



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

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Parish Newsletter



Weekend 21st and 22nd August 2021 Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass Today

The Mass readings and prayers for the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 123 of the Mass Book.

Welcome to Archbishop Stack

We welcome Archbishop Stack who will be celebrating Mass at St. Teilo's this weekend and for the following two weekends during Fr. John's recuperation.

Fr. John

Following his operation last Sunday evening, Fr. John is now recuperating at his sister's home. While he continues to be in pain, the operation was successful and he is making a gradual recovery as is normal. It is expected that he will return to the parish on Saturday, September 11th.

Attending Sunday Mass

The parish has three Sunday Masses, the Vigil Mass at 6pm on Saturday, the 10am Mass on Sunday morning and a 6pm Mass on Sunday evening. With rearranged seating arrangements, there is now **no need to book** to attend Mass. However, face coverings/masks are still required.

If you are coming to one of the Sunday Masses, you still **need to record your attendance** for the NHS Wales Test, Trace, Protect service. This can be done in one of three ways:

- a) Registering for Mass via the online system – <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/mass-at-st-teilos-church-whitchurch-cardiff-tickets-150242307787> (pre-existing bookings will now be treated as registrations).
- b) Using the NHS Track and Trace app and the QR code at the Church Entrance.
- c) Writing your name and email or contact number on the sheets at the back of the Church.

Please follow the Welcomers' guidance in receiving Communion as we will be reverting to the pre-Covid approach to the Blessed Sacrament by going down the centre aisle. Please wait in your bench until you are called forward by the Welcomers.

Weekday Mass Times

Mass this week will be celebrated at St. Teilo's at 10am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday and on Wednesday evening at 7pm by Fr. Artur Kozik, the new priest for the Polish Community in the Archdiocese. There is no need to book to attend weekday Mass.

A message from Fr. Artur Kozik

Dear Parishioners of St Teilo's and Our Lady of Lourdes Parish,

My name is Artur Kozik and I'm the new parish priest for the Polish Catholic Mission in Cardiff. I also say Holy Mass in Newport, Merthyr Tydfil and Hereford. I am happy that we can share the experience of faith together here!

I have been a priest since 2010. I spent the first 3 years of my priesthood in my Archdiocese of Katowice. After that I was in the Czech Republic for five years and then in the United Kingdom – one year in Northampton and two years in Birmingham. While there, I said Mass for the English Language Community in St. Michael's Church on Moor Street. Maybe you know that church?

I was in Cardiff last year for a holiday. I met Canon William Isaac. He even invited me for a gin & tonic. I did not hesitate very long and took up this opportunity. "I didn't know it was our last", that it was our last meeting; I was so sorry to hear that he had passed away, but we are people of hope, so I believe that our next meeting will be in heaven - why not with a gin & tonic? Or, maybe in paradise they have something better?

It's my pleasure to serve you now during the recuperation of your parish priest, Canon John. "Get well, Father, I hope to meet you soon! I want to be helpful to you now and in the future! If you need my help with Confession - just let me know! With my blessing!"

Fr Artur Kozik

Covid-19 Alert Level Zero

In line with Welsh Government Guidance, our response to the pandemic now moves to an emphasis on personal responsibility in protecting our collective Community. The main change at alert level 0 is the replacement of the 2-metre social distancing with distancing which is reasonable and respects others' needs.

Please be mindful that SAR- CoV2 is still very much a present danger and the δ (DELTA) variant is highly transmissible by dispersal in 'aerosol and respiratory droplet form' and also by contact with touchpoints that have been contaminated. So good personal hygiene is a strong preventative measure in protection of oneself and others.

When attending Mass, you:

- Must wear a face covering (over your nose and mouth).
- Are requested to take your temperature on entry to the Church.
- Leave contact details if you have not pre-registered for Mass.
- Try not to 'bunch' up beside those not in your Household group.
- Do not leave your seat other than for Holy Communion or to pray at one of the votive positions
- Try, where possible to avoid sitting directly behind someone. This will give a more open and 'comfortable' feel to spacing and for those who are a little uncertain in the new environment.
- Cards will be offered to place beside anyone who is concerned saying, "PLEASE RESPECT THIS SPACE". These are available for those who wish to use them. If you do wish to use them, please pick them up from a Welcomer.

The Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has confirmed that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains suspended until the First Sunday of Advent.

Quote of the Week



"The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness."
Lamentations 3:22-23



Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy will resume at the start of the new school term in September. We will continue to publish the Children's Liturgy sheet on the parish website. You can access this week's Children's resource at this link – <https://stteilos-olol.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/D-22-August-Children.pdf> and the Family resource here – <https://stteilos-olol.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/4-22-August-Family-Time.pdf>

Val Dart



Congratulations to Val Dart who celebrated her 90th Birthday on Saturday, August 14th. Fr. John presented her with a Papal Blessing to mark the happy occasion.

Walsingham Pilgrimage

Val Dart is travelling with the parish of St. Alban's on their pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham on August 30th. If you wish Val to take a prayer intention to the shrine on your behalf, please hand them to Val, or hand them in to the sacristy or put them through the Presbytery letterbox before Thursday, August 26th.

Church Open for Silent Prayer – Monday and Friday

St. Teilo's will be open for private prayer on Monday and Friday from Mass time until 5.30pm. You are welcome to call in at any time, but please remember to remain six feet, that is two metres, away from other attendees who are not members of your own household. You will need either to 'Check-in' using the NHS Covid-19 app to log the QR code in the Church porch or to add your name and phone number to the sign in sheet. You are required to sanitise as you enter and leave the Church. You may remove your face covering if you are alone in the Church but if someone else is present you will need to wear your face covering.

CAFOD responding to multiple emergencies across the world

CAFOD is responding to significant crises across the world this week. We are working with local Church organisations in Haiti to deliver emergency aid to people affected by the catastrophic earthquake and tropical storm. In the tragic situation in Afghanistan, we are working to ensure the safety of our local partners and their communities. We are supporting local aid workers to deliver urgent food and water supplies to hundreds of thousands of people facing extreme hunger in Tigray in Ethiopia, South Sudan and north-east Nigeria. You can read more about how we can all express solidarity with our sisters and brothers affected by these emergencies on the CAFOD website: <https://cafod.org.uk/News/Emergencies-news>. Your compassion, generosity and prayers have helped us to stand together and enable us to continue to support communities in these difficult times. Thank you.

Part Time Safeguarding Case Worker

The Archdiocese is seeking to appoint a part time Safeguarding Case Worker. An opportunity to join the team within the Archdiocese has opened. Previous experience within the criminal justice system, Social Services or the Probation Service is desirable. For further information/informal discussion about this role, please contact Chris Mullane, Safeguarding Coordinator on 07498 209554. Full details of the vacancy can be viewed here: <https://rcadc.org/vacancy-safeguarding-case-worker/>

Mass Times and Intentions week beginning 21st and 22nd of August 2021			
Saturday 21 st August Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Private Intention
Sunday 22 nd August Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mark Searle – RIP (P&CS)
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	For the People of the Parish
Monday 23 rd August St. Rose of Lima, Virgin	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Wellbeing of Anne Robinson (GM)
Tuesday 24 th August St. Bartholomew, Apostle – Feast	St. Teilo's	10.00am	John Salter – Anniversary (MS)
Wednesday 25 th August	St. Teilo's	7.00pm	Margaret Ranner – RIP (Sonia)
Thursday 26 th August St. David Lewis, Priest and Martyr	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Wellbeing of Kathleen Doherty – 90th Birthday
Friday 27 th August St. Monica	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Jack Wilshin – Anniversary
Saturday 28 th August St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	St. Teilo's	10.00am	In Thanksgiving for the Parish Stewards and the stewards throughout the world (TC)
Saturday 28 th August Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	For the People of the Parish
Sunday 29 th August Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Canon Isaac – RIP
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Holy Souls

Confessions

Fr. Artur will be available for Confessions in the Parish Hall from 10.30am to 11am after Saturday Mass or at other times, on request.

Donations to the Parish

Donations in Church last weekend amounted to £228.60.

Mass Attendance – Last weekend's Mass attendance was as follows:

Sunday 8 th August	6pm	25
	10am	36
	6pm	47

Rest in Peace



In your mercy, please pray for the repose of the soul of one of our parishioners Francis Derek Furnham who has died recently. Mr. Furnham's body will be received into the Church at 4pm on Wednesday, September 1st and his Requiem Mass will be at 11.15am on Thursday, September 2nd. Please also pray for the repose of the souls of those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Fr. John Crowe, Margaret

Compton, Mary Roberts, Annie Reilly, Pierette Hogg, Sylvia Jones, Catherine Fackrell, Edward Feeney, G. Clifford Geddes, Nellie Fitzharris, Clifford Hewett, Ray Gaul, Graham Thomas, Thomas Walsh, William Sullivan, Vilma Aviles, Jack Wilshin, Loredana James, Kathleen Wearing, Timothy Hurley, Eugene O'Neill, Eileen O'Brien, Bridget Hutchings, Catherine Williams, Stuart Clarke, Stewart Clarke, Thomas O'Donovan, Mavis Bickley, Catherine Yates, Annie Craggs, Edith Daly, Dennis O'Leary, Donald Diddins, Monica Daly and Eileen Carlson.