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Sunday 2nd March 2025 – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Haverfordwest	01.03.25	6.00pm	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Vigil Mass – Ann Freeman (RIP)
Sunday Haverfordwest	02.03.25	10.00am	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Holy Mass - George Riley (RIP)
Sunday Narberth	02.03.25	12.00pm	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Rosary – 11.30 am Holy Mass – People of the Parish & the Sick
Monday	03.03.25	--	NO HOLY MASS – MY DAY OFF
Tuesday Haverfordwest	04.03.25	6.00pm	Holy Mass – Richard Kelly (RIP)
Wednesday Haverfordwest	05.03.25	8.00am 10.00am	Ash Wednesday Service Ash Wednesday - Holy Mass - Donald Phillips (RIP)
Wednesday Narberth	05.03.25	6.30pm	Ash Wednesday – Holy Mass – No given intention
Thursday Haverfordwest	06.03.25	9.30am	Holy Mass – Lenny Sunitha Pinto (RIP)
Friday Haverfordwest	07.03.25	9.30am 10.00am	Stations of the Cross Holy Mass - Donald Phillips (RIP)
Saturday Haverfordwest	08.03.25	10.00am	Holy Mass – <i>Requiem Mass for Mrs Lenny Sunitha Pinto</i>
Saturday Haverfordwest	08.03.25	6.00pm	First Sunday of Lent Vigil Mass – Angela Rabaiotti (RIP) & Catherine Lennon (RIP)
Sunday Haverfordwest	09.03.25	10.00am	First Sunday of Lent Holy Mass – Mrs Aleyamma (Elizabeth)Varghese (RIP) Ann.
Sunday Narberth	09.03.25	12.00pm	First Sunday of Lent Rosary – 11.30 am Holy Mass – People of the Parish & the Sick

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD... IN MARCH

*Anthony Austin (2000), Bernard Doyle (2002), Kathleen Corcoran (2002), Victor Folena (2003), Nancy Ryan (2003), John Rowlands (2004), Winifred Peacocks (2004), Andrew Moffatt (2004), Harvey Boswell (2004), Gordon Morgan (2005), Florence Folena (2005), David Parnell (2005), Mary Williams (2005), Eric Gower (2006), Moira Paget (2006), James Pryce (2006), Anastasia John (2007), Hortensia Llana (2008), Lawrence Kavanagh (2009), Clara Lily Stockdale (2010), Joan Rowe (2010), Michael Clarkson (2010), Theresa Morgan Phillips (2011), Veronica Ann Barnes (2011), Christopher Carroll (2012), Margaret Duker (2012), Clare Whittaker (2014), Tracy Hall (2014), Guiseppe Di Sandolo (2015), Pamela Philipps (2015), Michael David Beckett (2015), Maureen O'Neill (2015), Peter Victor Folena (2016), Nora Rice (2016), Catherine McHugh (2016), Margaret Pauline Williams (2017), Phillip Percival Crabb (2017), Ann Paula Loye (2017), Kevin Barrie Fox (2017), Janice Hearn (2018), Marie Theresa Atherton (2018), Mary Kelleher (2018), Rodger John Edwards (2020), Nelly Cunningham (2021), Rowelito Santos (2022), Thomas Algeo (2024)...**MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.***

JOURNEY WITH THE POPE

"The Gospel says: He "led them up a high mountain." In the Bible, the mountain always has a special significance: it is the elevated place where heaven and earth touch each other, where Moses and the prophets had the extraordinary experience of encountering God. Climbing the mountain is drawing somewhat close to God. Jesus climbs up with the three disciples and they stop at the top of the mountain. Here, he is transfigured before them. His face radiant and his garments glistening, which provide a preview of the Risen One, offer to those frightened men the light, the light of hope, the light to pass through the shadows: death will not be the end of everything, because it will open to the glory of the Resurrection."

POPE FRANCIS

DAVID'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

To commemorate St. David's Day, we will have a celebration in the parish hall this Sunday, 2nd March, after the 10.00am Mass. Please bring Welsh cakes, bara brith etc.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

We will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day on Sunday 16th March by having an Irish brunch after the 10.00 am Mass. If you would like to help with making sandwiches, cakes, etc, please speak to one of the hall committee members.

RED BOXES

These are due to be emptied and counted this month. If you have a red box at home, please could you return it to Anne Hancock or to Fr Ramesh as soon as possible. Thank you.

JUBILEE AND LENT PILGRIMAGE

We are organising a parish pilgrimage on Wednesday, 12th March to visit St. Non's, Morriston and St. Joseph's Cathedral. We will be travelling by bus, which will cost £17 per person. Please bring a packed lunch. This is the last weekend to sign up for the pilgrimage if you wish to go.

DIRECTORY AND YEAR BOOK 2025

The Directory and Year Books for the Archdiocese of Cardiff-Menevia are available from the sacristy at £5 each.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY

Friday 14th March is the CAFOD Family Fast Day. Envelopes are available in all porches. If you are a UK taxpayer, kindly remember to gift aid your donation and return to the address on the back of the envelope.

LENTEN ALMS

The Lenten Alms this year will go towards *Mary's Meals UK* and *HCPT*.

MISSION APPEAL

On the weekend of March 22nd & 23rd, we will have a mission appeal on behalf of the Sisters Missions Committee of England and Wales. Please give generously.

CAFOD'S BIG LENT WALK IN THE JUBILEE YEAR

You are invited to join CAFOD's Big Lent Walk and journey together with Catholics in England, Wales and Scotland as Pilgrims of Hope in this Jubilee Year - walking 200km over 40 days during Lent. Journey to one of the churches or shrines designated as places of pilgrimage in our diocese as part of your Big Lent Walk. Every £1 you raise will support communities like Lokho's in Kenya, experiencing the worst impact of the climate crisis, to rebuild their lives in hope.

Sign up here: <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/>

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

This year's interdenominational World Day of Prayer will be held at Tabernacle Congregational Church, Haverfordwest at 2.00pm on Friday, March 7th. All are welcome to attend.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those who are ill in hospital or at home. Prayer request for **Alice Reynolds** who is in the hospital and also for **Pope Francis**.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of **the souls of Lenny Pinto (Requiem Mass on Saturday, 8th March at 10.00am); Richard Kelly (Funeral service and burial on Tuesday, 11th March at 11.00am) and Donald Phillips (Requiem Mass and burial on Saturday, 15th March at 11.00am).**

If you wish to be prayed for, please let Fr Ramesh know and he will add your name to the newsletter.

WALK WITH ME LENTEN BOOKS

The Lenten 'Walk With Me' booklets are available in the repository for free, or if you wish, you can give a donation of £1.

1st Reading – Sirach 27:4-7

Responsorial Psalm – Ps 92(91):2-3. 13-14. 15-16.

Response – *It is good to give thanks to you, O Lord.*

2nd Reading – 1 Corinthians 15:54-58

Gospel Acclamation – *Alleluia, alleluia. Shine as lights in the world, holding fast to the word of life. Alleluia.*

Gospel Reading – Luke 6:39-45