

# Saint Joseph's Cathedral




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## Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> May 2023

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

- Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>**      **5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER.**  
17:30 Sat.      Vigil Mass: *Moira & Richard Heady (RIP)*  
08:00 Sun.      Mass: *Maria Akudulo (RIP)*  
10:00            Mass: *People of the Parish*
- Mon. 8<sup>th</sup> May**      **Weekday of Eastertide**  
09:15            Mass: *Paul Williams (RIP)*  
*There will be Rosary & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament directly after Mass.*
- Tues. 9<sup>th</sup>**            **Weekday of Eastertide**  
09:15            Mass: *Int. of Mary Jones (Birthday)*
- Weds. 10<sup>th</sup>**        **Weekday of Eastertide**  
09:15            Mass: *Carol Harris (Anniv.) (RIP)*
- Thurs. 11<sup>th</sup>**        **Weekday of Eastertide**  
09:15            Mass: *Deceased Members of the O'Donnell Family (RIP)*
- Fri. 12<sup>th</sup>**            **Weekday of Eastertide**  
09:15            Mass: *Hope Ogiku (Special Intention)*
- Sat. 13<sup>th</sup>**            **Our Lady of Fatima**  
**NO MORNING MASS**  
17:30 (Sat.)      Vigil Mass: *Jack & Bernard Rees (RIP)*
- Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>**        **6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE**  
08:00 Sun.      Mass:  
10:00            Mass: *People of the Parish*

### The Holy Father's Intention for May:

*"That Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world."*

### 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 lay his healing hands upon them.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Carol Harris, James Cornelius Spooner, Richard (Dixie) Hale,

*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. Tom, Gladys & Brendan Davies (RIP)
2. Carol Harris (RIP)



## NOTICES

**MAY DEVOTIONS:** Commencing Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> May we will pray the Rosary before the Blessed Sacrament every Monday morning, after Mass. This will continue throughout the whole month of May.

**THE CROWNING OF OUR LADY** will take place at the 10:00 Mass.

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased):** Rose & Henry Gronert;

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other):**

**SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS:** Carol Harris (RIP); Tom, Gladys & Brendan Davies (RIP); Chris, May, John & Maureen Lewis (RIP); Deceased members of the Pitson Family (RIP).

**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: <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.

### LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Loose Plate: £608.41

Electronic Plate: TBA

Standing Order: February: £1,207.00

**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:

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.

**LECTIO DIVINA** has now re-started in the parish. Meetings take place in the Library from 7-8 p.m. Everyone welcome. Thank you. *Sr Nora Mary*

### 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 [www.meneviacathedral.org](http://www.meneviacathedral.org)

**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

### HYMN NUMBERS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Entrance: 788; Offertory: 913; Communion: 795 & 909  
Recessional: 353

### CHILDRENS' LITURGY

Calling all parents of young children . . .  
Are you interested in having a Childrens' Liturgy? If so, please see Dominic Nutt at the end of the 10:00 Sunday Mass for a short meeting.  
If there is sufficient interest, we can get this started quickly.  
Dom may be located next to the Choir (towards the front of the church) and will remain there at the end of Mass.  
Can't wait to see you!

*Dom*