



# 17<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



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## HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS: PLEASE INFORM FR. TIM McGRATH 01656 652034

<i>Sacrament of Confession - 10.30am-11am on Saturday morning or on request.</i>		<i>Mass Intentions</i>
Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup> July	Mass 10.00am Vigil Mass 6.00pm	Miriam Brennan (Clare) Mary Murphy (Dolan family)
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> July <i>17<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm	<i>People of the Parish</i> Carla Carpanini (DMF)
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	Mass 9.15am	Joan Hobbis (P&C Harrington)
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> July	Mass 9.15am	Baby Isaac & family (D&E)
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> August	Devotions OLPS 6.30pm <b>Mass 7.00pm</b>	Chris Edwards (T&J Morgan)
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	<b>Mass 9.15am</b>	Mary Quinn (Jo Bowen)
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	<b>Mass 10.00am</b>	Natividad Tano, Boy Tano, Jaime Tano Sr & Arthur Cutillar, souls departed (A&SS)
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> August	Mass 10.00am Vigil Mass 6.00pm	Anne Roberts RIP (M & H Lewis) Arthur Williams (Dolan family) <i>Golden Book</i>
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> August <i>18<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm	Baby Noah & family (MBW) <i>People of the Parish</i>

Date	Mass	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
28 <sup>th</sup> /29 <sup>th</sup> July	Vigil 11.00 am 6.00 pm	M Ivenso/T Hodgkiss H Tomulto/R De Los Reyes J Jones/ D Bolton	M Ochab/ E Evans V Cocks/ P Robinson/ E & D Field D Gaffney/ H Evans <b>Hospital: A Quinn</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> August	Vigil 11.00 am 6.00 pm	D Morgan/ D Hooper C Davison/ J Bowen D Gaffney/ M McAweney	J Pearson/ Liz Taylor E & D Field/ P Robinson/ V Cocks A Quinn/ C Ruddy <b>Hospital: A Kitchener</b>

Counting Team 1 Cleaning Team 4	Finance	Gift Aid	Non Gift Aid	Levy	Total	<i>For Hymns: Please see hymn boards.</i>
	22 <sup>nd</sup> July	£406.01	£503.98	/	£909.99	
<b>Pope's Intention: That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.</b>						

Please note that the parish office is closed until Monday 13<sup>th</sup> August. For information about Mass times and events in the parish the visit: [www.CatholicChurchBridgend.org.uk](http://www.CatholicChurchBridgend.org.uk)

Fr. Edmund will be taking a much-needed holiday during all of August. The Priests of the Deanery will need to cover Funeral, Sunday Masses and Mass during the Holy Day of Obligation. This may cause some disruption, so please do be patient with us! (Fr. Mark, Silvio and myself).

**Please note that during August there will be no weekly sermon. Please adjust your travel plans accordingly!**

## Summer Holiday

If you are going on holiday or travelling to see family and friends have a good and safe time.

*If you are visiting the parish, you are most welcome. Tea and coffee is served in the Hall after 11.00am Sunday Mass.*

If you are passing the Church at any time pop in, light a candle, say a prayer and ensure all is well.

### Musicians of St Mary's – Thank you!

Many thanks to the choir, organists and instrumentalists for the wonderful contribution they have made to the Liturgy this last year. From the Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August to 2<sup>nd</sup> September the instrumentalists will be taking a break for the summer. Music at 6.00pm Mass on Saturday and 11.00am Sunday will continue to be provided via our organists and choir. The music group has functioned in the parish for just over 30 years. Every year I wonder if we will have enough musicians to continue, and every year, through God's blessing, the choir and instrumentalists have thrived. Thank you! Full choir and instrumentalists will be required from Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September. If you would like to join us in this important ministry or if you could play the organ occasionally for Mass then please contact Anne (07754 423569)

*National Eisteddfod of Wales, Cardiff Bay, August 4 – 11th.*

Offeren yr Eisteddfod – the annual Eisteddfod Mass – will be held at the Cathedral Church of St David, Charles Street, Cardiff on August 9th at 6pm. Refreshments afterwards at the Cornerstone. Bilingual Mass leaflets will be available.

All welcome – croeso cynnes i bawb. Contact Carys Whelan, 01446 772888 [carys@caerdelyn.com](mailto:carys@caerdelyn.com)

### BAPTISM

Congratulations to the family of Eliana who has recently been baptised into our Catholic family.

*We wish them every blessing.*

**Do you know of anyone who is housebound who would like a visit or needs some assistance? If so then please contact one of our SVP members. The contact details are on the noticeboard in the Narthex.**

### Health & Safety is the responsibility of us all!

Please leave the fire exits clear at all times, especially during Mass. You may have noticed the labels on the pews, please take care using the kneelers, especially be mindful of young children. If you do come across anything that could be deemed a hazard or in need of repair, please inform Father Tim. Many thanks

**Youth Club invite the youth of the parish (age 7+) to join them on a trip to Bristol Zoo on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> August.**

Please ensure you have returned your completed forms – available from the Sacristy.

Parents please encourage your children to come along!

**St Mary's Website - Have you checked out the website lately? Why not take a look? As the office is closed until 13<sup>th</sup> August the newsletters for the next couple of weeks have already been uploaded, (though may be subject to change – please listen out for notices at Mass) and there is also a wealth of other information to explore!**

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*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.*