



The Parishes of the Blessed Sacrament Gorseinon & St Bride's Pontarddulais



5th Oct - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WHAT'S ON

Tea and Coffee

Please join us for tea, coffee and a chat after mass on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month in Gorseinon.

Film Club

Please join us every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month in the Gorseinon Parish Hall. Doors open at 1.30pm, film to start at 2pm.

Men's Rosary Rally

First Saturday of the month in Swansea Centre, outside St David's Priory at 1pm.

Scripture Group

Meet Tuesday at 5pm in the Parish Office

ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR THIS WEEK: Stasia Obrine, Mykola Fylypczuk, Jane Evans, Peter Leddy, Eira Martin, Christine Ward, James Curran, Thomas Chambers, Anna Nessmann 2012, Joan Cascarini, George Dawson, Sid Tilbrook, Bernard O'Brien, Bernard Barr, Henry Seingry, Mary Farr, Christine Llewellyn, Stasia Fleming, Thomas Nolan, Roy Cox, William James, Michael Peter McFall.

SOLEMNITIES, FEAST AND MEMORIA: MON 6TH - ST BRUNO; TUES 7TH - OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY; THURS 9TH - ST JOHN HENRY NEWMAN; SATURDAY 11TH - ST JOHN XXIII

OF YOUR CHARITY : Please pray for those who ask our prayers at this time: Mary Donovan, Ian O'Brien, Wendy Wilcox, Dorothy Stocking, Alan Jones, Tina Jones, Kathy Thomas and all who are sick, housebound, or hospitalized and those who care for them.

TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR MARY'S MEALS. Their mission is to enable people to offer their money, goods, skills, time, or prayer, and through this involvement, provide the most effective help to those suffering the effects of extreme poverty in the world's poorest communities. For more information or to donate directly go to marysmeals.org.uk

PLEASE DONATE YOUR BOOKS: Could parishioners bring in the books that they no longer need especially children books as we are running low. As the money that was made for from the books bought two jars of coffee for our Sunday coffee mornings.

Reading Cycle: Year C (I)

This Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday	4th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's
Sunday	5th	10.30am	Lilian & Patrick Lawlor RIP(KL)
Tuesday	7th	9.30am	Anna Nessmann RIP (SN)
Wednesday	8th	9.30am	J Golightly RIP (GG) - St Bride's
Thursday	9th	No Mass	
Friday	10th	9.30am	Kathleen & Louis Gazzi (AG)
Saturday	11th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's
Sunday	12th	10.30am	All Alter Servers (Presentation of St Stephen's Medal)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	From 4.30pm	St Bride's
Sunday	From 10:15am	Blessed Sacrament (or after mass on request)

Our Lady's Lamp Intentions

Blessed Sacrament: Kathy Thomas (CR)	St Bride's: No intention
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SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER – IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. The Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio – his charity for world mission – through a special second collection. This day of prayer, solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the Good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, use the Missio envelopes which are available in the porch, call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit missio.org.uk to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

UNDERSTAND THE BIBLE : from start to finish, the Old and New Testament, with this FREE OF CHARGE, world-renowned course presented online LIVE by Mauro Iannicelli. Starts on Wed 1st October 2025 at 7pm UK time (x8 Wednesday evening sessions). Info & Registration: www.comeandsee.org

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2025: If you are in Y9 - Y13 and want to take part in the autumn Confirmation preparation programme starting in October 25, please complete an application form, which can be found in the porch and then speak to Fr Clement/Fr Carlito. Application forms need to be received by the end of September 25.

REPAIR OF CHURCH ORGAN AT BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH: As you may be aware, we have not been able to use the organ in church due to the repairs required. The cost for repairs is just over £10,000. Currently, the Parish cannot afford to pay this. If anyone would like to donate towards this, please see Stephen. Please do not put any additional monies into the collection for the organ appeal as we need to keep a record of the amount raised. Any amount is a step nearer to our goal. Thank you. Stephen.

MARRIAGE SUPPORT - Does your relationship need some TLC? Need help with deeper issues? Next programme starts 17th October
www.retrouvaille.org.uk, Tel: +44 7887 296 983

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER & NEWSLETTER

ADDITIONS: The Electronic Newsletter is now being sent to those who requested a copy. If you would like to receive a weekly newsletter by email or you have any newsletter additions, please email gorseinon@menevia.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR NEXT SUNDAY OCT 12TH

Readers:
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Eucharistic Ministers:
Group B

Parish of the Blessed Sacrament: 99 Alexandra Road, Gorseinon, SA4 4NX - **Email:** gorseinon@menevia.org

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Email: pontarddulais@menevia.org

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Priest in Charge: Fr Clement **Mob:** 07459335606

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