

ST. TEILO'S



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

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Parish Newsletter



Week beginning 27th—28th May 2017

The Ascension of the Lord

Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Vigil of the Ascension on Saturday evening are on page 271 Of the Mass Book and for the Ascension on Sunday on page 272.

World Communications Day

Today, the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord is kept by the Church as World Communications Sunday. This reflects the mandate that Jesus gave us that we should "Go out to the whole world and proclaim the Good News". A particular intention for our prayer and support this year is for those who work in the Catholic Communications Network. This is the central point for media enquiries and a key resource for national and international media professionals who seek instant information about the Church and religious matters, especially in Wales and England. CCN plays a crucial role in correcting factual inaccuracies and in educating those who work in the secular media in relation to people of faith. CCN is involved in developing the public profile of the Church, not least through word and image both online and offline. It works on carefully selected campaigns such as www.artofdyingwell.org/. Please keep the message of the Church in your prayers today.

Rest in Peace

Please remember in your prayers Veronica Thomas (née Foley) and Daniel Charles Rooney, who both died recently. Veronica was brought up in this parish but has lived in Manchester for many years. Veronica's Funeral Service takes place on Friday at 1pm at St. Teilo's followed by internment at Pantmawr Cemetery at 2.30pm. Daniel's funeral takes place at Thornhill on Friday at 10.15am.

Apostles' Creed

At weekday Mass during the Easter season, we use the Apostles' Creed as a reminder of the Easter Faith of the Church.

Rosary

During May, the month of Our Lady we will say five decades of the Rosary before each weekday Mass.

Memorial Candle

The candle burning in front of the Book of Remembrance this week is in memory of the deceased members of the Jones Family.

Coffee Morning at St. Teilo's – Mass at 9.30am

Friday, June 2nd is the first Friday of the month and so Mass at 9.30am will be followed by a coffee morning in the Hall. All are welcome to come along for a cuppa and a chat.

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 Peter and Chris Searle received the statue. This week, it will be with Anna and Thomas Dev.

Guild of St Stephen

Next weekend, two of our Altar Servers are being enrolled into the Guild of St Stephen at the 6pm Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes. We take this opportunity to thank David Barnett and Jacob Butcher for their on-going commitment to serving the Mass and ask for God's blessing on them as they are enrolled into the Altar Servers' Guild.

Baptism Preparation Course

The next [Baptism Preparation Course takes place on Thursday, June 8th and Thursday, June 15th](#), at 7pm in the church hall at St. Teilo's.

For Catholics aged 13 – 29

Please complete the "Youth Poll" as soon as possible.

In preparation for next year's Synod on Youth, Faith and Vocational Discernment, the Church wants to understand the need and expectations of members of the Church who are between 13 and 29 years old. If you are in this age group, please fill out the survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/parish-youth-poll>. If you are over this age and would like to help, please encourage young people to respond to this poll.

The Bread of God's Word: Music in the Service of the Gospel

The Society of Saint Gregory has arranged a 'Music in the Liturgy' day on Saturday, June 3rd between 10am and 3.30pm at St. David's Priory, Swansea. The day will be led by Bob Hurd, who will be introducing some new settings of the Mass and other songs and choral items that can be used in the service of the gospel. The cost of the day is £10. Please bring a packed lunch. If you would like to go, email jennifer.burridge@ssg.org.uk or phone 01792 775598.

Pentecost Vigil at St. Helen's Barry – June 3rd 2017

On Pentecost Sunday, June 4th, Pope Francis is celebrating the 50th anniversary of the beginning of the Charismatic Renewal in the Catholic Church. Here in our Archdiocese, a day of prayer, adoration, talks and Holy Mass to celebrate the new outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Church, is taking place on the Eve of Pentecost, Saturday, June 3rd at St. Helen's Church, Barry. The event will be led by Rev. Dr. (Fr) John Mockler and takes place from 9:30am-midnight. All are welcome to come along for as little or as much of the day as you choose.

Mass Attendance for May 20th—21st

OLOL 6.00pm - 64, St Teilo 9.00am 141, 11.00am 145, 6.30pm - 78

COLLECTION FOR 20th—28th May 2017

		CASH	GIFT AID
OLOL		£ 87	£128
ST Teilo	9.00am	£217	£186
	11.00am	£196	£216
	6.30pm	£136	£ 58

Wales and the Marches Catholic History Society - Annual History Day

This will take place on Saturday, June 10th at St David's College Cardiff. It starts with Mass at 10am.

Speakers: 11.15am Rev Dr Trystan Owain-Hughes: "Winds of Change Revisited: New Perspectives on the Catholic Church in Wales in the Twentieth Century".

2.15pm Professor Madeleine Gray "Sin, Mercy, Death and the Gallant: the Llancarfan wall paintings as a coherent scheme".

The cost for the day is £10 for members and £12.50 for non-members. This will include lunch, teas, coffees, pastries and a glass of wine. All are most welcome to come along. For more information please contact: Tricia Coulthard - triciacoulthard@outlook.com; Tel: 2059 5899

Social Event

We will have a parish Social Event for all those who helped in contributing to the preparation and celebration of the Holy Week and Easter liturgies. The event will take place on Thursday, June 15th at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall. It will take the form of a Bring and Share supper. Wine and soft drinks will be provided.

Corpus Christi Procession

The Annual Corpus Christi Procession is taking place at Nazareth House on Sunday, June 18th at 3pm. All are welcome to attend.

Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg – Mass in Welsh

The regular weekly Mass in Welsh will come to an end on June 18th, the feast of Corpus Christi. There may be occasional Masses celebrated in the Welsh language, but the regular

Mass for New Catholics

This year's Mass for New Catholics will take place at St David's Cathedral on Pentecost Sunday, June 4th at 5.30pm. All parishioners of the Archdiocese are welcome to attend this event, which is celebrated with all those who became Catholics across the Archdiocese this Easter.

Your prayers are asked please for all the sick and housebound in the parish, and for all our departed whose anniversaries occur this week: Sylvia James, Henry Robertson, Gwendoline Rogers, Nancy Hughes, Mary O'Neill, Donald Carne, Elizabeth Collins, Ava Maria Vaughan (baby), Florence Robinson, Elizabeth Perry, David A'Herne, Margery Arnold, Iolanda Hodgkinson, Alice Clarkson, Agnes Lenehan, Catherine Saunders, Bridget O'Conner, Sally Andrews, John Cotter, Edward Singleton, James McCarthy, Elizabeth Carne, Baby Codi Yaxley, Mark Canning, Elizabeth Wheatley, Ellen Pudney, Dorothy Fagan and Sarah Andrews. Please inform Canon Isaac of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive Communion at home.

Confessions Saturday: St. Teilo's - 10.30-11.00am OLOL - 5.15-5.45pm

**Mass Times/Intentions - for Weekend 27th—28th May 2017
The Ascension of the Lord**

Saturday, 27 th May Vigil of the Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)	OLOL	6.00pm	Private Intention
Sunday, 28th May The Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)	St Teilo	9.00am	Fr Robbie MacCabe St Lucy—For favours received
		11.00am	Private Intentions
		4.30pm	Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg
		6.30pm	For the People of the Parish
Monday, 29th May	St Teilo	10.00am	Tony Mullens
Tuesday, 30th May	St Teilo	10.00am	Mairead Sutherland
Wednesday, 31st May The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	OLOL	7.00pm	Frank Fenlon RIP (Peter and Chris)
Thursday, 1st June St Justin, Martyr	St Teilo	10.00am	Bunty Kear, Liz Milles and Marion Hunt RIP
Friday, 2nd June Sts Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs	St Teilo	9.30am	John Salter, (Anniversary) (MS)
	St Teilo	1.00pm	Funeral Service for Veronica Thomas
Saturday, 3rd June St Charles Lwanga and Companions	St Teilo	10.00am	Bernard Edwards (ME)
Saturday, 3rd June Vigil of Pentecost, Solemnity	OLOL	6.00pm	Kitty and Jim Daughton (Rita)
Sunday, 4th June Pentecost Sunday, Solemnity	St Teilo	9.00am	Kay and Bill Penbridge (RMT)
		11.00am	John Price-Jones
		4.30pm	Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg
		6.30pm	For the People of the Parish