

NOTICES

MAY DEVOTIONS: The Holy Rosary will be offered on weekdays throughout the Month of May as follows:

Monday mornings – after Mass i.e. 09:45 a.m.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings – before Mass i.e. 09:00 a.m. - Sr. Nora Mary

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will take place at the 10:00 Mass. (See notice opposite). Grateful thanks to the Catechists for their dedicated service in preparing the children for the first Sacraments of Reconciliation and Communion. – *Canon Benedict*

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Deceased): Roel Sibayan, Bernard Davies & Eileen Thatcher; George Brain; D'd members of the Cahill family; D'd members of the Burke family; D'd members of the O'Donnell family; Jean & Bernard Davies.

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED: (Other): Intentions of Cosette Jones & Philippa Gray.

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUESTS: May Davies & Maureen Fender

REQUESTS FOR MASS INTENTIONS: Please be aware, if you want to book Anniversary and Birthday Masses, particularly at weekends, you need to do so at the earliest possible time . . . not wait until one or two weeks before. Owing to high demand, requests for weekend Mass Intentions are allocated on a "first come, first served" basis. Mass intentions may be scheduled for the 5:30 p.m. and 08:00 a.m. only. **NO MASS INTENTIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THE 10:00 a.m. MASS** unless it is for an Anniversary that actually falls on that particular Sunday. *Canon Benedict.*

WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATIONS: Our new contactless terminal is in the porch. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/device to make a donation. Simply choose the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader.

DONATING ONLINE: You may also donate online, just click on the link: <https://donate.mydona.com/st-josephs-cathedral>

Sort Code: 55-61-20

Account Number: 01678442

Account Name: Diocese of Menevia Cathedral.

GIFT AID YOUR DONATION – whatever method you choose, if you are a taxpayer, please opt into the **GIFT AID** scheme. It increases your donation by 25%, It means, that **at no extra cost to yourself, the Church can claim an extra 25p for every £1 received. GIFT AID (GAD) FORMS are available in the porch. If anyone needs help filling out the form, please see Mary Clare who may assist. Thank you.**

BAPTISM PROGRAMME: The new programme begins 2nd June and comprises 4 weekly sessions. Time: Sundays from 4pm till 5:30pm; Venue: Library of Clergy House. **NB: This is the final course until September.** Parents wishing Baptism for their child, please pick up an Application Form from the back of the church, complete it, and return it to Sr Nora Mary, via the parish office, at their earliest convenience. Thank you – *Sr. Nora Mary.*

POLITE REQUEST TO ANYONE BOOKING THE HOLY FAMILY HALL: Please take your rubbish home with you. We do not have the facilities to store it until the Council collect. You might have noticed that there are a lot of seagulls in the area and there's nothing they enjoy more than raiding bin bags!! Thank you.

HYMNS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Entrance: 468; Offertory: 315 & 609; Communion: 663; Recessional: 360.

OFFERINGS

Loose plate: £736.86

Electronic plate } For update see below . . .

Standing Orders} For update see below . . .

The total sum of electronic donations plus Direct Debits/Standing Orders received through March was £1,437.90 – working out at an average of £359.50 per week.

The response to . . .

*"May your will be done: . . ." is
". . . on earth as it is in heaven."*

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS OF 2024

Prayerful congratulations go out to our young parishioners who will receive the Holy Eucharist for the first time at Sunday's 10:00 a.m. Mass. May God bless them richly on this special day.

Munachiso Samowina	CHUKWUDI
Opuriche Chimamanda	CHUKWUDI
Oshini Shenaya J	HETTIARACHCHIGE
Kyra Waithira	MWIRIKIA
Harrison Jack Andrew	NIXON
Vanessa	NOWAK
Ina	PATHMANATHAN
India	PATHMANATHAN
Max Gary	POWER
Mali Grace	SCOULDING
Colt Ronald	THRAVES
Lilley May	WHEATLEY

Please pray for them that they will draw ever closer to Jesus, the Bread of life, and that they will live always as a child of God. Thank you. – *Canon Benedict*

OPEN LISTENING MEETING & STATION MASS:

Sacred Heart Parish, Morriston, Swansea, SA6 6HZ
Thursday 30th May 2024

5 p.m. Adoration (Church)

5:30 p.m. Meeting (Sacred Heart Centre)

7 p.m. Station Mass – Celebrant: Archbishop Mark O'Toole
Followed by May Procession of Our Lady
and refreshments in the hall