



Parish of St. Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes

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Parish Newsletter



Week beginning 8th/9th July 2017 The Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time are on page 99 of the Mass Book.

Memorial Candle - No one has requested the Memorial Candle to be lit this week. If you would like to donate the candle to remember your loved ones, £5 to cover the cost of the candle, place your donation in an envelope with your family name clearly written on the envelope.

Parish Statue of Our Lady of Fatima - Many thanks to all those who have signed up to welcome the Parish Statue of Our Lady of Fatima into their homes. Last week the Matthews Family received the statue. This week the statue will be with the Hopkins Family.

Rest in Peace - Please remember in your prayers Miss Margaret Mary Marsh who died recently. Miss Marsh's Requiem Mass takes place at St. Teilo's at 10am on Friday, July 14th.

Parking in the Pub Car Park - The weekend before last, the Landlord of the Fox and Hounds contacted Canon to raise a concern about parking in the pub car park. Please remember that this is a private car park and any parking needs to take account of the needs of the pub's customers. It is a kindness and courtesy that allows our parishioners to park there, so we need to be considerate in return. On the weekend concerned, the Landlord had two bookings where the people did not turn up because they were not able to park in the pub car park because it was full of churchgoers' cars. Please remember to respect the needs of the pub when parking in the car park.

New to the Parish - It is very nice to welcome new members to the Parish. If you have recently started attending Mass at St. Teilo's or Our Lady of Lourdes, please fill in one of the slips at the back of the Church to provide your name and address so that you can be added to the Parish Census.

Ordinations to the Priesthood

Please keep in your prayers those who are preparing for ordination to the Priesthood in the Archdiocese. Rev. Daniel Stanton will be ordained at 12 noon on July 22nd and Rev. Peter McLaren will be ordained at 12 noon on July 29th. Each ordination will take place at St. David's Cathedral and all parishioners are welcome to attend to support our new priests.

Llandaff North Council of Churches - The Llandaff North Council of Churches "Holiday at Home" takes place at All Saints Church Hall, Llandaff North on Friday, July 28th between 10am and 3pm. Anyone who wishes to attend needs to sign the list at the back of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, so that the organisers know the numbers for catering.

Teen Reps Wanted!

We're looking for young people in our parish to start a youth ministry team! Currently, after our teens have made their Confirmation, there's nothing for them to plug into. We'd like to arrange events for the youth of the parish every few months and need a team of volunteers. We want our teens to plan the events and our adults to make it happen.

Teens - what do you want? Grab a couple of mates and join our team so that we can ensure we put on great events for you.

If you're interested (whether a teen or an adult) or want to know more, please email madelinepage@hotmail.co.uk or text 07875 710229.

SPUC Sponsored Walk – Thanks for Sponsorship of Brother Ambrose Jackson

Brother Ambrose, of the Oratory, undertook the SPUC's Annual Charity Walk on Sunday, June 25th. Many thanks to those from the parish who sponsored Brother Ambrose. We raised £120 at St. Teilo's and £117 at Our Lady of Lourdes for this important cause. Many thanks to Una and Margaret for co-ordinating the sponsorship in each church.

Baptism Preparation

The second session of the Baptismal preparation course will take place in the Small Hall at St Philip Evans, Pentwyn on Wednesday, July 12th, at 7.30pm.

The August Course will be at Christ the King, Llanishen on Tuesday, August 15th and Tuesday, August 22nd at 7pm.

Catholic Renewal Conference : August

The Conference takes place from August 18th to the 20th at the University of Wales Trinity St David, Carmarthen Campus. The theme of the Conference is based on Proverbs 4 v 20 – "*Be attentive and listen to My Words*".

The lead speaker this year is Andy Stayne, who has great ministry in teaching, prayer, praise and worship. Other speakers include Isaac Myers who has a great gift for teaching on prophecy and dreams. If you want to spend time worshipping the Lord, praying for your needs and the needs of the Church and the World, the Conference is for you. The weekend is friendly and informal and will give you the opportunity to mingle with others who share your faith, with inspiring talks and uplifting prayer and praise in the beautiful surroundings of the College. The Conference fee is £135 per person. Minimum deposit per person booked is £30. This includes accommodation and all meals from the Friday evening meal at 5pm through to Sunday lunch.

For a booking form, contact Mrs Pat Williams. Tel 2061 7374, email patriciamary1950@gmail.com or go online to the Welsh National Service Council for Renewal website at www.ccrw.org.uk.

Collections for 1st & 2nd July					
OLOL	6pm	St Teilo's	9am	11am	6.30pm
Gift Aid	£98-00		£244-00	£132-00	£24-00
Cash	£129-00		£240-00	£195-00	£134-00

Rector's Retirement - The Parish of St Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes wishes all the best to Reverend Chancellor Canon John Rowlands on his retirement as Rector of the Anglican Benefice of Whitchurch. Canon Rowlands has been a good friend to our parish community as well as to the wider community in Whitchurch, Rhiwbina, Birchgrove and Llandaff North. He has played an important part in Churches Together and will be missed by us all. Canon Isaac has written to Canon Rowlands on behalf of the parish and we are all asked to keep Canon Rowlands in our prayers as he and his wife begin the next stage of their life in retirement.

Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment 2018

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IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE BELOVED DISCIPLE

The Gospel-image of John the Apostle can serve as an inspiration at the beginning of this process. In the traditional reading of the Fourth Gospel, he is both an example of a young person who chooses to follow Jesus and "the disciple Jesus loved" (*Jn* 13:23; 19:26; 21:7).

"...and he looked at Jesus as he walked, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. Jesus turned, and saw them following and said to them, "What do you seek?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying; and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. One of the two who heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon, and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him, and said, "So you are Simon the son of John? You shall be called Cephas" (which means Peter) (*Jn* 1:36-39)."

In the search for meaning in their lives, the two disciples of John the Baptist hear Jesus make the penetrating question: "What do you seek?" To their reply, "Rabbi (which means Teacher), where do you live?", the Lord responds with an invitation: "Come and see" (*Jn* 1:38-39). At the same time, Jesus calls them to embark on an inner journey and to be prepared to move forward in a practical way, without really knowing where this will lead them. It will be a memorable encounter, so much so that they even remember the exact time of day (cf. *Jn* 1:39).

As a result of their courage to go and see, the disciples will experience the abiding friendship of Christ and will be able to pass each day with him. They will ponder his words and be inspired by them; and will be deeply affected and moved by his actions. John, in particular, will be called to be a witness of the Passion and Resurrection of his Master. At the Last Supper (cf. *Jn* 13.21 to 29), the intimate nature of their relationship will lead him to rest his head on Jesus' chest and to trust his every word. In following Simon Peter to the house of the high priest, John will face the night of suffering and loneliness (cf. *Jn* 18:13-27). At the foot of the Cross, he will endure the profound grief of his Mother, entrusted to him, while accepting the responsibility of taking care of her (cf. *Jn* 19:25-27). On Easter morning, he will share with Peter the frenzied yet hope-filled race towards the empty tomb (cf. *Jn* 20:1-10). Finally, during the miraculous draught of fish at the Sea of Galilee (cf. *Jn* 21:1-14), he will recognise the Risen Lord and will give testimony to the entire community. John's example can be of assistance in understanding that the vocational experience is a gradual process of inner discernment and growth in the faith, which leads to discovering the fullness of the joy of life and love, making a gift of oneself and participating in the proclamation of the Good News.

Mass attendance on Sunday 1st/2nd July 2017
OLOL 6pm -74, St. Teilo's 9am - 136, 11am - 121, 6.30pm - 78

Confessions - Saturday: St. Teilo's 10.30 - 11am
 OLOL 5.15pm - 5.45pm

Mass Times / Intentions Week Beginning 8th/9th July 2017			
Sat 8th July 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Private Intention
Sun 9th July 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time	St.T.	9am	For the People of the Parish
	St.T.	11am	Dr Mary Conroy RIP (Ann & John)
	St.T.	6.30pm	Johanna Daly (Anniversary) (EJ)
Mon 10th July	St.T.	10am	Thomas and Winifride Mullins
Tue 11th July St Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe	St.T.	10am	For the wellbeing of Fr. Anthony
Wed 12th, July St John Jones, Priest, Martyr	O.L.O.L.	7pm	Holy Souls
Thu 13th July	St.T.	10am	Ellen Farrell (Anniversary) (BMWf)
Fri 14th July	O.L.O.L.	10am	Requiem Mass for Margaret Mary Marsh
Sat 15th July St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	St.T.	10am	Peggy and Harry Winstanley (Anniversary) (BMWf)
Sat 15th July 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	John Peter Morgan (SJM)
Sun 16th July 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time	St.T.	9am	Private Intention
	St.T.	11am	For the People of the Parish
	St.T.	6:30pm	Deceased Relatives and Friends

FATIMA - 100 Years' Anniversary Film - The film, 'The 13th Day – A Story of Hope', will be held in the Mostyn Room at St. David's Cathedral, Cardiff on Thursday, July 13th from 7.30 - 9pm. For more information visit <http://www.sdcrf.org.uk/fatima100years.htm>

Catholic Singles

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) to meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information visit www.catholicssingles.org.uk or tel. 0161 941 3498

Your prayers are asked please for all the sick and housebound in the parish, for our deceased priests of the Diocese: Fr. Patrick Fitzsimmons, Fr. Colin Henneberry and Fr. Sean Kearney, and for all our departed whose anniversaries occur this week: Veronica (Vera) Thomas, Raymond Rogers, Terence Stephens, Bernard Summers, Albert Melia, Elizabeth Steele, Catherine Stephens, Percy Roberts, Augustine Aherne, Charles Vassal, Stephen Anderson, Jeffrey Witcombe, Barbara Reakes, Doris Owen, Mary O'Brien, James Mahoney, Phillip Ruby, Ellen Farrell, Phyllis Clark, Caroline McIvor, Thomas Peckham, Joseph Linane and John Fitzpatrick. Please inform Canon Isaac of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive Communion at home.