



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

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Parish Newsletter



Week beginning 29th/30th July 2017 The Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time are on page 108 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 Walters Family received the statue. This week the statue will be with Yvonne Butcher and Family.

Annual Pilgrimage to the Grave of St John Kemble

This year's pilgrimage is on Sunday, August 20th, starting at 10.15am from St Mary's Church, Monmouth after the 9.15am Mass. Everybody is welcome. Please bring a packed lunch. At 3pm meet for Rosary, readings and prayers at St John Kemble's grave in the churchyard at Welsh Newton. Benediction is at 4.15pm in St Mary's Church, Monmouth and afterwards, tea will be served in the garden and produce sold. People have prayed at St John Kemble's grave from the time of his martyrdom in 1679 to the present day. Please come along and join us. Any enquiries to Mrs M. Walsh (01600 713316)

Summer in The Forest - Screenings

Randall Wright's film **Summer in the Forest** (108 min. PG) is a documentary film about L'Arche Community founded by Jean Vanier. There will be screenings across the UK between June 23rd and July 31st and in Cardiff, you have the opportunity to watch it on Monday, July 31st at 6pm, at CHAPTER Film, Market Road, Canton, Cardiff, CF5 1QE. Tel: 02920 304400. The film is in French with English subtitles. For further information and to book tickets, please visit: www.summerintheforest.com where you can also watch a trailer of this documentary film.

Baptism Preparation

The August Baptismal preparation course will take place at Christ the King, Llanishen on Tuesday, August 15th and Tuesday, August 22nd at 7pm.

Mass attendance on Sunday 22nd/23rd July 2017
 OLOL 6pm -76, St. Teilo's 9am - 131, 11am - 128, 6.30pm - 92

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.

Damian Stayne - Day of Healing and Reconciliation at Corpus Christi High School

All are welcome to this day of Prayer, Praise & Worship, Reconciliation, Holy Mass and Healing at Corpus Christi High School on Saturday, September 2nd from 9am to 5pm. The day will provide an opportunity to experience God working in a visible miracle or in the quietness of our hearts. It is a sign to us of His great love for us and it fills us with wonder. We know that He cares intimately about us; we know that He is our fulfilment and source of joy. These truths heal us and set us free so that the Holy Spirit can bear fruit in us and through us. The day will be led by Damian Stayne, who founded the Vatican-endorsed organisation Cor et Lumen Christi Community twenty years ago. He has an international ministry of preaching, physical healing and ministering to people the love and glory of God.

The Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies (CCRS)

This is designed for people who are engaged in the communication of their Catholic Faith, whether directly or indirectly. It is open to Catechists, people involved in liturgical work and other interested adults. The CCRS can provide general theological knowledge and offer a better understanding of the Catholic faith. For more details, contact Fr. Bernard Sixtus or Madeline Page at the Pastoral Resources Centre, 910 Newport Road, Cardiff CF3 4LL. Phone 2036 5965 or email ccrs@rcadc.org

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

Collections for 22nd & 23rd July					
OLOL	6pm	St Teilo's	9am	11am	6.30pm
Gift Aid	£92-70		£202-00	£151-10	£58-50
Cash	£141-69		£184-16	£196-05	£137-50

Preparatory Document for the Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment 2018

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Personal and Institutional Points of Reference

Various research studies show that young people have a need for persons of reference, who are close by, credible, consistent and honest, in addition to places and occasions for testing their ability to relate to others, both adults and peers, and dealing with their feelings and emotions. Young people look for persons of reference who are able to express empathy and offer them support, encouragement and help in recognising their limits, but without making them feel they are being judged.

From this vantage point, the role of parents and families is crucial yet sometimes problematic. The older generations often tend to underestimate young people's potential. They emphasise their weaknesses and have trouble understanding the needs of those who are very young. Parents and adult educators can also be aware of their own mistakes and know what they would not want young people to do. However, oftentimes they do not have a clear idea of how to help young people focus on the future. In this regard, the two most common reactions are, preferring not to say anything and imposing their own choices. Absent or overprotective parents make their children more unprepared to face life and tend to underestimate the risks involved or are obsessed by a fear of making mistakes.

Young people, however, are not seeking reference persons among adults only; they have a strong desire for reference persons among their peers. Consequently, they need opportunities for free interaction with them, to be able to express their feelings and emotions, to learn in an informal manner and to experiment with roles and abilities without stress and anxiety.

Young people, cautious by nature of those who are outside their circle of personal relationships, oftentimes nourish mistrust, indifference or anger towards institutions. This is not just about society but increasingly affects educational institutions and the Church as an institution. They would like the Church to be closer to people and more attentive to social issues, but realise that this will not happen immediately.

All this takes place in a context where sectarian membership and religious practice more and more characterise young people. Though young people are not in open "opposition", they learn to live "without" the God presented by the Gospel and "without" the Church and to rely on alternative and minimally institutionalised forms of religion and spirituality or to take refuge in sects or religious experiences with a strong affiliation. In many places, the presence of the Church is becoming less widespread and, consequently, more difficult to encounter, while the dominant culture is the bearer of needs oftentimes at odds with Gospel values, whether it be elements of their tradition or the local reality of globalisation, which is characterised by consumerism and an overemphasis on the individual.

Towards a Hyper-Connected Generation

Today, the younger generation is characterised by its relationship with the modern technologies of communication and what is normally called the "virtual world", which has very real effects. This "virtual world" provides potential access to a range of opportunities, which previous generations did not enjoy, but not without its risks. Nevertheless, it is very important to focus on how the experience of technologically mediated relations might structure the conception of the world, reality and interpersonal relationships. On this basis, the Church is called upon to evaluate her pastoral activity, which needs to develop an appropriate culture.

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

Mass Times / Intentions Week Beginning 29th/30th July 2017			
Sat 29th July 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Reg Williams RIP
Sun 30th July 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time	St.T.	9am	Mairead Sutherland
	St.T.	11am	For the People of the Parish
	St.T.	6.30pm	Private Intention
Mon 31st July St. Ignatius of Loyola	St.T.	10am	Dorothy Calderbank (M&RT)
Tue 1st August St. Alphonsus Mary Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	St.T.	10am	Breege Walsh (TW)
Wed 2nd August	O.L.O.L.	7pm	Deceased Family & Friends
Thu 3rd August St. Germanus of Auxerre, Bishop	St.T.	10am	Reg Williams RIP
Fri 4th August St. John Mary Vianney, Priest	St.T.	10am	Private Intention
Sat 5th August The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major	St.T.	10am	Holy Souls
Sat 5th August The Transfiguration of the Lord (Feast)	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Canon Francis Mulvey (Anniversary)
Sun 6th August The Transfiguration of the Lord (Feast)	St.T.	9am	Tom Burns & Pat O'Shea
	St.T.	11am	Holy Souls
	St.T.	6:30pm	For the People of the Parish

Your prayers are asked please for all the sick and housebound in the parish, for our deceased priests of the Diocese: Fr. Gerald Chidgey and Fr. John O'Flaherty, and for all our departed whose anniversaries occur this week: Ellen Fitzgerald, Charles Hallinan, Eileen Edmunds, William Morris, Frank Lane, Edward Maguire, Bridget Lloyd, Florence Robinson, Ellen Bowes, Eleanor Mason, Margaret Ford, Henry Close, Margaret Lynch, Delphena Parry, Paul Silva, Esther Bloxsome, Augustine Reames (baby), William Stephens, George Fowler, Peter Thomas, Florence Willicome, Elizabeth Tennent, Joshua Allen, Bosco O'Callaghan, Jack Corless, Rosa Mannerings, Anthony Furnham, Josephine Azzopardi, Ethel Carey, Martha Rees, Harold Hourahane, Kathleen Downing, Elizabeth Davies and Raphael Evans. Please inform Canon Isaac of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive Communion at home.