





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

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 Roman Catholic Church Gorseinon

Year A(II) – Pentecost Sunday

Saturday	23 rd	5.00pm	Millicent Staddon RIP – St Bride's
Sunday	24 th	10.30am	People of the Parish
Monday	25 th		No Mass
Tuesday	26 th	9.30am	No Intention
Wednesday	27 th	9.30am	Margaret Reid RIP (SP) – St Bride's
Thursday	28 th		No Mass
Friday	29 th	9.30am	Julia Lee RIP (SP)
Saturday	30 th	5.00pm	People of the Parish – St Bride's
Sunday	31 st	10.30am	David Thomas RIP & Leddy Family (JW)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday	From 4.45pm	St Bride's
Sunday	From 10:15am	Blessed Sacrament (or after mass on request)

Our Lady's Lamp Intentions

Blessed Sacrament: Robin Jones RIP (DB)	St Bride's: Maureen Ashfield RIP
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Tea & Coffee	Film Club	Holy Rosary Group	Scripture Group
1 st and 3 rd Sunday (Gorseinon) after mass	Every 2 nd and 4 th Thursday (Gorseinon) 1.30pm doors open	1 st Saturday (Gorseinon) at 11am	Tuesday at 5pm in Parish Office

Feast Days & Solemnities: 25th – Mary, Mother of the Church; 26th – St Philip Neri; 27th St Augustine of Canterbury; 28th – Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest; 28th – St Paul IV

Of your Charity: Please pray for those who ask our prayers at this time: Beth & Dennis Egan, Mary Donovan, Ian O'Brien, Wendy Wilcox, Dorothy Stocking, Tina Jones, Kathy Thomas, Josie Courtney and all who are sick, housebound, or hospitalised and those who care for them.

Dear all, **Many thanks** to everyone who brought or bought plants at our recent plant sale. We are pleased to say we raised £149.85 for church funds. If possible, please could you return the plastic cell trays. There are also a few plants left in the hall for sale as well as cabbage and leek plants. If you are interested see Stephen.

Alan Jones RIP funeral arrangements: Requiem Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Swansea on 11th June 2026 at

11am followed by cremation in Morryston Crematorium at 12.30pm.

On 14th June 2026, the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be conferred by Archbishop Mark at the 10.30am mass. There will be tea, coffee and cake after mass in the hall. If you can assist with the provision of cakes, helping on the day with serving tea or coffee, wash up etc please see Marie-Louise Smith who will be coordinating the provision of tea and coffee. There is also a need to have a general clean of the church and hall, church grounds and garden. If you can assist with any of these see Stephen.

There will be **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** with an opportunity for confession on Sunday 31st May 2026 between 9.30am and 10.25am in Blessed Sacrament Church followed by Mass at 10.30am.

For newsletter queries, please email gorseinon@menevia.org .

Film Club Thursday 28th May: Unremarkably stupid robots – opposite of!

On the 7th June 26 during Sunday morning mass at 10.30am Fr. Clement will undertake **First Holy Communion** to our Communion class led by Mary Roberts. As is tradition there will be a First Holy Communion breakfast in the hall after mass. If you can contribute to the food required there is a list of what is required in the porch. Please remember all the children in your prayers.

WeBelieve | Festival of Catholic Life: Friday 24– Monday 27 July 2026 | St Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham. WeBelieve Festival brings the Church together in England and Wales.
www.webeliefestival.com.

Since 2024 **the Diocese Safeguarding Team** have been holding a "Safeguarding Café" every month. These drop-

in sessions allow anyone to pop in and have a chat about administrative matters, concerns, or to simply find out more. This month the team will be holding their Café at **The Most Holy Trinity Parish Room, New Street, HR8 2EE from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm (May 28th)**. Why not pop in for a coffee and a chat? The team look forward to seeing you!

- June 25th - 11am to 1pm Monmouth, St Mary RC Church, St Mary Street, NP25 3DB
- July 23rd - 11am to 1pm New Castle Emllyn, Our Lady Queen of Peace Church Hall, Castle Street, SA38 9AF