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### SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

#### TIMES OF HOLY MASSES & OTHER SERVICES

14/09/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: JADE LOUGHLIN – RIP - BIRTHDAY (DL)
15/09/24: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	<b>HOLY MASS: 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: JOANNE MORRISSEY – RIP - ANNIVERSARY (FG)
15/09/24: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE VISITORS (PP)
16/09/24: MON HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: SS CORNELIUS, POPE</b> INT: MINNIE BARRINGTON – RIP – ANNIVERSARY (LB)
17/09/24: TUE HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: ST ROBERT BELLARMINE, BISHOP</b> INT: RICHARD MAHER – RIP – ANNIVERSARY (LB)
18/09/24: WED HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: WEEKDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: ROJI & JINCY– 9 <sup>TH</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY (RJ)
18/09/24: WED NARBERTH	4:00PM 4:30PM	<b>ADORATION, HOLY MASS &amp; ROSARY</b> <b>HOLY MASS: WEEKDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT:
19/09/24: THU	NO HOLY MASS TODAY	
20/09/24: FRI HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM 10:00AM	<b>ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT</b> <b>H. MASS: SS ANDREW KIM TAE-GON &amp; PAUL CHONG</b> <b>HA-SANG &amp; COMP.</b> INT: THANKSGIVING INTENTIONS (ST)
21/09/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM 10:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: ST MATTHEW, APOSTLE</b> <b>ADORATION &amp; CONFESSIONS</b> INT: JOSE P. M. -RIP – ANNIVERSARY (ST)
21/09/24: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: THANKSGIVING INTENTIONS (S'SHA T.)
22/09/24: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	<b>HOLY MASS: 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: JOHN QUILTY – RIP – ANNIVERSARY (SF)
22/09/24: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE VISITORS (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 Prayers

#### 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 (AUTUMN):** WE ARE CALLED UPON TO PRAY FOR: THE HARVEST, THE FRUITS OF HUMAN WORK & THE REVERENT USE OF CREATION; STUDENTS & TEACHERS; THE SPREAD OF THE GOSPEL; JUSTICE & PEACE IN THE WORLD; PRISONERS & THEIR FAMILIES; ALL VICTIMS OF WAR & YOUNG PEOPLE.

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER:** LET US PRAY THAT EACH OF US HEARS WITH THE HEART THE CRY OF THE EARTH AND VICTIMS OF NATURAL DISASTERS AND CLIMATE CHANGE, PERSONALLY COMMITTING TO CARE FOR THE WORLD WE INHABIT."

**REMEMBERING OUR DEAD... IN SEPTEMBER:** Let us remember those souls who have no one to remember them in prayers! Joanne Morrissey (2023), Mike Puffett (2023), Derrick John Parsell (2022), Rev. Michael William Burke (2022), Anne Marie McConaghy (2021), Mercedes Del-Monte Davies (2021), Charles Houghton (2021), Margaret Salmon (2020), Ruby Elizabeth Hamilton (2018), Gerald O'Leary (2018), Paul Bernard Augustine Caulfield (2016), Margaret Webb (2016), Attilio Curcio (2016), Elizabeth Sheila Wells (2016), Albert Boland (2015), Brian William Molyneux (2015), Maisie Griffiths (2015), Declan Seawood (2015), David John Thomas (2015), Ross Dunbar O'Neill (2014), Henry Francis McEntee (2014), Nigel James Arthur Lowe (2013), Joseph Sheehan (2011), Cecilia Mary Augusta Monti (2011), Annie Loretta Morgan (2011), Kevin Barry Fox (2009), Bradley James Blayney (2009), Patrick Laffey (2009), Yvonne Rowland (2008), Richard Maher (2007), Trevor Ifor Callen (2007), Frances Mary Braithwaite (2006), Eileen Tate (2005), Giovanni Bonello (2004), Andrew Beegan (2004), Henry Hitchcock (2003), John Sweeney (2003), Margaret Myraine (2002), Thomas Henry Davies (2001), Edith May Daly (2001)... **MAY THEY REST IN PEACE...**

**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.

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

#### FLORAL TRIBUTES

15.09.2024: JOANNE MORRISSEY - RIP (ANNV)  
22.09.24: JOHN QUILTY - RIP (ANNV),  
29.09.2024: MIKE PUFFETT - RIP (ANNV)  
03.11.2024: PATRICK QUILTY - RIP (ANNV)  
10.11. 2024: JACK HIGGINS – RIP (ANNV)

Thank you & God bless  
your generosity &  
thoughtfulness  
for your beloved...!  
**YOU ARE WELCOME  
TO BOOK  
FLORAL TRIBUTES.**

#### RETIRING COLLECTIONS:

**THIS WEEKEND:**  
(14<sup>th</sup>/ 15<sup>th</sup> Sept) towards  
'Home Mission Sunday.'

Kindly Gift-Aid your donations.





***“Brothers and sisters, God is like this: he does not “rest easy” if we stray from him, he is grieved, he trembles in his innermost being; and he sets out to look for us, until he takes us back into his arms. The Lord does not calculate losses and risks. He has the heart of a father and a mother, and suffers for the lack of his beloved children.... God’s forgiveness is the symbol of his “overflowing” love for each of us. It is the love that leaves us free to distance ourselves, like the prodigal son, but which awaits our return every day. It is the resourceful love of the***

***shepherd for the lost sheep. It is the tenderness which welcomes each sinner who knocks at his door. The Heavenly Father — our Father — is filled, is full of love and he wants to offer it to us, but he cannot do so if we close our heart to love towards others...” POPE FRANCIS***

**EVANGELII GAUDIUM/HOME MISSION SUNDAY:** It is on Sept. 15, 2024. It gives us the opportunity to reflect on the great mandate we have been given by the Risen Lord to evangelise the whole world. *“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations,” the Lord commissions, as we hear in Mt. 28:19.* The theme is ‘Growing as missionary disciples.’ We proclaim the unique message of the Gospel that brings joy to all people who receive it with an open heart. In his Apostolic Exhortation “Evangelii Gaudium”, Pope Francis encouraged the Christian faithful to “embark on a new chapter of evangelisation” marked by this joy, whilst striving to find new paths to proclaim the Gospel in today’s world. We cannot forget that evangelisation is first and foremost about preaching the Gospel to those who do not know Jesus Christ or who have always rejected him. Many of these are quietly seeking God, led by a yearning to see his face... Christians have the duty to proclaim the Gospel without excluding anyone. (14). This is the challenge and opportunity we take up on us. The work of encounter, evangelisation, and the vision of the Holy Father is embraced in a fuller way and promotes the whole ideal of proclamation, evangelisation, dialogue and catechesis. **A RETIRING COLLECTION IS HELD for Evangelii Gaudium Sunday. Kindly Gift-Aid.**

**THE UNITED ARCHDIOCESE OF CARDIFF-MENEVIA:** The Archbishop Mark O’Toole shares the joyful news of the creation of the new Archdiocese of Cardiff-Menevia. The announcement was promulgated from Rome, following the decision of Pope Francis, on 12 September, coinciding with the Feast of the Holy Name of Mary. This significant moment marks a new chapter for the Catholic community in South Wales and Herefordshire. “We are immensely grateful to Pope Francis for this decision and for his inspiring leadership in encouraging us to ‘go outwards’ in mission,” Archbishop Mark wrote. He added, “We received this decision more quickly than anticipated, which I believe reflects the confidence the Holy See has in the process we have undertaken.” He also highlighted the significance of the decision being made on the Feast of the Holy Name of Mary and expressed his gratitude to the lay faithful, religious, deacons, and priests for their continued support and engagement, which have been integral to this process. In the first five months of 2024, the Archdiocese of Cardiff and the Diocese of Menevia conducted a series of Open Listening Sessions across both dioceses to gauge people’s views on the proposed unification. Archbishop Mark personally attended 42 meetings, which were attended by 605 people, both clergy and laity. Written submissions were also received. The final dossier was submitted to the Nuncio, who relayed it to the Holy See in July, leading to this prompt decision.

**REV. FR. RAMESH:** Rev. Ramesh comes from South India and has been serving as a priest for 10 years. He will join our parish soon. He grew up in a traditional Catholic family of four brothers, of which the oldest and the youngest are married while another older brother became a Catholic Priest and is presently serving in the Diocese of Plymouth. **A VERY HEARTY WELCOME TO YOU, REV. FR. RAMESH to Haverfordwest!**



**SYRO MALABAR HOLY MASS in HAVERFORDWEST:** It will be celebrated on Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm. Kindly note the date & time. It will be an opportunity to participate in a Holy Eucharist in a different Rite.

**RED MISSION BOXES (A.P.F.):** Kindly bring your APF (RED) BOXES to church. They are due to be counted. Thank you for all you do to help universal mission of evangelisation. A RED APF BOX will look very beautiful on your mantelpiece. Kindly contact Anne Hancock if you do not have one. Thank you...!

**SEASON OF CREATION: 1 SEPT, - 4 OCT. 2024:** “Hope and Act with Creation” is the theme of the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. The Season of Creation is a global ecumenical celebration of prayer and action to protect our common home, which finishes on the feast of St Francis, 4 October. We are encouraged to pray and engage in community events in order to deepen our relationship with God, our neighbour and the earth we share, being ever more attentive to the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.

**ADOREMUS – NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS:** In union with the 2024 National Eucharistic Congress (Oscott -14.09.2024) and the 53rd International Eucharistic Congress in Quito, Ecuador (Sept. 8-15, 2024), to unite the faithful in anticipation of the Jubilee Year with renewed and deepened devotion, **we will have the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 10:00am Holy Mass on Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>, till 12pm.**

**CHURCH TOILET:** The outside toilet has a water leak. Until it is sorted (after Pembrokeshire promises), kindly use the Church Hall toilets. Sorry for any inconvenience. Thank you.

**FIRE SAFETY:** **Votive Lights to be placed only in the given tealight holder, only one for a holder.** You may leave unlit tealights on the tray which will be placed once the holders are available. Suggested donation is 15pence.

**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/>**

**READINGS: SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Isaiah 50:5-9

**Psalm:** 114:1-6, 8-9

**RESPONSE:** I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** James 2:14-18

**Gospel:** Mark 8:27-35