



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no.1177272

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)

11th July 2021.

1st Reading Amos 7: 12-15

Ps 84: 9-14. R/ v8.

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1: 3-14.

Acclamation: Jn 6: 63. 68.

Gospel: Mark 6: 7-13

Amos, a shepherd and a tender of sycamore trees, totally unqualified to be a prophet, is called by the Lord.

*Let us see, O Lord, your mercy
and give us your saving help.*

We are chosen in Christ “before the world was made”

*Alleluia alleluia!
Your words are spirit, Lord,
and they are life;
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia!*

Jesus sends out his twelve disciples.

You can view the full readings online at http://www.stjosephsandstmarys.com/mass_readings.html

THE LIFTING OF COVID RESTRICTIONS.

The governments in England, and in Wales, are preparing to “Lift the Covid Restrictions” in the near future, providing the “science” enables them to do so.

“**The Bishops of England and Wales** have reflected on how this decision will affect churchgoers. They recognise that some worshippers will be anxious to return to a full and free timetable of Mass and other services. Others will be anxious that safety measures will not be robust enough to ensure that rates of infection will not rise as a result of proximity in churches. Some priests fit into the category of “vulnerable” and will need to take this into account when discussing the process of further re-opening with their parishioners.

The advice of the bishops is to take a gradual and cautious approach to both the timing and the numbers enabled to come into church at any one time. This will need to be handled with tact and discretion so that a proper evaluation may be made over the summer months. The bishops are aware that the capacity to fulfil the Sunday obligation will continue to be problematic for some people in the short term. They propose that the **First Sunday of Advent** (28th November 2021) is the date when the whole Catholic community will be invited to come together again to celebrate the “Dies Domini” – the Day of the Lord”.

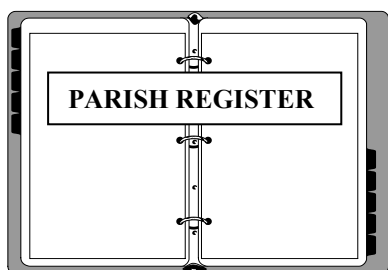
Monsignor Joe says: “Risk assessments will have to be in place at each stage of any lifting of present restrictions. The bottom line has to be: **“Is it safe to do this?”**”

SEA SUNDAY: TODAY. SECOND COLLECTION.

Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at Sea. Today’s second collection is for Stella Maris (formerly Apostleship of the Sea), the Catholic Church’s official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work. To donate and for more information, please visit: www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate or text “SEA” to 70460 to donate £5. Stella Maris is dependent on voluntary donations so please give generously. The appeal will run for the next two weeks. A special bin will be placed at the back of church for your donations as you leave. Thank you.

STREAMING AND BUFFERING.

It was reported to Monsignor Joe last weekend that the buffering of the signal during Mass on stream, was affecting the quality of the transmission for some people. This manifested itself in various ways: The image on the screen “froze”; or the sound was not in sync. Either way, the transmission was interrupted significantly and because some were unable to re-boot their devices, they had no alternative but to abandon their participation in the Mass. Mgr. Joe has spoken to the firm that installed the camera and broadband, and they are monitoring the strength of the signal and the other relevant readings. Hopefully this is something that will rectify itself. So far the readings are within the optimum range that were set when the camera and broadband were installed.



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Schools

St. Joseph's RC Primary School
Sully Road, Penarth. Tel: 029 2070 2864
Email: stjosephsps@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk

St. Richard Gwyn Catholic High School
Argae Lane, Barry. Tel: 01446 729250
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St. David's Catholic College (6th Form)
Ty Gwyn Rd. Penylan, Cardiff. CF23 6XL
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Church Hall Bookings (Suspended)
St. Joseph's – refer parish priest.
St. Mary's – refer parish priest.

Gazette Contributions by Wednesday please to:
Email: parish.gazette@gmail.com
Please note that your emails will be sent automatically from this address to Monsignor Joe and Deacon Elfed.

Archdiocesan Child Safeguarding Group
Helpline: 029 2034 3811
Contacts: St. Joseph's – Mary Taylor: 029 2065 8506
St. Mary's – Nicky Price 029 2051 4034

Emergency Sick Calls. (There are restrictions).

- (i) Hospitals: Llandough and UHW – Ask a nurse to call out the priest-on-call. (or contact the Hospital Chaplaincy on (029) 2184 3230)
- (ii) Marie Curie Hospice, (Holme Tower) Penarth, Ask a nurse to Ring the Parish Priest of the patient or ring St. Joseph's Penarth on (029) 2070 8247
- (iii) Local Nursing/Care Homes – Please ring the presbytery number in Penarth (as above).

YOUR GIFTS TO THE CHURCH 4TH JULY 2021

	Gift Aid	Loose	Total
St. Joseph's	£296.00	£200.00	£496.00
St. Mary's	£11.00	£63.35	£74.35
			<u>£570.35</u>

Standing Orders (June) £2,769.75
Virgin Money Donations (on-line) [June] £115.00
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR PARISHES.

Once again we are asked to pray for the two communities of Our Lady and St. Illtyd, Llantwit Major, together with St. Cadoc's, Cowbridge. The parish priest is Fr. Mark Rowles. Atlantic College is part of his pastoral responsibilities.

PARISH FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 2020/1.

The annual financial statement gives us a snapshot of the parish financial situation. It is somewhat different this year because of the extraordinary times we are living through. **If you missed it last week and you would like to view it, you will find it by clicking on "Parish Gazette" in the main menu, selecting (July 4th), and scrolling down to the extra pages.**

Mgr Joe thanks his 4 fellow members of the Parish Finance Committee for their expertise and commitment as they help him to steer the parish finances through the unpredictable waters that lie ahead.

CAFOD'S COVID APPEAL: Another thank you.

There have been another two substantial donations to CAFOD's Covid Appeal since last week. They totalled £80 but with gift aid they amounted to £100. A big thank you to them both. The current total stands at £5,170.

Remember that thanks to your support, CAFOD has been helping communities around the world to cope with the pandemic. In Zambia alone, CAFOD has trained 392 frontline health workers and worked with the country's 11 dioceses to prepare them to respond to COVID-19 in their local communities. Thank you for standing alongside the people in Zambia and for supporting people in more than 30 other countries worldwide.

Help us to achieve our new target of £6,000. Visit our website and click on JustGivingCAFOD in the main menu.

PENARTH TOWN MAYOR-ELECT.

Cllr Ian Buckley, a parishioner of St. Joseph's, is the Town Council's Mayor-Elect for the coming year. A former member of the Fire Service, he entered local politics after his retirement. We extend to him belated congratulations and wish him well during his year of office.

A Civic Service is being planned which will take place in St. Joseph's, Penarth, on Sunday 3rd October at 2pm.

Please pray for our sick.

St. Joseph's: Valerie Catterall, Muriel Perry, Veronica Hooper, Betty Webster, Nora Berry, and Alice Collier.

St. Mary's: Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne, Liz Evans, Cissie Clifton, Anne Dean, and Hilary Benton.

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TIMES OF MASSES
MASSES WITH A CONGREGATION*
 (SUBJECT TO COVID RESTRICTIONS)

Saturday* July 10th 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Pat Hardiman (Family) 08
Streamed Live			
Sunday* July 11th 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Joanne Thomas (Fran Thomas) 88
Streamed Live			
Public Mass	St. Mary's	11.15am	Barbara Clark (Price) 106
BAPTISM	St. Joseph's	3.00pm	Isabelle Mary and Beatrice Jane Lister (Moss)
Ordinary Time – Summer. Week 14. Year 1.			
Monday July 12th St. John Jones. Priest. Martyr.			
Live streamed	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Jane Jones (Brennan) 078
Tuesday July 13th Weekday in Ordinary Time			
MASS IN PRIVATE	St. Joseph's	9.00am	Madeleine Heguy (Wellbeing) [Trow] 83
Wednesday July 14th St. Camillus de Lellis. Priest.			
Live streamed	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Patrick Webster (SVP) 90
Thursday July 15th St. Bonaventure. Bishop. Doctor of the Church.			
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Brian & Angela Buckingham (Diamond wedding anniv) 62
Friday* July 16th Our Lady of Mount Carmel.			
	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Bob Hill (Trow) 86
Streamed live			
Saturday* July 17th 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)			
	St. Joseph's	10am-11am	Sacrament of Reconciliation.
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Claire Perks (Wellbeing) (Fran Thomas) 89
Streamed live			
Sunday* July 18th 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B).			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	9.30am	John & Marion Wilson (Philomena) 95
Streamed live			
Public Mass	St. Mary's	11.15am	Richard Evans (Norma) 111



All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness; that the man of God may be competent, and equipped for every good work.

