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*Times and Intentions of Holy Mass for the Coming week*

Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> May <i>Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity</i>	5:00pm <b>5.30pm</b>	Confessions Alan Jones RIP (Mary Clare Pitson)
Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup> May <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>	8:00am 10.00am	Canon Jason Jones RIP Pro Populo ( <i>For the People</i> )
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June <i>St Justin</i>	<b>9:30am</b> 10:00am	Ordination thanksgiving <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	<b>NO MASS</b>	
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June <i>St Charles Lwanga and companions</i>	6:00pm <b>6:30pm</b>	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i> Joy Onyemegbulem RIP (Elvira)
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>9:30am</b> 10:00am	Allen Banks RIP Anniv. (Pat Banks) <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June <i>St Boniface</i>	<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Funeral Mass of Rev Canon Jason Jones RIP</b>
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> June <i>Vigil of Corpus Christi</i>	5:00pm <b>5.30pm</b>	Confessions Alan Jones RIP (Marian Tennant)
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> June <i>Corpus Christi</i>	8:00am 10.00am	Myrtle Thomas RIP Pro Populo ( <i>For the People</i> )

**Baptism Information:** is available in the porch. Please complete the form after reading the information and then arrangements can be made for parents to attend a short course before a date for baptism is arranged.

***Please pray for those who are unwell:***  
Deacon Tony Lawrence, Teresa Williams, Ian Williams, Lee Ellery, Taylor Mai, Heather Mitchell, Neil Andrew Francis, Gary Lewis, Tom Bright, Maralyn Brain, Christopher Browne, Brian Thomas, Lynda Rees, Candida Felicio, Nora Kennedy, Patrick (Paddy) Colclough, Eileen Morgan, Eileen Griffiths, Melanie Kennedy, Rita Lewis, Danielle Jones; Donald Pitson, Pat Durran, Barbara Watts, Neil Rooney, Pat Dee and all the sick.

**OFFERINGS FOR SUNDAY:**  
24<sup>th</sup> May 1st Collection (Loose Plate) **£804.60**  
If you would like to make your offertory donation on line by BACS please contact the office for our bank details. Alternatively, there is a Standing Order form from the porch, or on our website if you wish to set up a regular payment. There is also the collection at Mass each week.  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH.**

**Church Cleaning:** Thank you to all who have said they would like to be part of a cleaning rota to clean the Cathedral!! Please sign the large sheet in the porch, so a rota can be made. Thank you for your generosity!! DIOLCH!!



***Please pray for the repose of the Soul of:*** Canon Jason Jones who died recently, Alan Jones, Joy Onyemegbulem, Simon Hole, and all the faithful departed.  
***RIP anniversaries:*** Olive Barrett, Bryn Hopkins, Dennis O'Sullivan, Anthony Dalton, Terrance Courtney, Lesley Phillips, Therese Pitman, Terence Rees, Maureen Lucas, Kenneth Lambert, Luigi Giampietro, Frederick Crawley, Hilda Thomas, and all the faithful departed.

***Sanctuary Lamps are lit for:***  
Madeline & George Harris RIP



**Mass Intention Requests:** There are still a number of Mass Intentions that have been given in some time ago. I am trying to combine them with more recent requests, so sorry for any delays in publishing intentions.

***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.

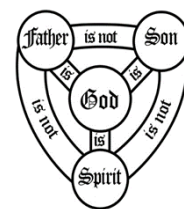


**Fr Phillip writes...** The Feast of Pentecost was a truly great celebration, both in our liturgy and in our parish celebration in the hall afterwards—thank you to all who made it so welcoming and joyous!

Through our Baptism into the life of the Holy Trinity, we are not only washed clean and made new creations in Christ, but our giftedness is sealed with God's life. We are made members of His body—we are called to be Holy. True holiness is expressed in our everyday life, through kindness and love. Let us live these gifts daily. As we enter the "Ordinary Time" of the Church Calander, we acknowledge that we are daily brought into the extraordinary life of the Holy Trinity in our day to day lives. May our days reflect the grace and life of the Holy Trinity we live as we live our Baptism.

*God bless you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit - Amen.*

**The Holy Trinity:** Is at the very heart of our Christian Faith – It IS our belief in God (Father, Son and Holy Spirit – Three persons – One God).



We celebrate their unity as being the foundation of our unity as a community of Faith. Let us look to our unity within our families, and do our best to reflect the unity of the Holy Trinity in the way we show and live the love we have for those who are closest to us.

If it is not the practice at home to eat a meal or spend quality time together as a family, then this may be a wonderful opportunity to do so as we celebrate this great feast of Divine Unity and Love.

May the love that flows from the unity of the Holy Trinity, inspire our hearts to build families and communities of unity and peace.

**The Month of May:** is dedicated by the Church to our Blessed Lady, in seeking her intercession.

It is a good opportunity to make extra effort to pray the Rosary daily, and to remind ourselves of the role of Mary Mother of Christians, as was proclaimed from the Cross.

Please pray the rosary each day during this Month of May, and

please remember in your prayers, those of our Parish who are unwell or housebound.

On the 13th of May in 2017, the Holy Father canonised two of the little children who received the visions of Our Lady at Fatima, and commended devotion to our Lady to the whole Church, asking that we ask for the prayers of Our Lady to bring about peace in our world.

That need for peace is as great today as ever it was in the past. Let us pray especially for peace in Ukraine and also in the Holy Land, as well as in our own hearts and homes!

**If you would like the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to come to your home for a week, please sign the sheet in the porch, and one of the Legion of Mary will be in touch to arrange a visit!**



***Of your charity, pray for the repose of the soul of Canon Jason Jones RIP***

On Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May, the sad news of The death of Canon Jason Jones was announced. He had only a few days earlier celebrated his 56<sup>th</sup> birthday, and died peacefully in his sleep.

Canon Jason was made a Canon of the Cathedral Chapter of St Joseph, and later became a Canon of the Archdiocese of Cardiff-Menevia. He was a greatly loved parish priest of the Sacred Heart Church in Morryston, and a much-respected priest of the Diocese.

The news of his death has been greeted with shock from so many, as it was so unexpected, and he appeared to be in excellent physical health.

Please pray for the repose of his soul, but also for the strength and consolation of his Mother, Brother, family and friends, together with his parish community.

Many people will know him from his tireless work as Chaplain to Morryston Hospital, following in the footsteps of Canon Morrissey, who Canon Jason cared for and helped greatly.

His devotion to the Divine Mercy of our Saviour, and the intercession of the Great Mother of God, has been Canon Jason's strength throughout his priesthood. May they be for us all our strength in grief.

*Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him, May he rest in Peace. Amen.*



**Thank you - Diolch:** to all who helped and all who attended our parish celebration last weekend!

It was so good to see people coming together to celebrate and get to know new people. It would be wonderful to do this on a regular basis!

May God fill us with the joy and hope of the Holy Spirit.



**Would you like to pray the Rosary before Mass?:** The Legion of Mary have kindly agreed to start the rosary before Mass on Saturday evening, and Sunday Morning (10am). Please speak to one of the Legion of Mary members if you would like to help.

**Cathedral Clean:** After Mass on Wednesday Evening – Please can you help?

***Funeral arrangements are:***

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 4:30pm – Reception of Canon Jason's body at Sacred Heart, Morryston**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June at 11:00am – Requiem Mass at St Joseph's Co. Cathedral**

*"Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit: not in their names, for there is only one God, the almighty Father, his only Son and the Holy Spirit: the Most Holy Trinity." Catechism of the Catholic Church 233.*