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17:30 Sat.

Sunday, 18th June 2023

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

Vigil Mass: Mary Booth (RIP)

Sunday 18th 11Th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

08:00 Sun. Mass: Loveth Osariemen Otasowie

(Birthday)

10:00 Mass: People of the Parish

Mon.19th Weekday in Ordinary Time
09:15 Mass: Special Intention

Tues. 20th Weekday in Ordinary Time

09:15 Mass:

Weds. 21st St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

(Memorial.)

09:15 Mass: Special Intention

Fri. 23rd Weekday in Ordinary Time

09:15 Mass: Deceased members of Pitson

Family (RIP)

Sat. 24th NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

(Solemnity)

NO MORNING MASS

17:30 (Sat.) Vigil Mass: Rose & Henry Gronert (RIP)

Sunday 25th 12th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

08:00 Sun. Mass: For the intentions of Fitzgerald &

Joubert Families.

10:00 Mass: People of the parish

The Holy Father's Intention for June:

"That the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families."

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: Peter James Morgan, Sheila Mary Guarino, Joseph James Barret, Rhianna Faye Chellew, Peter Douglas Wallace.



Sanctuary Lights

- Bradley & McCarthy Families (RIP)
- 2. Richard Davies



NOTICES

CANON BENEDICT is away from the parish sitting Canon Law examinations in Leuven, Belgium. Please keep him in your prayers.

FR. DONATUS is very kindly 'holding the fort' in Canon Benedict's absence. It's worth mentioning however, that Fr. Donatus does not yet hold a UK driving licence so in the event that a Priest is needed in an emergency, please contact Canon Paul/Fr Robert at St. David's Parish telephone: (01792) 653343

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased): Margaret & Ken Williams (RIP): Richard Jones: Bob Lawrence: Deceased members of the Pitson Family.

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other): Intentions of Fitzgerald & Joubert Families x2; Special Intentions

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.

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.

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Loose Plate: £607.52 Electronic Plate: TBA Standing Orders:: TBA

LECTIO DIVINA - Meetings take place on Thursday evenings from 7-8 p.m. in the Library of Clergy House.

Everyone welcome. Thank you.

HYMN NUMBERS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Entrance: 825; Offertory: 608; Communion: 866 & 853;

Recessional: 466

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

A PRAYER FOR FATHER'S DAY

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless those fathers who have taken upon themselves the responsibility of parenting. Bless those who long to be fathers and those for whom this day is difficult. Bless those who have lost a spouse to death, separation, or divorce, and who are parenting their children alone. Strengthen all Dads by your love that they may become the loving, caring persons they are meant to be.

> Grant this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS go out to Fr. Donatus who celebrates his birthday on Father's Day. We wish him a very happy birthday. May God bless him richly, now and always.