



19TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

St Mary's Catholic Church, Bridgend

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<i>Sacrament of Confession 10.30am-11.00am or on request.</i>		<i>Mass Intentions</i>
Saturday 12 th August	Mass 10.00am Vigil Mass 6.00pm	Anthea Warner (AW) Burrows family deceased members(EB)
Sunday 13 th August <i>19th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm	<i>People of the Parish</i> Lesley Stokes (A&PS)
Monday 14 th August	Mass 7.00pm	Margarite & Edward Ghanem (MG)
Tuesday 15 th August <i>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	Mass 12.00 noon	Sean & Eugene Heanue (PH)
Wednesday 16 th August	6.30pm Devotions OLPS Mass 7.00pm	Robert Skinner RIP (AS) Mrs Mary Lindley (JL)
Thursday 17 th August	Mass 9.15am <i>Exposition 9.30am until 4.00pm(VC)</i>	Vera & Trevor Davies -diamond wedding anniversary (MG)
Friday 18 th August	Mass 10.00am	John Dolan (HD)
Saturday 19 th August	Mass 10.00am Vigil Mass 6.00pm	J & T Clarey (CE)
Sunday 20 th August <i>20th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm	Martin Connor (Youssef family) <i>People of the Parish</i>

Date	Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
12 th /13 th August	Vigil 11.00 am 6.00 pm	D Morgan/ A Stephens C Davison/ T Moncerate A Williams/D Bolton	J Pearson/Liz Taylor E & D Field/ V Cocks/ P Robinson J & T Clarey Hospital: Fr. Tim
19 th /20 th August	Vigil 11.00 am 6.00 pm	T Hodgkiss/C Argent I Ford/P Lockett J Jones/ D Gaffney	M Ochab/E Evans V Cocks/ P Robinson/ E&D Field C Ruddy/ H Evans Hospital: D Gaffney

	Finance	Gift Aid	Non Gift Aid	Levy	Total	Sat - Quiet Mass Pianist/organist needed to cover occasionally. Please contact the office or speak to Anne Manghan.
Counting Team 5	<i>6th Aug</i>	<i>TBA</i>	<i>TBA</i>	<i>/</i>	<i>TBA</i>	
Cleaning Team 1	<p align="center">NOTE TO ALL CURRENT GIFT AIDERS <i>Letters detailing donations for the last financial tax year are now available. Please contact the office should you require this for your records.</i></p>					Sun 965,603,635,972

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Pope Alexander III wrote: " Mary conceived without detriment to her virginal modesty, brought forth her Son without pain, passed hence without decay, according to the word of the angel, or rather God speaking by the angel, that she might be shown to be full, not half-full, of Grace" On 1st November 1950 Pope Pius XII declared the Assumption of the Blessed Mother of God a doctrine of faith.

The solemnity is celebrated on 15th August and is a holy day of obligation.

Advance notice - Mass times for the Assumption of the Blessed Mary: Monday 14th August 6.00pm in Pyle, 7.00pm in St Mary's Bridgend 7.00pm. Tuesday 15th August 10.00am Porthcawl, 12.00 noon Bridgend.

Please remember you can start to Gift Aid your donations to the Parish at any time. Please see the Narthex for more details and forms.

Please note that the Sacristy is being redecorated week commencing 21st August. Many thanks

Mass Intentions - There is now weekday & weekend availability for September onwards. Please write clearly on the envelope. Whilst every effort is made to adhere to the date requested due to various circumstances it may not always be possible.



The Golden Book

None of us likes to think that we are forgotten. We all hope to be remembered affectionately and, for the Christian, to be prayed for after we have died. *The Golden Book* gives each named person an assurance of a daily prayerful remembrance and inclusion in the Annual Golden Book Masses.

These Masses, at which you are most welcome, will be on the following days: - *Christmas Day, All Souls Day, Dedication Day and the First Saturday of each month.*

The stand containing the Golden Book is located to the rear of the Church on the left hand side.

The pages are turned every Monday to ensure all names entered are displayed in rotation.

Categories under which names are entered are:

Baptism, Birthday, Confirmation, RIP, Special Occasions, Thanksgiving and Weddings.

If you would like to add a name to the book, pick up a leaflet from the narthex, complete and return to the Presbytery or Sacristy. Whilst entering the names of our loved ones, we are also contributing to the fundraising efforts of the parish for the preservation of our lovely Church.

Date for your Diary

**Day of Healing and Reconciliation
Saturday, September 2nd from 9am to 5pm
Corpus Christi High School,
Ty Draw Road, Lisvane, Cardiff CF23 6XL.**

Friends of St Mary's for 2017 events visit

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Family Quiz and Social Evening

We are taking a break in August the next one will next be held on Friday 1st September.

Website information: Please subscribe to the newsletter for St Mary's parish via the website. Simply scroll to the bottom of any page, enter your email address and click subscribe. There is lots of information available on the website. Please take a look.

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