



St David and St Patrick's Catholic Parish

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Mass times for the week ahead: 20th – 26th February

Week 7 of year A.

Mon 10:00am at Haverfordwest

Tue 2:00pm at Withybush Hospital

Wed 10:00am at Haverfordwest, 7:00pm at Narberth

Thur 10:00am at Haverfordwest – St Polycarp

Fri 11:00am Funeral Mass at Haverfordwest

Sat 6:00pm Haverfordwest

Sun 10:00am at H'west; 5:00pm at Narberth

Saint of the Week.

Wednesday is the Feast of the Chair of Peter. It's both a celebration of a physical object, and of the Petrine Ministry which has been passed on through the Popes since the time of Peter himself. The actual chair can be found in St Peter's Basilica in Rome and overtime the simple wooden chair has become highly ornamented. Pope Benedict XVI has referred to it twice, but played down its physical significance as a possible relic, choosing to focus more on it as a reminder that Christ entrusted his Church on earth to the Apostles and their successors.

FUNERALS The past week has seen several deaths in our parish. Please keep in your prayers families who are grieving and remember to pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died.

Veronica Purnell's Funeral Service will take place on Wednesday 22nd February at 11:00am, followed by internment at City Road Cemetery.

Michael Kennedy's Funeral Mass will take place on Friday 24th February at 11:00am, followed by internment at City Road Cemetery.

Carmel Lewis's Funeral Mass will take place on Thursday 2nd March at 10:00am, followed by cremation at Parc Gwyn Crematorium

BAPTISM Following her recent Baptism, we welcome Serena Francesca to our parish family. A class from Mary Immaculate School came to see the baptism and added greatly to the occasion. Welcome Serena to your Christian family.

ASH WEDNESDAY this year is on March 1st. As such St David's day has been translated to the day before, which will be Tuesday February 28th. There will be three opportunities to be anointed with the ash on Ash Wednesday. For those early birds who need to get to work, there will be a short prayer service with distribution of ashes from 8:15 to 8:30am. Mass will take place with Mary Immaculate School at the usual time of 10:00am in the Parish Church. Finally there will be an evening Mass at 7:00pm at Narberth.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF DATES Please note that the Deanery Lenten Station Mass with Bishop Tom takes place on Tuesday 14th March at 7pm. Owing to various clergy illness, the location for this Mass has still to be determined.

Our Lenten Penitential Service will take place on Tuesday 4th April at 7:00pm. Visiting clergy will be present for those who wish to make their confession to someone less well known to them.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READERS AT MASS I would like to thank all those who came along to the day of recollection. Especially welcome are some new faces who are contributing to the sacramental life of our parish by their ministry of service. Thank you for coming forward and for taking a fuller part of parish life.

RETREAT Thank you to all of you who kept me in your thoughts and prayers while I was away on retreat. As much as it was nice to be away, it's also good to be back home! Thanks also for Deacon Tony and other clergy who made sure that emergency calls at the hospital were still covered in my absence.

WILL YOU FIND ONE MOMENT THIS WEEK TO PRAY FOR THOSE OF OUR PARISH WHO ARE ILL? Including, Annie Carter, Mercedes Davies, Elizabeth Dobson, Hannah Fennell, Peter Fowler, Bryn Hancock, Anne Harding, Janet Jenkins, Mary Philips, Indra Singh, Yolanda Servini, Teresa Thomas, Toby Williams.