

24th Sunday in Ordinary time – 11th September 2022

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

At Mass over this weekend we remember and give thanks for the life and reign of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. We give thanks for her faithful witness to the importance of the Christian faith in her life and we pray that His Majesty King Charles III may be strengthened and encouraged by her example and that he and the Royal Family may find in Christ comfort and consolation in their loss.

Prayers from the Catholic Bishops' Conference

For HM Queen Elizabeth II

Almighty God, You are the Author and Sustainer of all human life; grant that Your servant, Elizabeth our Queen, whom You granted a long and happy reign as Monarch of these lands may be forgiven her sins and rewarded with that eternal life promised to all those born again in the water of baptism and power of Your Spirit. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

For the Royal Family

Almighty God, source of all consolation, we pray for the members of the Royal Family who mourn the loss of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth. Uphold them in Your love and pour out upon them the consolation of Your healing Spirit. Let them find in Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, comfort in their sadness, certainty in their doubt and courage to live through this hour. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

For the King

O God, to Whom every human power is subject, grant to Your servant His Majesty the King wisdom in the exercise of his high office, so that always revering You and striving to please You, he may constantly secure and preserve for the people entrusted to his care the freedom that comes from unity and peace. Through our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Archbishop Mark will preside at Mass for Queen Elizabeth this Wednesday evening (14th) at 6-00 p.m. at St. Joseph's Cathedral – to which all are invited.

Next Sunday (18th September) We welcome Archbishop Mark who will preside at our 10-30 a.m. Mass here in St. Joseph's.

Mass Intentions this Sunday: (11th September) **Saturday (St. John Kemble) 4-00 p.m. Sion Evans (RIP); (St. Joseph's) 6-00p.m. Parish & People; **Sunday** 10-30a.m. David & Hannah Davies (Sp.Int.).**

Weekday Mass Intentions: Wednesday (14th) 9-30 a.m. (St. Joseph's) Ann Moruzzi (RIP) (Remo); 11-00 a.m. (St. John Kemble) Maria (Sp. Int.), Rita Thomas (RIP) and the Castaldi family (Jonathan & Barrie).

Mass Intentions next Sunday (18th September) – Saturday 4-00 p.m. (St. John Kemble) Parish & People; 6-00p.m. (St. Joseph's) Brian Collins (RIP) (Agnes); **Sunday 10-30 a.m. (St. Joseph's) **We welcome Archbishop Mark to preside at Mass.** Ann Moruzzi (RIP) (SVP).**

Readers: This Sunday (11th September) This Sunday (11th September) 6-00 p.m. Maureen McAteer; 10-30 a.m. Tommy Parel. Next Sunday (18th September) 6-00 p.m. Ceri McAteer; 10-30 a.m. Sheila Williams.

Candles: Sacred Heart – Queen Elizabeth (RIP); Our Lady – Brenda Grant (Good Health); St. Joseph – Paddy Baker (RIP)

Fr. Neil Many thanks for the many cards, prayers (gifts of food!) and good wishes. All very much appreciated. Hopefully moving towards a full recovery.

Anniversaries: Of your charity, remember in prayer those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Clementina Underwood (2006); Bernard Madden (2016); Elizabeth Wilson (2007); Beryl Crago (2019); Kevin Widlake (2021); David Hunt (2003); Maureen O'Grady (2014); Maureen Butler (2014); *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, And let light perpetual shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

Tim Murnane (RIP) Please remember Tim in your prayers and the family at this time. Funeral details to be announced. *Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.*

Clothes Exchange Party Update your wardrobe for £5-00! Yes, Ladies you can exchange 5 items of good quality clothing for 5 new to you items. Where? St. Joseph's Parish Hall **next Saturday 17th September** from 2-5 p.m.. This is just too good an opportunity to miss out on. Items of clothing to be exchanged can be dropped off at the hall on Friday 16th September between 6-7 p.m. (S.J.P.G.)

Reliquary of Relics of St. Bernadette of Lourdes at St. Joseph's Cathedral **this Monday 12 and Tuesday 13th September**. It is possible for individuals and groups (perhaps sharing a car) to register attendance on the Relic Tour website stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/ For general enquiries go to contact@stbernadette.org.uk. **Pilgrims who have not registered will not be turned away.** Further details to follow (Please see poster).

S.V.P. Appeal If you have any pre-loved trainers in good condition for men and ladies they will find a good home at Mission 25-35 who hold a breakfast club for the homeless every Saturday morning. Please bring them along or contact Angela on 01792 424168. Thank you.

Headteacher Post St. Teilo's Catholic Primary School, Tenby, are looking to appoint a full-time Headteacher starting 2nd January 2023. Salary: ISR L7 – L13. Full job description and person specification available through St. Teilo's School Website <https://stteilos.wales/head-teacher-position> plus a video of the school etc on You Tube <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vJOHvZjvOso>

Church Garden Toward the Grotto the Crab Apple Tree this year is full of apples (for making jam?). Please help yourself – take as many as you can. First come first served!

Parish Coffee Morning – every Thursday from 10 - 11-00 a.m.in the Parish Hall. Come along!

Last Sunday's Collection: St.Joseph's – £507-81 (plus Direct Debits); St.John Kemble – £39-00. Many thanks.

Second Collections This Sunday – 11th September (**Education Sunday**) the annual Diocesan Collection in support of the work of Education in the Diocese. Sunday 18th September – **Home Missions Sunday**. Sunday 25th September – **Parish S.V.P. Collection**.

The Sick and Housebound Please continue to remember in your prayers all those who are sick and housebound, those in hospital and in our local care homes. Especially at this time, Peggy Swan and Katherine Wooley (Glynneath), Jane Boland, George Johnson, Nancy Morris, Cheryl Ford, Jason Saunders, Stephen Saunders, Yolanda Jones, Elizabeth Fluck, Lorna and Joe O'Brien, Betty Hopkins, Rose Williams, Margaret Jeffrey, Dennis Taylor, Marion Brocksopp., Marlene John, if you would like others to be remembered in this prayer list (with their permission) please supply their names.

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