



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



12th Oct - 28th 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

This Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday	11th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's
Sunday	12th	10.30am	All Alter Servers (Presentation of St Stephen's Medal)
Tuesday	14th	9.30am	Danny McQuilkin RIP (SN)
Wednesday	15th	9.30am	Jim Collins RIP (JC)- St Bride's
Thursday	16th		No Mass
Friday	17th	9.30am	Special Intention Botto Family (TB)
Saturday	18th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's
Sunday	19th	10.30am	Rosie Gonzales RIP (TD)

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:	St Bride's: No intention
Int. Wendy Wilcox - Recovery.	

ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR THIS WEEK: Mary Lewis, Bartley Loughlin, Lucia Moruzzi, Michael Molyneaux, Lilian Davies, Cecelia Rafferty, Margaret Smith, Miriam Jones, Michael Cullen.

SOLEMNITIES, FEAST AND MEMORIA: 14th St. Callistus, Pope & Martyr; 15th St. Teresa of Avila, Virgin & Doctor; 16th St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin; St. Richard Gwynne Martyr; 17th St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr; 18th St. Luke, Evangelist.

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.

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.

Today's Second Collection is for the Church Building Fund.

Film Club: We are in need of assistance to run the film club which is held every second and fourth Thursday of the month. Volunteers would be expected to help with the setting up of beverages, washing up and cleaning tables after the film. There is also a need for a volunteer to help with the setting up of the laptop for the film when the current volunteer is away. Full training can be given. If you can help see either Sue or David Doherty.

NEXT SUNDAY 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: Arrangements are being made for the confirmation course which will be led by Andrew Hall. Details, time and date of first meeting will hopefully be in next weeks newsletter.

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.

READERS PLEASE NOTE there has been a change to the readers rota. Please check the revised version in the porch for the dates you are reading.

Congratulations to Ian O'Brien and James Wall who were presented with the Guild of St. Stephen Gold Medal today in recognition of their long service to God on the altar.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR NEXT SUNDAY OCT 19TH

Readers: A McGlinchey, S Nessmann
Eucharistic Ministers: Group C

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Reading Cycle: Year C (I)