





PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

The Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year C) August 4th 2019

1st Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23 "Vanity of vanities." Possibly the most striking introduction to

any biblical book. The writer has come to realise that

material things give no lasting joy.

Ps 89:3-6. 12-14. 17. Rv. 1 *O Lord, you have been our refuge*

from one generation to the next.

2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-5. 9-11 A focus on the things of the life beyond this is, the non-

negotiable centre of life for those who believe in Christ.

Acclamation: Jn 17:17 Alleluia, alleluia!

Your word is truth, O Lord, Consecrate us in the truth.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 12:13-21 A family dispute is aired in public. Jesus is not impressed at

being drawn into the argument.

ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR HOME ACCESS.

TODAY (3rd/4th August). We have supported this charity for many years. They are always grateful for our generosity. There will therefore be a second collection taken at all Masses today. **Home Access** is a local charity which helps homeless people in the Vale to secure accommodation and access other services.

TOILETRIES DROP ALSO TODAY.

This will be the third drop of the year for Sister Ruth O'Neill and SPACE4U. Thank you to those who have brought in a selection of toiletries for men and women. The SPACE4U team express their gratitude to those who make donations of goods to the project and those who support their work by prayer.

ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL 2019. NEXT WEEK.

This will take place on the weekend of Aug 10th / 11th. The Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver will be here to appeal on behalf of the Sisters Missions Committee of England and Wales. They will tell us about their missionary work and will be grateful for any support we can give. We are well used to the visits of Missionary Priests and Religious to our parish and I am sure they will receive a warm welcome from us.

CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR OUR PARISHES

This week is the turn of: Saint Mary's Abertillery and Saint Mary's Brynmawr. We pray for the Parish Priest Rev. Fr. Liam Hennessy and for Saint Mary's Primary School, Brynmawr.

HAZEL DOHERTY RIP.

We have just been notified that Hazel has died and a funeral has been arranged in St. Mary's for Friday 6th September at 1pm in church, and afterwards in St. Andrew's cemetery. No other details are known at the moment. We are waiting for further information. Please keep her in your prayers.

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.

MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING (St. Joseph's)

The monthly Coffee Morning on the first Wednesday, will take place as normal this week, (7th Aug) after the 10am Mass. All welcome.

2019 SUMMER QUIZ (ST. MARY'S)

A great night was had by all on Friday 27th July in the hall. The winners were a team from St. Mary's! However the biggest winner was The Altzheimer's Society with £190.00 raised on the night.

WEEKDAY MASS IN LLANDOUGH HOSPITAL.

Fr. Peter Davies, resident Catholic chaplain in Llandough, will resume daily Mass from this week (Monday 5th August) after his summer break. Please see POSTER for daily times of Masses.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE IN HONOUR OF ST.

DAVID LEWIS. Sunday 25th August. SS Francis Xavier and David Lewis Church, Usk. Walking Pilgrimage to the place of execution and then to the grave, with Benediction at 3pm and Veneration of the relic. All Welcome. SEE POSTER

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TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY AUGUST 3RD / SUNDAY AUGUST 4TH 2019

Saturday	y August 3rd 18 th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)			
		St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Hugh O'Connor (Wilding) 399
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Sunday August 4th 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)				
•	_	St. Joseph's	9.30am	40 th Wedding Anniversary (Margaret & Maurice Flynn) 392
		St. Mary's	11.15am	Priest's Intention
BAPTISM		St. Joseph's	2.30pm	Tomos Foster Corbisiero-Peters
		St. Mary's	6.30pm	People of Our Parish Living and Dead
		Ordinar	y Time, Year I,	Week 18
Monday August 5th Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major in Rome.				
		St. Joseph's	9.30am	Norah Marsh John & Carole) 427
Tuesday August 6th The Transfiguratio			ord (Feast)	
		St. Mary's	9.30am	Tom Burns (Pauline) 411
Wednesday August 7th St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs				panions, Martyrs
		St. Joseph's	10.00am	Special Intention (Marian) [Nicola]
Thursday	ursday August 8th St. Dominic, Priest (memorial)			
		St. Mary's	9.30am	William Thomas Jones (Family) 407
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Friday	August	St. Teresa Be Patron of Eur	enedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), Virgin, Martyr, rope (Feast)	
		St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
		St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Brian Stanford (Gail) 413
Saturday August 10th St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr (Feast)				
		St. Mary's	9.30am	Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation
		St. Mary's	10.00am	Private Intention (Trow) 425
		St. Joseph's	11am – 12 noon	Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday August 10th 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)				
		St. Joseph's	5.00pm	John Morris (Sommerville) 394
Sunday August 11th 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)				
		St. Joseph's	9.30am	David Buckingham (Angela & Brian) 366
		St. Mary's	11.15am	Monica Palfrey (Kit & Mary) 419
		St. Mary's	6.30pm	People of Our Parish Living and Dead

Please note that the main door to St. Joseph's church will be closed outside of service times.