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Sunday, 28th May 2023

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

Sunday 28th PENTECOST

17:30 Sat. Vigil Mass: Ian Harding (RIP)
08:00 Sun. Mass: Private Intentions
09:00 Baptism:
10:00 Mass: People of the Parish

Mon. 29th Mary, Mother of the Church

09:15 Mass: Private Intention
Rosary & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament directly after Mass.

Tues. 30th Tuesday of week 8 in Ordinary Time

09:15 Mass: John Bradley (RIP)

Weds. 31st THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY - Feast

09:15 Mass: BOK
10:30 Funeral Service: Mrs Sylvia Bankovskis (RIP)

Thurs. 1st June OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST - Feast

09:15 Mass: For intentions of family, friends, neighbours etc. of Mary Jones: in thanksgiving for birthday favours.

Fri. 2nd Ss. Marcellinus & Peter, Martyrs

09:15 Mass: Fidelis & Fidelity (Birthday Anniversary)

Sat. 3rd Ss. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs.

NO MORNING MASS

17:30 (Sat.) Vigil Mass: Ian Harding (RIP)

Sunday 4th THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - Solemnity

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 and all the sick. May the Lord lay his healing hands upon them.

ANNIVERSARIES:



Sanctuary Lights

1. Amelia & Giovanni Ruggiero (RIP)
2. Chris, May, John & Maureen Lewis (RIP)



NOTICES

MAY DEVOTIONS: *On Monday morning, after Mass, we will round off our May devotions by praying the Joyful Mysteries before the Blessed Sacrament.*

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: *Please pray for our young people who will be receiving their First Holy Communion at this Sunday's 10:00 a.m. Mass.*

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased): Bernard Flynn, Piotr Skubala; Eileen Davies; John Bradley

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other): Thanksgiving (MJ)

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS: Special Intention (YK); Madeline & George Harris; Bradley & McCarthy Families;

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: £616.36

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.

CONGRATULATIONS

to our

FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Congratulations to the children of the parish who celebrate their First Holy Communion this weekend.

Gregory Osagouna Aguebor

David Andrei Beta

Cindy Lynne Bessem Ebai

Anthony Obinna Egwuom

Paula Chinaesom Egwuom

Ffion Connie Jones

Emmanuella Zahara Ebangha Limen

Xavi Zayn Waters

Grateful thanks to their parents and catechists who together, worked hard to prepare them for this very special day on their journey of faith.

May you always feel the love and presence of the Lord as you receive Him in Holy Communion.

Canon Benedict

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