

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



29th June - Solemnity of St Peter and St Paul

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	28th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's	
Sunday	29th	10.30am	Kathleen & Louis Gazzi RIP (AG)	
Tuesday	1st	9:30am	No intention	
Wednesday	2nd		No Mass	
Thursday	3rd		No Mass	
Friday	4th	9.30am	John Andrew Botto RIP (TB)	
Saturday	5th	5pm	People of the Parish - St Bride's	
Sunday	6th	10.30am	Nene Cawthorne 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: Cesar Veluz (TB)	St Bride's: No intention	

ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR THIS WEEK - Miria Obrine, Elizabeth O'Leary, Florence Dawson, Tony Collins, Clifford Edwards, Ron Jones, Mary Cecelia Ambrose, Vida Richards, Andrew Gazzi, Elizabeth Evans, Beryl Haslegrave, Mavis Cleveland, Gethin Davies, Betty Zilio, Monica Stirrup, Mary Buckingham, Powel Szulejko.

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

SOLEMNITIES, FEAST AND MEMORIA - Sun 29th - Sts. Peter & Paul. Apostles *Solemnity*; Thur 3rd - St. Thomas. Apostle feast; Fri 4th - St. Elisabeth of Portugal; Sat 5th - St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria. Priest.

ECUMENICAL AND INTERRELIGIOUS PILGRIMAGE THIS SUMMER - Join this year's Ecumenical and Interreligious Pilgrimage, hosted jointly by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Cardiff-Menevia and the Church in Wales Diocese of Llandaff. The pilgrimage begins at 1:30pm on Thursday, 3 July 2025 at St Padarn's Institute with reflections from Archbishop Mark and Bishop Mary Stallard (Bishop of Llandaff), followed by a walk to St Teilo's Well and Llandaff Cathedral before crossing the River Taff to Bute Park and on to St David's Cathedral for a liturgy of prayer and reaffirmation of Baptism, with refreshments to follow, concluding around 5pm. A wonderful opportunity for different faith traditions to journey together, bearing witness to God's love.

Reading Cycle: Year C (I)

To book your place, head over to here: https://tinyurl.com/3k3exdvb Or Scan the QR Code

Clergy Move Effective 6th/7th September 2025 -

Mgr Joseph Cefai to resign from Ecclesiastical

Ministry. Archbishop Mark thanks Mgr Joe for his
many years of priestly ministry and dedicated service
at parish and diocesan level and wishes him a long
and happy retirement;

September in London. Thousands of people will jo
together, united in a show of unity for the value of
from conception and standing up for all those who
have been impacted by abortion. If you are
interested in taking part, two coaches will be

- Canon Barry English from Merthyr to Port Talbot & Cwmavon:
- Fr Elliot Hanson as Assistant Priest at Port Talbot & Cwmavon and as chaplain to St Joseph's Comprehensive School;
- Fr Clement Oloruntoba OP from Gorseinon/ Pontarddulais to be in residence at Mumbles and to retain chaplaincy at Swansea Prison and Singleton Hospital;
- Fr Carlito Reyes from Sketty to Gorseinon/ Pontarddulais;
- Fr John Browne to take on pastoral care of Sketty (in addition to Dunvant);
- St David's Priory to assume responsibility for university chaplaincy in Swansea

MEN'S PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF PENRHYS - 19TH

JULY 2025. Cardiff Oratory are holding a men's 22 mile walk to the shrine of Our Lady starting at 8am with breakfast. If you are interested please contact Luke or admin@cardifforatory.co.uk

CHARITY GARDEN PARTY - You are invited to a lovely afternoon and evening with refreshing drinks, tasty bites and a relaxing outdoor atmosphere to raise money for the Blessed Sacrament Church. July 5th from 2pm. Adult entry £5, children free. RSVP at +44 7948 799890.

Those willing to make cakes and/or help out on the day, please stay for a short meeting after mass. Thank you for your support! Maurizio.

March for Life UK - 6th September - March for Life

UK is a major event taking place on Saturday 6th September in London. Thousands of people will join together, united in a show of unity for the value of life from conception and standing up for all those who have been impacted by abortion. If you are interested in taking part, two coaches will be travelling up to London on the day. For further information on the coach leaving from St Dyfrig's, Treforest contact Howard at Howard.bayliss@templebaptist.org.uk; for information about the coach leaving St Alban's, Cardiff and picking up from Newport, contact Clare on 07983 522 851

DEANERY STATION MASS - Join Archbishop Mark and other members of the Clergy and Faithful on Wednesday 2nd July at Our Lady, Queen of Peace, Llanelli SA15 3AB, starting at 7pm.

LIVESTREAMING MASS - Please note all services in church are livestreamed via our website at www.parishofgorseinon.org. The livestream only shows part of the front two rows of the centre aisles and the altar. If you have any concerns please speak to Fr. Clement or Stephen.

SOCIAL MEDIA - For church news, follow our Facebook @Roman Catholic Church Gorseinon and Instagram @blessedsacramentgorseinon.

NEWSLETTER - If you have something you would like to share with the parish via the newsletter, please email the office at gorseinon@menevia.org with the subject "Newsletter". Thank you

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR NEXT SUNDAY JULY 6TH

Readers: <u>Eucharistic Ministers:</u>
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