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**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – 13<sup>th</sup> June 2021**

**The Year of St. Joseph** A daily prayer to St. Joseph. *“Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted His only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became a man. Blessed St. Joseph, to us too, show yourself to be a father, and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen”*

**Mass Intentions this Sunday** (13<sup>th</sup> June ) **Saturday** 4-00 p.m. (St John Kemble) Parish & People; 6-00 p.m (St. Joseph’s) Mary Rees (RIP) ( Pat, Donie & family ); **Sunday** 8-00 a.m. Lawrence Macpherson-Jones (RIP) (Adrian & Paula ) 10-30a.m. Gillian Boland (RIP) ( Elias family ).

**Weekday Mass Intentions** Wednesday ( 16th June ) 9-30a.m. (St. Joseph’s) Kevin Smith (RIP) (Mike & Lorraine ); 11-00a.m. ( St. John Kemble) Desmond Courtney (RIP) ( Elizabeth, Keiron & family ); Thursday ( 17th June ) 9-30a.m. Ann Louise Macpherson (RIP) ( Adrian & Paula).

**Mass Intentions next Sunday** ( 20th June ) **Saturday** ( St. John Kemble ) 4-00p.m. Parish & People; (St. Joseph’s) 6-00p.m. Gillian Boland (RIP) ( Maureen McAteer ); **Sunday** 8-00a.m. Rose & Stanley Jones (RIP) ( Adrian & Paula); 10-30a.m. Sion Parry Evans (RIP).

**Anniversaries:** Of your charity, remember in prayer those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Edna Maguire (2009); Aldo Sterlini (2015); Kathleen Rowles (2005); Gloria Bewsher ( 2016 ); Rita Miles (2012); Kian Harries (2003 ); William Frost (2006); Mervyn Thomas (2003); James Murray (2001); Bret Webb (2010). *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, And let light perpetual shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

**Violet Hanford (RIP)** Please remember Violet in your prayers and the family at this time. Violet’s Funeral Service will be here in St. Joseph’s this Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 10-30a.m. ( Attendance by invitation only due to pandemic restrictions ). *Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen*

**Candles:** Our Lady – Scott Dale ( Good Health.); The Sacred Heart – Cheryl Piles (RIP);

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**Driveway Appeal - Goal achieved!!** Many thanks for the further donations of £1,000 and £100 to the Driveway Appeal which brings the total raised to **£60,497-50** (!!). Many thanks to all those who have so generously donated to raising this magnificent sum over the last 15 months. A great achievement in so short a time. This will now enable us to put the work of designing and tarmacking ( and lighting ) the driveway out to contract . Self congratulations in order! Many thanks to all who have so generously donated to this Appeal.

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**Wedding Bells!** Congratulations to Aimee Wellington and Sam Owen who will be married here in St. Joseph’s on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July. Please remember Aimee and Sam in your prayers.

**Many Thanks:** Deacon Jim and Marie would like to thank you for your good wishes, prayers, cards and gifts on the occasion of their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

**Landscapes of Faith Festival:** This event takes place across Wales throughout June. Discover more about Wales’ varied faith traditions, including Banwen’s connection with St. Patrick; and the “New Library” due to open soon at Llantwit Major, where St. Illtud founded Britain’s first centre of christian learning. See more on [www.landscapesoffaith.org](http://www.landscapesoffaith.org)

**The Second Collection** This weekend ( 13th June ) is in support of our Diocesan SVP Twin Diocesan SVP Group in India. Many thanks.

**S.V.P. Thank You** – Thank you to all those who have contributed towards the cost of a new garden bench for the church grounds. The polyboard bench which will be inscribed to the memory of the deceased members of the S.V.P. is expected to be delivered by the end of August.

**PLEASE NOTE** – To all stewards, readers and cleaners. **THERE IS NO OBLIGATION TO COME TO CHURCH IF YOU DO NOT FEEL SAFE OR COMFORTABLE TO DO SO.** Please let Fr. Neil know so that he can arrange a replacement. Thank you.

**Readers: This Sunday ( 13th June )** 6-00p.m. Patrick McAteer; 8-00a.m. Gregory Page; 10-30a.m. Des Nicholas.  
**Next Sunday (20<sup>th</sup> June)** 6-00p.m. Sian Loynes. 8-00a.m. Adrian & Paula Macpherson-Jones. 10-30 a.m. Barbara Hunt.

**Stewarding: This Sunday ( 13<sup>th</sup> June )** 6-00 p.m. Angela & Geraint. 8-00 a.m. Christopher and Gregory. 10-30a.m. Luke & Lena. **Next Sunday ( 20<sup>th</sup> June )** 6-00p.m. Angela & Geraint. 8-00a.m. Christopher & Gregory. 10-30a.m. John, Aimee & Olivia

**Cleaning Teams. This Sunday (13th June)** 6-00p.m. Maralyn & Nora; 8-00 a.m. Martin & Nuala; 10-30 Joan & Ann. **Next Sunday ( 20<sup>th</sup> June )** 6-00p.m. Sian & Mary; 8-00a.m. Martin & Nuala; 10-30a.m. volunteers please.

**Many thanks** - for last Sunday's Collection ( St.Joseph's ) of £459-07 ( plus direct debits ) and £121-68 ( World Communications Day ); (St.John Kemble) £20-60 and £8-00 ( World Communicatios).

**DOMSEC Livestreamed Events in 2021** A full programme of (over 25) events! See [www.domsec.org.uk](http://www.domsec.org.uk) or [www.ourladystaroftheseamumbles.org.uk](http://www.ourladystaroftheseamumbles.org.uk) to access the livestreams and click "Livestream" on the menu bar.  
**Four talks on The Spirit and Power of Elijah** by Fr Jerome Ituah on successive Tuesday nights from 6-30 – 8-30 p.m. **This Tuesday June 15<sup>th</sup>** and then the 22nd and 29<sup>th</sup>. And on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June from 11-00a.m. to 1-00p.m. **The Sacramental Economy in Sacred Scripture** by Fr.Robert Davies.

**Please Note** If you wish to reserve a particular date or day for a Mass Intention, please note that Saturday and Sunday Masses and weekday Masses are already reserved for a particular intention for the next three months **until the beginning of SEPTEMBER.** Please think several months ahead if you would like to reserve a particular date ( or nearest date ). Thank you

**A Polite Reminder (!)** – to those returning to Mass and to those who may have forgotten! Masks must be worn and hands sanitised as soon as you enter the church before going to your pew, and please continue to observe the arrow directions and not cut across the church through the pews. Thank you.

**Parish Catechists.** Pope Francis has recently established a new ministry in the life of the Church – that of the Ministry of Catechist. Other parishes are well blessed with volunteers to help prepare children for First Holy Communion and teenagers/young adults for the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you are able to offer this valuable Ministry to the Church please have a word with Fr.Neil.

**Parish Hall Committee.** We hope soon to re-establish the Parish Hall Committee and elect a Chairperson and Secretary to oversee all aspects of hall management. It will not be possible to hire out the hall until we are fully compliant with all the legal/insurance regulations covering hall maintenance and the wording of contracts which must be completed and signed by all those wishing to hire the Hall.

**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 and all those who are self-isolating because of the Pandemic. Especially at this time, Nancy Morris, Cheryl Ford, Fr. Paul Brophy, Andrew Jenkins, Jason Saunders, Tess Court, Marjorie Grant, Yolanda Jones, Elizabeth Fluck, Lorna O'Brien, Betty Hopkins. If you would like others to be remembered in this prayer list (with their permission) please supply their names.

**ANIMA CHRISTI** *Soul of Christ, sanctify me, Body of Christ save me, Blood of Christ inebriate me, Water from the Side of Christ wash me. Passion of Christ strengthen me. O Good Jesus hear me. Within Thy wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from Thee. From the malicious enemy defend me. In the hour of death call me, And bid me come to Thee, That with the Saints I may praise Thee, Now and forever. Amen.*