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SUNDAY 16TH JUNE – 11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

TIMES OF HOLY MASSES & OTHER SERVICES

15/06/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	HOLY MASS: 11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: JAMES LENNON & ALFREDO RABAIOTTI - RIP
16/06/24: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	HOLY MASS: 11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: ABRAHAM ABARCA SNR – RIP (AP)
16/06/24: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	HOLY MASS: 11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE SICK (PP)
17/06/24: MON HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	HOLY MASS: WEEKDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: BENTE JOBSZ – RIP (SJ)
18/06/24: TUE HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	HOLY MASS: WEEKDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: MARY JOCELYN PHILLIPS – RIP (SJ)
19/06/24: WED NARBERTH	10:00AM	FUNERAL MASS FRANKIE CATHERINE STUART - RIP
20/06/24: THU	NO HOLY MASS TODAY	
21/06/24: FRI HAVERFORDWEST	5:00PM 6:30PM	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT HOLY MASS: ST ALOYSIUS GONZAGA, RELIGIOUS INT: NO GIVEN INTENTION
22/06/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM 10:30AM	HOLY MASS: ST PAULINUS OF NOLA, BISHOP INT: NO GIVEN INTENTION ADORATION & CONFESSIONS
22/06/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	HOLY MASS: 12TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: NO GIVEN INTENTION
23/06/24: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	HOLY MASS: 12TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: SHEILA GARDENER – RIP (HB)
23/06/24: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	HOLY MASS: 12TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE SICK (PP)

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

GWEDDI DROS Y CLEIFION:

THE SICK, ELDERLY & RETIRED CLERGY, JASON SHUTT & ALL THE MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM OUR REMEMBERING THEM IN OUR PRAYERS.

God Answers

CONFESSIONS

CYFFES

HAVERFORDWEST

FRI: 5:00 – 6:00pm

SAT: 10:30 – 11am

SAT: 5:15 – 5:45pm

SUN: 9:15 – 9:45am

NARBERTH

WED:

4:00pm – 4:20pm

THE CYCLE OF PRAYER – DURING ORDINARY TIME (SUMMER):

WE ARE CALLED UPON TO PRAY FOR: A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN CHRISTIANS AND JEWS; THOSE WHO SUFFER PERSECUTION, OPPRESSION AND DENIAL OF HUMAN RIGHTS; EUROPE, HUMAN LIFE, SEAFARERS.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR JUNE: LET US PRAY FOR MIGRANTS FLEEING WARS OR HUNGER, FORCED INTO JOURNEYS FULL OF DANGER AND VIOLENCE, TO FIND ACCEPTANCE AND NEW LIFE OPPORTUNITIES IN THEIR HOST COUNTRIES.

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD... ANNIVERSARIES IN JUNE: Let us remember those souls who have no one to remember them in prayers! Mary Theresa Flood (2024), Rosaleen Mary (Moorhead-) Murphy (2022), Kathryn Hopewell (2021), Jenny Katrine Griffiths (2020), Malcolm Vincent Stewart (2020), Kathleen Keane (2019), Kathleen Whelan (2019), John Anthony Rees (2019), Elaine Shotton (2018), Peter Francis Fowler (2018), Elizabeth Martha Anne Dobson (2017), Patricia Roache (2017), Bernard Pearce (2016), Miriam Miles (2015), Beryl Eileen Sheehan (2015), Leonard Evans (2015), Mary Carroll (2015), Dorothy Walker (2015), Michael Murphy (2015), Ernst Hermann (2015), Brian Maxwell Ward (2015), James J. Riley (2014), Catherine A. Douglas (2014), George Marr (2013), Janet Ann Flynn (2013), Rita Mary Fredrickson (2012), Joseph Laurence McNamara (2012), Timothy John O'Neill (2011), Thomas Joseph Austin (2010), Nesta Millicent Folea (2009), Margret Raybold (2005), Muriel Fox (2005), Rose Williams (2003), Muriel McNeil (2003), Bernard Hughes (2002), Marty Patricia John (2000), Eunice May Reynolds (2000), Joseph Flatley (2000)... **MAY THEY REST IN PEACE...**

PARISH SAFEGUARDING POLICY: SAFETY & SAFEGUARDING of all who visit our church, both parishioners & visitors, are important to us. If you have concerns about any safeguarding issues, kindly contact the **Parish Safeguarding Representative, Mrs. Anne Barnes on 01437765365**. More information about our Safeguarding Policy is found here: <http://www.menevia.org/safeguarding/>

SILENCE BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: As a preparation for Holy Mass, do spend some time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament & respect those who are praying in silence.

FLORAL TRIBUTES: 15.09.2024: JOHN QUILTY – RIP (ANNV), 03.11.2024: PATRICK QUILTY – RIP (ANNV). Thank you & God bless your generosity & thoughtfulness for your beloved...!

RETIRING COLLECTION: THIS WEEKEND – (15th / 16th June) towards 'Day for Life.' Kindly Gift-Aid. Thanks.

READINGS: SUNDAY 16TH JUNE – 11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: Ezekiel 17: 22-24

Psalms: 91: 2-3, 13-16

RESPONSE: It is good to give you thanks, O Lord.

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 6-10

Gospel: Mark 4: 26-34



"Let us pick up the Gospel and choose a small passage to read and re-read each day. Keep the Gospel in your pocket or in your bag, to read it on your travels, at any time, and to read it calmly. In time, we will discover that these words are made especially for us, for our life. They will help us welcome each day with a better, more serene outlook because when the Gospel enters into today's world, it fills it with God..." POPE FRANCIS



LECTIONARY 2024: What is a Lectionary? The Lectionary is a book which contains the readings for Mass (Sundays and Weekdays), for Saints and Sacraments, and other occasions, such as funerals. At the Second Vatican Council the Lectionary was revised so that more of the treasures of scripture would be heard in the Lectionary. For example, whereas prior to the Council only 3% of the Gospel of Mark was heard now 96% is read. A new edition of the Lectionary, will come into use in England and Wales on the First Sunday of Advent 2024. It will use the English Standard Version – Catholic Edition for the scripture readings and the Psalms and Canticles for the Responsorial Psalms. **The Ambo Edition of these four will be £695. Book of the Gospels have two displays. The splendid volume with an embossed plaque in silver & gold is £395 and the deluxe bounded with gold blocking front is £275. Sponsors to purchase & dedicate the Lectionary Set for the Parish, in their name or in memory of someone, are welcome. Sponsors can be a few donors together for a volume or so. A dedication page is available in the Lectionary for this purpose.**

HALL BOOKINGS: For Hall Bookings, please contact **Mrs. Anne Hancock on 07826629120**. It is a private number. You may phone or send message her from 9am to 6pm only. Kindly respect the time. Thank You! The following points on Hall are for your info: **1.** Hall is the integral part of our parish and not a separate entity. **2.** All the Income from and Expenditure for the hall, are accounted in the parish account, as a Regd. Charity. **3.** Volunteers helping the day to day running of the hall, do so at the request of the Parish Priest. For any enquiries and info, other than booking, kindly address it to the Parish Priest, preferably in writing.

PARISH TEA AFTERNOON: It will be on June 30th, from 11:30am to 2:30pm. **TICKETS £5.00. HOW YOU CAN HELP... Raffle. Donations of prizes, Tombola. Bottles please. Help with set up and food prep on Saturday, 29/06. Help with serving and clearing up on Sunday, 30/06. Selling tickets at Masses...** If you are able to help in any capacity please contact Fr. Paul, Sharon Farren or Ann Soper. This is our fundraiser for 2024.

PARISH HALL: We are looking for a few volunteers to help with the running of the Parish Hall, along with Anne Hancock, who is looking after bookings, now. The main purpose is to form a group to oversee the day today running and maintenance of the hall, which we are fortunate to have. Anyone with some time to help, kindly contact Fr. Paul asap. Thank you. God bless your generosity.

GENERAL ELECTION 2024: Cardinal Vincent Nichols, is encouraging Catholics, particularly young adults, to be "willing to get involved and vote" as the opportunity to vote in a general election is a "privilege". The information and guidance are on the Bishops' Conference website and covers the following areas: Criminal Justice, Domestic poverty, family life and taxation, Education, Environment, International relations, human rights and peacebuilding, Life Issues, Migration. **EDUCATION: As a religious community we value our partnership with successive governments in England and Wales in the provision of Catholic education. Its fruit is the more than 2,100 nurseries, schools, special schools, independent schools, colleges, and universities which make the Catholic Church the second-largest provider of education in the country, and with the biggest network of academies.** Catholic education is popular with parents and successful in preparing pupils for life in modern Britain. However, there are campaigns to get rid of schools with a religious character, and to change the curriculum so that our schools would no longer be Catholic. The sector is successful because of the hundreds of thousands of teachers, leaders, parents and volunteers but it still requires a Government to safeguard a Catholic approach: **1.** The Government should support Catholic schools through policy and legislation which protects the legal foundations of this historic sector. **2.** The Government should work closely with the Catholic sector to use best practice and ensure that the existing Catholic approach to governance, admissions, inspections, and the curriculum continues to flourish. **3.** Whilst acknowledging the essential work of educational practitioners, the Government should recognise that parents are the first and primary educators of their children and ensure that this right permeates through all education policy.

DAY FOR LIFE: JUNE 16: It is the day in the Church's year dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. The theme: **The Lord is my Shepherd – Compassion and Hope at the End of Life.** *"The prospect of death can evoke a variety of thoughts and feelings among those who are dying and their loved ones. Our faith directs us towards a life that extends beyond death and encourages us to see the end of life as an opportunity for love. Father George reflects on the gift of accompanying the dying in their last days. In our modern culture, we often view life as disposable and assume that everything should be under our control and open to our choice – hence the promotion of assisted suicide. In fact, assisted suicide ultimately involves the denial of an opportunity to live our last days surrounded by compassion and love just as Francis did. It denies us the real dignity that comes from spiritual growth as our bodies diminish. Caring for people at the end of their lives is a beautiful vocation. It is a vocation lived out by hospital chaplains, doctors, nurses, social carers, family, friends, extraordinary ministers of the eucharist and members of parish groups, such as the SVP. Indeed, we all respond to our calling to care each week at Mass when we pray for the sick. Perhaps if we can renew our vocation to care for others at the end of life, it will help change our culture so that more people come to view the end of life differently and see it as a time for spiritual growth which can be filled with grace and love."* **(Father George, Hosp. Chaplain, Day of Life-2024)**

CHILD SAFETY: Parents do make sure that a child going to toilet is accompanied by an adult & not a minor.

FIRE SAFETY: Votive Lights to be placed only in the given tealight holder. You may leave unlit tealights on tray which will be placed once the holders are available.