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Sunday, 22nd January 2023

This week at the Cathedral: Year: A (I)

Sunday 22nd

17:30 Sat.

08:00 Sun.

10:00

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass: Bernard Pitson (RIP)

Mass: Alice Hayes (RIP)

Mass: People of the Parish

Mon. 23rd

09:15 CRYPT

Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: Malcom Smith & David Kavanagh (RIP)

Tues. 24th

12:30

**St. Francis De Sales, Bishop
NO MORNING MASS**

FUNERAL MASS:

Margaret (Peggy) Morris (RIP)

Weds. 25th

09:15 CRYPT

Conversion of St. Paul, Feast

Mass: Roy Rees (RIP)

Thurs. 26th

**Ss. Timothy & Titus, Bishops
NO PUBLIC MASS**

Fri. 27th

09:15 CRYPT

Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: MLP (Sick)

Sat. 28th

17:30

**St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor
NO MORNING MASS**

Vigil Mass: MLP

Sunday 29th

08:00

10:00

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Mass:

Mass: People of the Parish

The Holy Father's General Intention for January

"That educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL, ARCHANGEL

Holy Michael, the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

MEMORARE

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins my Mother. to thee do we come, before thee we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer them. Amen.

Pray for them

Let us remember the sick in our homes & hospitals:

Deacon Tony Lawrence, Teresa Williams, Ian Williams, Jean Davies, Lee Ellery, Taylor Mai, Jeffery Jones, Heather Mitchell, Neil Andrew Francis, Nathan Jones, Gary Lewis, Bernard Kenealy, Tom Bright, Maralyn Brain, Christopher Browne, Helena Hughes, Margaret Pitson, Brian Thomas, Lynda Rees, Candida Felicio, Nora Kennedy, Patrick (Paddy) Colclough, Gill Moran and all the sick. May the Lord lay his healing hands upon them.

ANNIVERSARIES: Bryn Williams; Ethels Mary Rogers; Christine Catherine Bennett; Maureen Patricia Stadden; Hillary Elizabeth Williams.

Please also continue to pray for all those who have been affected by Covid-19 and especially for those who have lost loved ones to the COVID virus.



Sanctuary Lights:

1. MLP
2. Special Intention



NOTICE

PLEASE NOTE CHANGES TO THE WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE!

REMINDER: Weekday Masses will be celebrated in the Crypt until further notice.

CANON BENEDICT: Please keep Canon Benedict in your prayers as he sits his Canon Law examinations. In his absence, Canon Paul Watson and Fr. Robert Davies of St. David's have kindly agreed to provide cover for the cathedral. In the event that a priest might be needed in an emergency situation, please contact St. David's on telephone number: (01792) 653343

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased): Pat McLeod^{x3}; Alice & Timothy McCarthy; Dennis Thomas^{x2}; Trevor Davies; Brian Nutt^{x2}; Gladys, Tom & Brendan Davies (RIP); May, Charles & Terry Pitson (RIP); John Francis Kennedy (RIP)

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other): Sr. Ethelreda

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS: Special Intention; Dennis Thomas; Ann Evans; Gladys, Tom & Brendan Davies (RIP); May, Charles & Terry Pitson (RIP).

PARISH WEBSITE: Please note that our official website is now up and running at www.meneviacathedral.org

<p>HYMNS FOR THIS WEEKEND: Entrance:864; Offertory: 747; Communion 764 and 934; Recessional: 770.</p>
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RCIA PROGRAMME: Meetings take place on Sundays at 4 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled to take place on Sunday 22nd January. **This very informative Programme is also open to anyone wanting to learn more about the Catholic faith.** Please pick up a form from the porch, complete it and return it to the parish office.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023: The next class takes place in the Holy Family Hall at 6 p.m. on Tuesday 24th January.

NB: Classes are fortnightly until February, then weekly.

BAPTISM PROGRAMME: Parents wishing Baptism for their child, please pick up a Registration form from the porch, complete it and return to Sr. Nora, who will contact you with the date/time of the next programme.

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATIONS: Our new contactless terminal is in the porch. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/device to make a donation. Simply choose the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader.

DONATING ONLINE: You may also donate online, just click on the link: <https://donate.mydona.com/st-josephs-cathedral>

DONATING BY MONTHLY BANKER'S ORDER: you may continue to use this method also. Our bank account details are as follows:

Sort Code: 55-61-20

Account Number: 01678442

Account Name: Diocese of Menevia Cathedral.

GIFT AID YOUR DONATION – whatever method you choose, if you are a taxpayer, please opt into the **GIFT AID** scheme. It increases your donation by 25%, It means, that at no extra cost to yourself, the Church can claim an extra 25p for every £1 received. **GIFT AID (GAD) FORMS are available in the porch.** If anyone needs help filling out the form, please see Mary Clare who may assist. Thank you.

<p style="text-align: center;">Last Week's Offerings</p> <p>Loose Plate: £613.60 Electronic Plate: TBA Standing Order. TBA</p>

PIETY SHOP: For your convenience, you may now make contactless payments for Piety Shop items using your Credit/Debit card. Simply select "Other Amount" from the on-screen menu of the contactless terminal, tap "Piety Shop" and input the amount you wish to pay.

COVID/FLU . . . A REMINDER TO BE CAUTIOUS!! There are several winter viruses circulating, including Covid and Influenza. Please be mindful that there are vulnerable parishioners in our community. Out of courtesy, if you are feeling even slightly unwell, please err on the side of caution and stay at home till you are feeling better. Please note that there is hand sanitiser & sanitising wipes available for your safety. Whilst, face masks/coverings are no longer mandatory, they are still strongly advised. Please feel free to ask a Steward for a mask if you have need of one. Thank you.

<p>HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY: In the event that a Priest is needed to make a sick visit to someone in hospital, please call the following numbers: Singleton Hospital: Fr Clement (01792) 655336; Morrison Hospital & Ty Olwen Hospice: The Chaplaincy Team may be contacted on 07792 003905</p>
