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This week at the Co-Cathedral: Year: C (I)

Sun 27th April.	2nd SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)
5:30 p.m. (Sat.)	Vigil Mass: Anthony Eaton (RIP)
08:00	Mass: Fr. Jerzy Popietuszek (RIP)
10:00	Mass: People of the Parish
11:15	Baptism:
Mon. 28th	Monday of 2nd Week of Eastertide NO MASS
Tues. 29th	St. Catherine Of Siena (Memorial) NO MASS
Weds. 30th	Wednesday of 2nd Week of Eastertide
09:30	Mass: St. Joseph's Cathedral School Staff & Pupils
Thurs. 1st May	St. Joseph the Worker (Memorial) NO MASS
Fri. 2nd	St. Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor (Memorial)
09:15	Mass: Rev. Fr. Michael Burke (RIP)
Sat. 3rd	SS. PHILIP & JAMES, APOSTLES (Feast) NO MORNING MASS
17:30	Vigil Mass: Rose & Henry Gronert (RIP)
Sun 4th	3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER
08:00 (Sun.)	Mass Malcolm Stafford (RIP)
10:00	Mass: People of the Parish

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.

THE 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 I fly to thee, O Virgin of Virgins, My Mother.
To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.
O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions but in
thy mercy hear and answer me.
Amen.

Pray for them

Let us remember the sick in our homes & hospitals Deacon Tony
Lawrence, Teresa Williams, Ian Williams, Lee Ellery, Taylor Mai,
Heather Mitchell, Neil Andrew Francis, Gary Lewis, Tom Bright,
Maralyn Brain, Christopher Browne, Helena Hughes, Brian
Thomas, Lynda Rees, Candida Felicio, Nora Kennedy, Patrick
(Paddy) Colclough, Eileen Morgan, Eileen Griffiths, Angela Flynn,
Melanie Kennedy, Rita Lewis, Betty Fry and all the sick. May the
Lord lay his healing hands upon them.

ANNIVERSARIES: Rev. Fr. Eric Wastell, Eileen Sargent, Francesca
Rosa Gambatesa.

Holy Father's Intention for April: "For the use of the new technologies. Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times."



Sanctuary Lights

1. Special Intention (FML)
2. Special Intention (F & M C)

NOTICES

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED (Deceased): Charles & May Pitson; May & Charles Pitson; Stafford Humphreys. Katie Hacche; Carol Harris; Luigi De Marco; Pamela De Marco

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other): Kingsley McCarthy

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS: Special Intention: FML; Special Intention: F & MC

THE VISITATION of the pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima together with the relics of the shepherd children, Saints Jacinta and Francisco next Saturday, 3rd May. Please see opposite for the day's programme. Please try to make time to come along for at least part of the day. We're very blessed to be able this Visitation. The statue and Relics are not due to visit Cardiff Cathedral until 2026.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025: The next class is Monday 28th April, Venue: Holy Family Hall.

CONFIRMATION 2025: The next Confirmation Class takes place at 3 p.m. on Sunday 11th May. Venue: Library of Clergy House.

LECTIO DIVINA: Thursdays 7 p.m. Venue: Library of Clergy House.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN . . .

Please parents . . . noisy children disrupt Mass and make it difficult for others to focus. Please seat your children close to you and in an area where they can be more easily managed e.g. near the exit. Once your child shows signs of becoming noisy/disruptive, then please take them briefly outside into the porch. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.

Canon Benedict

MESSAGE OF THANKS AND APPRECIATION

I am deeply grateful for the Easter gifts and the birthday presents I received last week. The get-together in the Library after the Mass was the proverbial icing on the cake.

Your generosity fills my heart with love and warmth, and your prayers are a cherished blessing. Each parishioner holds a special place in my heart, reminding me of the power of kindness and support we share. You are always in my thoughts and prayers.

God bless.

Canon Benedict

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY HOLY CROSS PARISH, GENDROS, SA5 8BR

1:00-2.30 p.m. Confessions
2.30 p.m. Blessing of image & Exposition
3:00 p.m. Chaplet of Divine Mercy & Benediction
3:30 p.m. Holy Mass

The response to . . .

"Open our eyes, Lord: . . . " is
"to see things your way."

HYMNS

You will find this week's hymn numbers displayed on the hymn board.

WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA

Visitation of the National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima & the Relics of Ss Jacinta & Francisco

ST. JOSEPH'S CO-CATHEDRAL, SWANSEA
Saturday - 3rd May 2025

PROGRAMME

- 10:00 Welcome
10:10 Procession of Pilgrim Statue & Relics
10:20 Enthronement, Crowning, Reception of Relics,
10:30 **SOLEMN MASS** – Chief Celebrant, His Excellency Archbishop Mark O'Toole, Cardiff Menevia Archdiocese.
- NB:** Two collections will be taken at Mass . . .
1st Collection – for the Co-cathedral;
2nd Collection – towards the expenses of cathedral visitations in England and Wales.
- 12:00 Veneration of the Relics of Ss Francisco & Jacinta
12:30 Lunch – Refreshments in the Parish Hall
13:30 Docu-film on "Fatima: Message for the World"
13:45 Talk on the Message of Fatima
14:00 Recitation & Reflection on the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary
14:30 Visit to the book table where Fatima merchandise will be available to purchase.
15:00 Divine Mercy Chaplet
16:30 Enrolment & Investiture of the Brown Scapular
17:00 End of visit
17:30 Vigil Mass of 3rd Sunday of Easter

IMPORTANT INFORMATION