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Sunday, 16th April 2023

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

Sunday 16 th	2 nd SUNDAY OF EASTER. (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)
17:30 Sat.	Vigil Mass: Tony Eaton (RIP)
08:00 Sun.	Mass: Martin Burke (RIP)
10:00	Mass: People of the Parish
Mon. 17 th	Monday of Eastertide
09:15 Crypt	Mass: Billy O'Donnell (RIP)
Tues.18 th	Tuesday of Eastertide
09:15 Crypt	Mass: D'd members of Cahill Family (RIP)
11:00	Funeral Service: Ernest Smith
Weds. 19 th	Wednesday of Eastertide
09:30	Cathedral School: Mass of the
	Resurrection
Thurs. 20 th	Thursday of Eastertide
09:15 Crypt	Mass: Burke Family (RIP)
Fri. 21 st	Friday of Eastertide
09:15 Crypt	Mass:
Sat. 22 nd	Saturday of the Octave of Easter NO MORNING MASS
17:30 (Sat.)	Vigil Mass: William & David Alexander (RIP)
Sunday 23 rd	3 rd SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE

08:00 Sun. Mass: 10:00 Mass: People of the Parish

The Holy Father's General Intention for Eastertide:

"We are asked to pray for these intentions: Survivors of Abuse; New members of the Church; Vocations; The Right Use of the Media; the Church; Human Work."

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, Eileen Morgan, Joyce Eynon and all the sick. May the Lord Iay his healing hands upon them.

ANNIVERSARIES: Tony Eaton, Brian Gabriel, Harold Bishop, Maureen Wheatley, Canon Richard Byron, Mary Grey.

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

Amelia & Giovanni Ruggiero (RIP)



PLEASE ENSURE YOU TAKE THIS NEWSLETTER HOME WITH YOU FOR FUTURE REFERENCE. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased):

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other):

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS:

REQUESTS FOR MASS INTENTIONS: Please be aware, if you want to book Anniversary and Birthday Masses, particularly at weekends, you need to do so at the earliest possible time . . . not wait until one or two weeks before. Owing to high demand, requests for weekend Mass Intentions are allocated on a "first come, first served" basis. Mass intentions may be scheduled for the 5:30 p.m. and 08:00 a.m. only. NO MASS INTENTIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THE 10:00 a.m. MASS unless it is for an Anniversary that actually falls on that particular Sunday. Canon Benedict.

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: <u>https://donate.mydona.com/st-josephs-cathedral</u>

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.

HEATING COSTS: It costs £40 per hour to heat the cathedral but only £5 per hour to heat the Crypt. Hence the reason why we're holding our weekday devotions in the Crypt during the colder weather.

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.

LENTEN ALMS PROJECT – 2023: Your Lenten Alms will be split between the following two causes: one 'abroad' and one 'at home' i.e.

- 1. Victims of the Turkey/Syria earthquake;
- 2. Young people from the Dioceses attending World Youth Day.

If you have not already done so, there is still time to make your donation. You may use the Contactless Terminal in the porch or the baskets located at the front & back of the church.

A NOTE OF THANKS AND APPRECIATION

I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for your gifts and Easter Offerings. As always, I am overwhelmed and humbled by your generosity. May God bless you all.

Canon Benedict

ARCHDIOCESE OF CARDIFF & DIOCESE OF MENEVIA ARCHESGOBAETH CAERDYDD & ESGOBAETH MYNYW

Archbishop Mark has produced an **ONLINE NEWSLETTER** for both dioceses. You will find a live link to the publication on the cathedral website <u>www.meneviacathedral.org</u>

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; Morriston Hospital & Ty Olwen Hospice:

The Chaplaincy Team may be contacted on 07792 003905

HYMN NUMBERS

Entrance: 292; Offertory: 269; Communion 1: 302; Communion 2: 643; Recessional: 287