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Sunday, 1st September 2019

This week at the Cathedral

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| Sunday 1st
17:30
08:00
10:00 | 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Vigil Mass: <i>Jack Rees (RIP)</i>
Mass: <i>People of the Parish</i>
Mass: <i>Deidre Hooper (RIP)</i> |
| Monday 2nd
09:15 | Weekday in Ordinary Time
Mass: <i>Ken Williams</i> |
| Tuesday 3rd
09:15 | St Gregory the Great. Pope
Mass: <i>Gary Lewis (Healing)</i> |
| Wednesday 4th
18:30 | St Cuthbert, BP
Mass: <i>Bernard Davies (Healing)</i> |
| Thursday 5th
09:15 | St Teresa of Kolkata
Mass: <i>Private Intention: Canon Benedict</i> |
| Friday 6th
09:30 | Weekday in Ordinary Time
<i>School Mass:</i> |
| Saturday 7th
09:15 | Weekday in Ordinary Time
<i>Mass: Private Intention.</i> |
| Sunday 8th
17:30
08:00
10:00 | 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Vigil Mass: <i>David Kavanagh (RIP)</i>
Mass:
Mass: <i>Ken Williams (RIP)</i> |

Ministries Schedule for the week.

	17:30	08:00	10:00
Euch. Min.	Arthur Jones Joyce Eynon		Anne Jones Dominic Nutt
Readers	Patrick Powell Gerrard Holley	Michael Harris David Maddox	Brian Nutt Grace Beaman

The Holy Father's General Intention for September –
That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person, more considerate towards others, more honest with myself, more faithful to You. Make me generous enough to want sincerely to do your will whatever it may be. Help me to find my true vocation in life and grant that through it, I may find happiness myself and bring happiness to others. Grant, Lord, that those whom You call to enter the priesthood, diaconate or religious life, may have the generosity to answer Your call, so that those who need Your help may find it. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Pray for them

Let us remember the sick in our homes & hospitals:

Bishop Daniel Mullins, Canon Seamus Cunnane, Deacon Tony Lawrence, Deacon Peter Hounslow, Teresa Williams, Ian Williams, Jean Davies, Brian Gabriel, Mary Church, Christopher Browne, Lee Ellery, Dixie Hale, Taylor Mai, Jeffery Jones, Heather Mitchell, Neil Andrew Francis, Nathan Jones, Gary Lewis, Anne Kavanagh, Brian Nutt, Bernard Kenealy, Tom Bright, Matthew Caliolo, Severina Cavallucci and all the sick. May the Lord lay his healing hands upon them.

Anniversaries: Sr Brigid Stapleton; Clifford Owen; Esther Johnson; Thomas Edward Martin; Veronica Edwards.



Sanctuary Lights:

(1) **Deceased members of Bush Family.**

(2) **Private Intention**



Notices

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation: This Sunday has been designated by the Bishops of England and Wales as the day of prayer for preservation of environment and against ecological crisis that threatens humanity. After the vocations prayer, we shall say the prayer for the care of creation together. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:** Edward de Quay – Edward.dequay@cbcew.org.uk or Tel: 020 7901 4827.



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CARE OF CREATION

*Father, Lord of all creation,
we praise you with all your creatures
and the whole universe that comes forth from the work of Your
hands.
We acknowledge the privilege and responsibility
that You give us as stewards of Your creation.
In our ignorance we have done damage to our common home
and our brothers and sisters are suffering.
Through faithfully following your Son
guide and direct us to prepare for a better future.
Teach us to contemplate You in the beauty of the universe,
for all things speak of You.
Give us the grace to recognise, respect and protect
all You have created, using wisely all that You have entrusted to
us.
Holy Spirit,
who first hovered over the dawn of creation and drew order out
of the chaos
help us to build your kingdom of justice, love, peace and beauty
where the poor of the earth are crying out.
You, who live and reign, world without end,
Amen*

Education Sunday: Will be celebrated next Sunday. There will be door collection to support Catholic Education in the Diocese.

RCIA: Classes commence at the end of September. Please inform those who are interested. This programme is also open to anyone wanting to learn more about their faith.

Garden of Our Lady: Sincere thanks to those parishioners who responded to the appeal for volunteers to help maintain the Gardens. However, the weeds are growing faster than we can keep up with them so we still need more volunteers. Please, if there are any other volunteers who could help, your efforts would be greatly appreciated! Feel free to go into the garden at any time, or contact Canon Benedict.

Baptism Programme for parents: The Baptism Programme runs three times each year: September-October, January-February, and May-June, actual dates to be set near the time. 'Baptismal Request' forms may be found in the purple file in the Cathedral porch. Please take one, complete it and return it to Joyce or Pat. **IMPORTANT:** Please kindly read the 'Guidelines for Infant Baptism in the Parish'. These are available on the parish website or, alternatively, you may pick up a copy from the porch. Please note, we comply strictly with these guidelines.

Congratulations to all our young people who achieved success in their recent examinations, at whatever level. We wish you many blessings as you progress to the next level of education/training in pursuit of your chosen career.

Door Collections for September: (1) Education Sunday (8th of September); and Home Mission Sunday (15th of September)

Your last week's offerings: £1,070.29
(Including Standing orders and 2nd Collection)

PLEASE REMEMBER THE PARISH IN YOUR WILL

** Gift Aid returns will reduce the weekly deficit, but will not make up the shortfall. If you are a tax payer and you are not already signed up to the Gift Aid giving system, please consider doing so, it will not cost you any extra, but the Church will get the benefit of tax relief.*

A warm welcome to those who have recently made the Cathedral their regular place of worship. It is a good idea to let your Parish Priest know your name and address so that he will know who, and where, you are. Furthermore, if you are already an Altar Server, Reader etc. and would be prepared to exercise your Ministry here, please speak to the Parish Priest.

Mass Intentions Received; Tony Eaton (RIP); Malcolm Smith (RIP); David Kavanagh (RIP); Bernard Pitson (RIP); Ken Williams x6 (RIP); May, Anne, & Maureen Lewis (RIP); Bernard Davies (Healing); Gary Lewis (RIP); Norah Screen (RIP); Gwyn Eynon (RIP); Iwona Lisczyk (RIP)*; Jack Rees (RIP); Maria Sulo*; Giovanna Giorno (RIP)*; Vincent Regan (RIP)*

Sanctuary Lamp Requests: Deceased members of Screen family; Terence Davies (RIP).

Hymns for Sunday Liturgy

Opening Song	Praise my soul the King of heaven	807
Preparation of the gifts	This is my will, my one command	921
Communion	Servant Song	924
Closing	Follow me, follow me	863

Choir Practice: Will resume in September. Date to be announced.

Newsletter: Please kindly take it home with you and re-read it at your leisure.

Business Matters: Canon Benedict is very happy to have informal chats with everyone after weekend Masses, however, ALL official matters are to be discussed during office hours, by appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office to make an appointment. Thank you.

"The Faith That Binds Us" – Saturday 21st September, Time: 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m., Venue: Bishop Vaughan School.

The school will be holding an exhibition in celebration of the work of children in our Catholic schools in Swansea, together with a history of the parishes and Catholic groups in the Swansea area. If anyone has any relevant documentary evidence e.g. photos, newspaper cuttings etc. the school would be very interested to see them. Thank you. - Anne

Columbarium in the Crypt: Persons requiring information about the Columbarium, please contact Canon Benedict/Parish office. It is important to note that information from any source other than the Parish Office may not be helpful to you.

Sick & Housebound Parishioners NOT on the Sick List: Canon Benedict will make a personal visit to any sick and housebound parishioner to take Holy Communion and to hear Confession. Please, therefore, be sure to inform Canon of any family member or friend who would appreciate a visit. Thank you.

Birthday Celebration: Our birthday celebration for all those whose birthdays occur in August and September will take place in the Hall after the 10:00 Mass. Everyone welcome!