



Parish of St. Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes

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Parish Newsletter St. Teilo's



Weekend 9th – 10th August The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Mass

The Mass readings and prayers for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time are on page 121 of the Parish Mass Book.

Clothes donations for the SVP – This Weekend

The Parish St. Vincent De Paul (SVP) Conference undertakes a monthly collection of clothing for the SVP Charity Shop. Clean, good quality clothing, books and toys are very welcome. Donations may be left outside the confessionals at the rear of St. Teilo's this weekend. The clothes will be removed early on Monday morning, so please ensure that donations are brought to the Church by the end of the evening Mass this weekend or kept at home until the Second Sunday of September when we will have another collection.

Thank you from the parish SVP.

Parish Physical Activity Programme

The Parish indoor physical activity group takes place this Tuesday in the Hall at St. Teilo's from 12 to 1pm.

Tuesday Evening Adoration

Each Tuesday evening, the parish has an hour of silent Adoration at St. Teilo's from 7pm to 8pm. The primary intention for the period of Adoration is vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Feel free to come for all or part of the hour to pray for the Church in its need for faithful ministers to continue the Mission of Jesus.

Coffee and Tea after Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes

We will have coffee and tea in the St. Pope John Paul II Chapel at Our Lady of Lourdes after the 10.00am Mass on Wednesday. If you are at Mass on that day, please stay behind and spend some time socialising and sharing with our fellow parishioners.

At a Loss Café

The Parish Loss and Bereavement Café continues on Wednesday. The Café is for anyone dealing with loss and you will find a cuppa and warm welcome waiting for you. Remember your loss does not have to mean bereavement. It can be any kind of loss you are feeling and perhaps with which you are struggling. The Café takes place on Wednesday from 1.30pm to 3pm in St. Teilo's Parish Hall. Weekly attendance is not required. Come as and when you are able. This will be the last session of the Café until later in the year.

Walk and Talk

The Walk and Talk group meets on Wednesday evening at 6pm at the car park in Caedelyn Park. All are welcome to come along and join the group.

Knit and Natter

The Parish Knit and Natter group will meet in St. Teilo's Hall on Thursday following the 10.00am Mass. All are welcome to come along and join in the knitting or the nattering or both!

Adoration and Exposition – Our Lady of Lourdes

The Polish Community holds silent Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursday evenings from 7.30 to 8.30pm. All are welcome to come along and pray in silence, in the presence of the Lord Jesus. Adoration is preceded by Mass in Polish at 7pm.

Adoration and Exposition – St. Teilo's

There will be Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.30am to midday at St. Teilo's this Friday. Why not come along to spend time in silent prayer and Adoration before the Lord?

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

On Friday, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holyday of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated at 10am at St. Teilo's and at 6pm at Our Lady of Lourdes.

The Mass readings and prayers for the Solemnity of the Assumption are on page 188 of the Parish Mass Book.

The Assumption is the oldest feast day of Our Lady but we do not know when it first came to be celebrated. The "Memory of Mary" was celebrated from the fourth century. Later it was to become our feast of the Assumption, having become a great celebration in the churches of the Eastern Roman Empire. In the seventh century, it began to be celebrated in Rome under the title of the "Falling Asleep" ("Dormitio") of the Mother of God. Soon the name was changed to the "Assumption of Mary," since there was more to the feast than her dying. It also proclaimed that she had been taken up, body and soul, into Heaven.

No Adoration and Exposition on Friday

There will be no Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday due to the Holyday of Obligation.

Mass and Torchlight Procession for the Solemnity of the Assumption

On Friday, August 15th at 7pm, there will be Mass and a Torchlight Procession of the Statue of Our Lady to celebrate the great Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary at St. Alban's on the Moors, Cardiff. Mass begins at 7pm and the procession takes place through the streets of Splott immediately following the Mass. All are welcome to attend this devotion.

St. Teilo's Friends of Divine Mercy Prayer Group – Saturday, August 16th

St. Teilo's Friends of Divine Mercy Prayer Group meets on Saturday, August 16th at 2.30pm in the Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome to come along to pray for the parish and the intentions of the parishioners.

Pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Penrhys

The annual pilgrimage to Our Lady's shrine at Penrhys will take place on Sunday, August 17th. Mass will be celebrated at 3pm (weather permitting) at the foot of the statue. Please take your own seat. All are welcome to this annual celebration.

Reaching Out Collection – Many thanks

The donations for the Reaching Out project made via the recent collection and the e-donation machine amounted to £934.27, an excellent contribution showing the on-going support of the Parish Community for this vital work of providing for those who are disadvantaged and in need of the very basic things of life. Mary Chichester's Local Vocal Choir concert raised the great sum of £1,020 for the cause. Very many thanks to all those who donated and/or came to the concert. It is equally important to thank the regular donors who, through standing orders and bank transfers, donate £724 per month to the project. - *The Reaching Out Steering Committee*

March for Life UK – September 6th

March for Life UK is a major event taking place on Saturday, September 6th 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

The National Jubilee Walking Pilgrimage of Hope opens for day pilgrim registration



The Pilgrimage of Hope is a national walking pilgrimage for England and Wales with four main Ways converging at the Cathedral of St. Barnabas, Nottingham, on Saturday, September 13th, the eve of the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. It is an initiative of the *Hearts in Search of God* project. The Ways start at the Catholic Cathedrals in Cardiff, Leeds, Norwich and London and will bless our nations with a Sign of the Cross. The routes use established hiking routes and are off road as much as possible. The deadline for pilgrims to register for

day stages is approaching. For details please visit: <https://www.pilgrimways.org.uk/become-a-pilgrim-for-a-day>

Safeguarding

If anyone has concerns over the welfare of any children or vulnerable adults within our community, please contact Jill Gildersleve, in confidence, on 07813 322179 or gildersleve@ntlworld.com.

Praying for the Sick of the Parish

Please remember those who are sick in your daily prayers: Sue Adams, Eileen Allen, Haydn Ashcroft, Stella Blakey, Margaret Bowdery, Margaret Brown, Brian Bryant, John Costley, David Cuddihy, Philip Daly, Sean Daughton, Barbara Day, Rafael Diaz, Violet Fonseca, Maureen Fry, Mary Goodman, Paul Gough, David Griffiths, Martin Griffiths, Rita Harris, Linda Horrocks, Hannah John, Lola Jones, Mary Joseph, Mark Kozik, Eileen Lawrence, Christina Lucas, Annette Massey, Simon McCann, John McLaughlin, Bernie Monaghan, Robert Morgan, Gwyneth Page, Derek Phillips, Richard Williams, Bethan Thompson, Hilary Tracey, Derick Travers, Keith and Gwen Waddams, Madeleine Walters and Eileen Yaxley. If you would like to add someone to the list, please email whitchurch@rcadc.org.

Rest in Peace



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Gina Cumberlidge who has died recently, she was a parishioner of St. Teilo's but in recent years has been living in a nursing home in Romilly Road. Her Funeral Mass will be on Saturday, October 25th at 10am at St. Teilo's

Please also pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Canon Patrick J. Gibbons, Father Noel Williams, James Donovan, Michael Driscoll, Eilena Williams, John O'Sullivan, Josephine Marquiss, John Driscoll, Catherine Gaffney, Joseph O'Callaghan, Maureen Chidgey, William Conway, Elizabeth Wells, Anne Hodgson, John Kelly, Jean Bartlett, Ignatius Silva, Denise Voisey, Thomas Strange, Kathleen Carey, William Williams, Maureen Taylor, Julian Migward, John Evans, Marion Webb, Kay Collier, William Brown, Monica Baldock, John Woodall, Charles Mullins, Eileen Taylor, Terry Barnes, and Francis 'Derek' Furnham.

Mass Times and Intentions: 9 th – 17 th August 2025			
Saturday 9 th August Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Our Lady of Lourdes	6.00pm	Mass – For the People of the Parish
Sunday 10 th August Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mass – Bridget Wyn Farrell – RIP (SJK)
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Mass – Recovery of Andy Moore (M&RT)
Monday 11 th August St. Clare, Virgin	No Mass today		
Tuesday 12 th August Weekday of Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Tommy Lennon – RIP (PL)
	St. Teilo's	7.00pm - 8.00pm	Adoration for Vocations
Wednesday 13 th August Weekday of Ordinary Time	Our Lady of Lourdes	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Family Intention (PW)
Thursday 14 th August St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe, Priest and Martyr	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Mary Partridge – RIP (JG)
Friday 15 th August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mass – For the children of Gaza
	Our Lady of Lourdes	6.00pm	Mass – For the People of the Parish
Saturday 16 th August Our Lady's Saturday	St. Teilo's	9.40am 10.00am	Morning Prayer of the Church Mass – Mark Searle – RIP (P&CS)
Saturday 16 th August Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Our Lady of Lourdes	6.00pm	Mass – For the People of the Parish
Sunday 17 th August Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	St. Teilo's	10.00am	Mass – Fr. Maurice Gallagher OMI – Anniversary (JG)
	St. Teilo's	6.00pm	Mass – Fr. Anthony Cogliolo – RIP

Confessions

Canon John will be available for Confessions in the confessional at St. Teilo's from 10.30am to 11am after the Saturday morning Mass. Canon will also hear confessions in the confessional at Our Lady of Lourdes before Mass on Saturday evening – 5.30pm to 5.55pm.

Donations to the Parish

Donations to the parish for last weekend amounted to £780.69. Many thanks to all our parishioners for your ongoing generosity to the parish.

Mass Attendance

Mass attendance for the last weekend was as follows:

Sunday 3 rd August	6pm	52
	10am	155
	6pm	75