	Holy Souls
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	6.30pm	Private Intention
Mon 7th October Our Lady of the Rosary	St.T.	10am	Thomas and Winifride Mullins
Tue 8th October	St.T.	10.30am	John and Margaret Reece (M&CR) Clive Evans (HE)
Wed 9th October Blessed John Henry Newman, Priest	O.L.O.L.	7pm	Terry - RIP and Wellbeing of Cath (WJI)
Thu 10th October	St.T.	10am	Marjorie O'Brien - RIP (BV)
Fri 11th October St. John XXIII, Pope	St.T.	10am	Trevoe Jones (MJ)
Sat 12th October Our Lady	St.T.	10am	Private Intention
Sat 12th October 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Mr & Mrs E Foley - Anniversary (NJ)
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
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	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	11am	Mary Bridge Eastland - Anniversary (BE)
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	6.30pm	Janice Taylor - RIP (R&MT)