



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

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Parish Newsletter



Weekend 6th and 7th of August 2022 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Mass

The Mass readings and prayers for the Mass of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 121 of the Parish Mass Book.

Diocesan Evangelisation Commission – August Mission

The Diocesan Evangelisation Commission has planned a Mission this week running from August 8th to 10th in Cardiff. On Tuesday, August 9th and Wednesday, August 10th, there will be training in the morning in the Mostyn Room, Mass at 12.45pm in the Cathedral, lunch in the Mostyn room§ free of charge and Mission in the street in the afternoon, accompanied by a member of the team.

On Tuesday evening, 7pm - 9pm, there will be Open Church in the Cathedral - inviting people into the Cathedral to light a candle, say a prayer and maybe have a chat. You are invited and are very welcome to participate in this Mission. You can do all of it, one day or a part or parts of a day. Many parishes' Synodal Reports mentioned the need for formation/training, including training in how to evangelise. This Mission will provide such training. For more information and to book, please email madeleine.walters@rcadc.org

Prayer Group at Our Lady of Lourdes

The Tuesday evening prayer group meets in the St. Pope John Paul II chapel at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Following feedback from the group members, the Prayer Group will start at the earlier time of 6pm. All are welcome to come along this Tuesday, August 9th, for a time of prayer, praise and intercession for the needs of the parish and community

Coffee and Tea after Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes

We will have Coffee and Tea in the St. Pope John Paul II chapel at Our Lady of Lourdes after the 10am Mass on Wednesday. If you are at Mass on that day, please stay behind and spend some time socialising and sharing with our fellow parishioners.

Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

The annual Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life has been restored following its absence for the last two years. The Holy Hour will take place this Wednesday, August 10th from 7pm to 8pm. It is taking place at a new venue, the Aquinas Hall behind the Catholic University Chaplaincy, 62 Park Place, Cardiff.

Fr. Nicholas Williams, the Archdiocesan Vocations Director, would encourage all those who can to attend this hour of prayer as a support for the Archdiocesan seminarian and those who are in the process of discernment of vocations at this time.

Adoration for Our Families

The monthly Adoration for our families takes place at St. Teilo's on Wednesday, August 10th between 1pm and 2pm. This monthly Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament is an opportunity to pray for our families and the problems that they face. This month the group will also include the intentions and wellbeing of the Ukrainian people in this time of prayer. All are welcome to attend.

Adoration and Exposition

There will be Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.30am to midday, this Friday. Why not come along to spend time in silent prayer and adoration before the Lord?

Baptism – Next Saturday

Next Saturday at St. Teilo's at 12.30pm, Fr. John will celebrate the Baptism of Maisie Anne Mair Horgan. We welcome Maisie into the community and pray for her family and godparents as they commit themselves to supporting Maisie in her developing faith.

The Assumption of Our Lady

Next Sunday we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Lady. The Solemnity will be celebrated on the weekend Masses of August 13th and 14th. As is customary, when a Holyday is due to fall on the Monday, it is transferred to the preceding day.

Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Penrhys

On Sunday, August 14th there will be a Feast Day Mass at 3pm celebrated at the foot of the statue of Our Lady of Penrhys, at the Shrine in Penrhys, Rhondda Cynon Taf.

Please bring your own seat and be aware that there are no toilet facilities at the site, and though there is a small Café at the Llanfair Christian Centre, the space and facilities there are very limited.

In case of rain the Llanfair Centre have generously offered the use of their beautiful chapel, so Mass will go ahead there. The Centre is 1/3 of a mile from the Shrine

Clothes donations for the SVP

The Parish St. Vincent De Paul (SVP) Conference is undertaking a monthly collection of clothing for the SVP Charity Shop. Clean, good quality clothing, books and toys are welcome. Donations may be left outside the confessionals at the rear of St. Teilo's next weekend, August 14th, and on the weekend of the Second Sunday of each month. Please ensure that donations are brought to the Church only on the specified Sundays, as we do not want the Church to become cluttered during the week.

Thank you from the parish SVP.

Annual Pilgrimage to the Grave of St. John Kemble

This year's pilgrimage takes place on Sunday, August 21st.

10.15am Monmouth to Welsh Newton

Pilgrims set off to walk to Welsh Newton from St Mary's Church, Monmouth after the 9.15 a.m. Mass. Everybody welcome – please bring a packed lunch.

3.00pm Welsh Newton

We meet for Rosary, Readings and Prayers at St. John Kemble's Grave in the Churchyard at Welsh Newton.

4.15pm Monmouth

Benediction follows in St Mary's Church and afterwards, tea will be served in the garden and produce sold.

People have prayed at St. John Kemble's Grave from the time of his martyrdom in 1679 to the present day. The Annual Pilgrimage is a blessing for the parish and the Archdiocese and all who make the effort to attend.

All enquiries to: The Pilgrimage Secretary: Mrs. M. Walsh, phone – 01600 713316.

Annual Pilgrimage to the Grave of St. David Lewis

In celebration of the 344th anniversary of his giving his life for Christ, the Annual Pilgrimage in Honour of St. David Lewis, Priest, Martyr and Welshman, will be celebrated Sunday, August 28th.

3.00pm Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction

The Pilgrimage begins with Solemn Vespers and Benediction at 3pm preached by the Rt. Rev. Dom Paul Stonham, Abbot of Belmont, and sung by the Fathers and Brothers of the Cardiff Oratory, at SS. Francis Xavier & David Lewis Church in Porth-y-Carne Street, Usk.

Walking pilgrimage to the place of execution and then onto the grave of our local Saint and Martyr

Following Vespers, there will be a Procession to the Martyrdom Site and the Tomb of the Saint in the Graveyard at St. Mary's Priory in Priory Street, Usk.

The Pilgrimage will conclude with veneration of the relic

After veneration, light refreshments will be served in the St. David Lewis Hall, Usk

St. David Lewis, Tad y Tlodion, Father of the Poor, pray for us!

Archdiocesan Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage – New date

The Archdiocesan Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage was originally scheduled for May, but with the change of Archbishop, it was decided that it would be rescheduled. The new date is Saturday, October 1st at 12 noon. On that date Archbishop Mark will celebrate a Thanksgiving Mass for all the married couples of our Archdiocese. All are welcome. No invitations are needed, though an idea of numbers will help with catering. Those unable to attend in person can join via live-streaming, and during the Mass, married couples will be invited to make a Renewal of Commitment. There will be refreshments in the Cornerstone after Mass.

The celebration is for all couples wishing to celebrate their marriage; whether you are celebrating a milestone anniversary this year, or because this year's anniversary will be significant because of specific life experiences (e.g. first child, first-time empty-nesters, following a particular challenge in their relationship, or any private significance) or simply to give thanks.

We would like to include as many anniversaries as possible in the Mass booklet and also to produce a reflective presentation compiled of your wedding photos which would be projected during the reception after Mass. If you would like to be included in the Mass booklet, the Reflection, or both!, please send your details, along with photos, to the Family Life Commission by September 14th flc@rcadc.org

Rest in Peace



In your mercy, please pray for the repose of the soul of Dennis Bowen, who died recently. Mr. Bowen's funeral service will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Friday, August 19th at 2pm.

Please also pray for the repose of the souls of those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Father John O'Leary, Father Patrick Gibbons, Father Noel Williams, Father Michael Murphy, Katherine Savage, Maud Baker, Francis Ellswood, Mary Mays, David Minto, Susan Flook, Thomas Thomas, Patricia Stephens, James Donovan, Michael Driscoll, Eilena Williams, John O'Sullivan, Josephine Marquiss, John Driscoll, Catherine Gaffney, Joseph O'Callaghan, Maureen Chidgey, William Conway, Elizabeth Wells, Anne Hodgson, John Kelly, Jean Marie Bartlett and Ignatius Silva.

Mass Times and Intentions: 6th to the 14th of August 2022

Saturday 6 th August Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Our Lady of Lourdes	6.00pm	Mass – For the People of the Parish
Sunday 7 th August Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mass – Martin Rees – RIP (SR)
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Mass – Martha Gwendoline Calderbank – RIP (R&MT)
Monday 8 th August St. Dominic – Priest	No Mass today		
Tuesday 9 th August St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) – Virgin and Martyr – Feast	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Fr. Chris Delaney – RIP (JG)
Wednesday 10 th August St. Laurence – Deacon and Martyr – Feast	Our Lady of Lourdes	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Robert Newton (JG)
Thursday 11 th August St. Clare – Virgin	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Carolina Wilshin – RIP (DH)
Friday 12 th August Weekday in Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Wellbeing of Christopher Harris (RH)
	St. Teilo's	10.30am -12.00pm	Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday 13 th August Our Lady's Saturday	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – John and Maureen Bending – RIP (RCB)
	St. Teilo's	12.30pm	Baptism – Maisie Anne Mair Horgan
Saturday 13 th August Vigil Mass of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Our Lady of Lourdes	6.00pm	Mass – For the People of the Parish
Sunday 14 th August The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mass – Josie Farrell – RIP (BW-F)
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Mass – Anthony Peter Calderbank – RIP

Confessions

Fr. John will be available for Confessions in the confessional at St. Teilo's from 10.30am to 11am after Saturday morning Mass. Father will also hear confessions in the confessional at Our Lady of Lourdes before Mass on Saturday Evening – 5.30pm to 5.55pm.

Donations to the Parish

Last weekend's parish collection amounted to £635.40. Many thanks to all our parishioners for your ongoing generosity to the parish.

Praying for the Sick of the Parish

Please remember those who are sick in your daily prayers: Keith Alexander, Bob Bending, Brian Bryant, Yvonne Butcher, Dorothy David, Barbara Day, Rafael Diaz, Ivor Evenden, Mary Jones, Mary Joseph, Eileen Lawrence, John Mintram, Terry O'Shea, Derek Phillips, Margaret Salter and Bridget Wynne-Farrell. If you would like to add someone to the list, please email whitchurch@rcadc.org.

Mass Attendance – The Mass attendance at each of the Masses last weekend was as follows:

Sunday 24 th July	6pm	49
	10am	128
	6pm	58