

St. Helen's Church Barry

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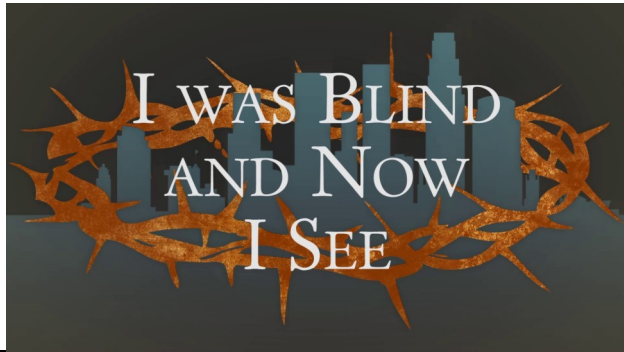
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26th March 2017, 04th Sunday of Lent

Saturday	6.30pm	Patricia Russell
Sunday	8.30am	David Olney
	10.30am	John Nolan

02nd April 2017, 05th Sunday of Lent

Saturday	6.30pm	CF Sebastian
Sunday	8.30am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Irene (Rene) Evans

Parish Hall Events 2017

Monday	1.00pm	Parent & Toddler
Thursday	9.30am	Slimming World

Please pray for all the sick and elderly members of the Parish, their families, carers, and all their families.

Sanctuary Lamp: Blackie & Canty Family

Weekday Masses Mon 27th March 2017- Sat 01st April 2017

Monday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	10.00am	Graham & Jean Jones 50 th Wedding Anniversary
Tuesday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	9.00am Note Times of Adoration	Francis Clements Adoration- 9.30am-11:30am 3:30pm- 8:00pm
Wednesday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	9.00am	Richard John Morgan
Thursday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	7.30am	Andrew Olney
Friday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	9.00am 7.00pm	Bill Llewellyn Stations of the Cross
Saturday The Annunciation Of The Lord (Solemnity)	9.00am 10-11am	Power & McCarthy Families Confession *

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparation -

On 05th and 12th April 2017 at 7pm in the Presbytery

First Holy Communion-

On 29th March 2017 meeting at 5.20pm in Parish Hall
Also 5th April Parents/Guardian and Sponsor meeting

Confirmation-

Wed 29th March 2017 at 7pm

Thursday 6th April Para liturgy- Parents/Guardians, sponsors and Candidates

RCIA-

Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults will resume on 30th March 2017 in the Presbytery at 7pm.

Cleaners and Counters

Church Cleaners— Wendy and Co.

Counters This week **D** next week **A**

St Helen's Infant and Nursery
 St Helen's Junior
 St Richard Gwyn

Mrs Kathy Giernalczyk (Acting Head)
 Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head)
 Mr Stephen Grech (Head Teacher)

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Dates for you Diary

+Lent 2017

Tuesdays Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
9.30am - 11.30am & 3:30pm– 8:00pm

Thursdays Morning Mass 7.30am
(Church open from 7.00am for those who would wish to make a short visit on the way to work.) Rosary 9.00am. Church open- 5.30pm.

Fridays Miraculous Medal Novena 12 noon - 5.30pm
Rosary after all weekday Masses (except Thursday)

Reminder for your diary– Sacred Triduum

Holy Thursday -13th April 7pm

Good Friday-14th April 3pm

Easter Vigil- 15th April 8pm

+Reconciliation (confession)

During the last week of March, priests will be available to hear confessions at ten locations across the Deanery. If you'd like to make your Lenten confession at a convenient time, please note the following opportunities:

Mon 27 March

2 pm – 3 pm St Joseph's Penarth

7 pm – 8 pm St Helen's Barry

Tue 28 March

2 pm – 3 pm St David's Cathedral

7 pm – 8 pm St Brigid's

Wed 29 March

2 pm – 3 pm St Teilo's

7 pm – 8 pm St Philip Evans

Thu 30 March

2 pm – 3 pm St Peter's

7 pm – 8 pm St Mary's

Fri 31 March

2 pm – 3 pm St Francis

7 pm – 8 pm St Cadoc

Three Priests will be available at each location.

+Ladies Circle

Meeting on Wednesday 29th March. Rosary at 1.30pm, Meeting 2.00pm in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

+Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 4th April, 7pm in the Presbytery

+Gift Aid Forms

Please could everyone return their Gift Aid Forms to Fr Fat, Ingrid Grant, Mike Stafford or post them through the Presbytery door as soon as possible. Gift Aid envelopes available in Parish Hall this Weekend. Thank you

+The Goose is Loose

Thursday **30th March at 7pm**. Video, and discussion on the Holy Spirit. In the Parish Hall. **All are welcome.**

+Vale Catholic Schools-

A Celebration of Lent and Easter

In association with Cafod a Celebration of Lent and Easter will be held at St Helen's Church on Tuesday 28th March at 2pm and then also at St Joseph's Church on Thursday 30th March at 6pm. We will be joined by pupils of St Richard Gwyn High School, St Helen's Junior School and St Josephs Primary School. All are welcome

+Association for the Propagation of the Faith

It is Red Box opening time again and our collectors will be calling on APF box holders in the next few days. Richard Cann, local treasurer, will be at all masses on the weekend of 15th-16th April to receive the funds collected. Anyone with a box that has not been emptied in the last 12 months or if you usually bring your box to the church, Please bring them with you at anytime before 23rd April 2017. Thank you for all your continuing support. If you are able to sign a gift aid form they are available at the back of church.

+Monthly Family Prayer

Last Friday of the month, Next date is Friday 31st March in The Lady Chapel at 2.00pm

+Deanery Station Mass

Thursday 6th April at 7pm St David's College Cardiff. If there is sufficient numbers in people attending the Mass we will hire a bus. A list for names is placed on the notice board at the back of Church. If you want to attend please put name down as soon as possible.

+An invitation to a Lenten retreat

A retreat day of prayer according to spirituality. During the course of the day, there will be two talks, imaginative contemplation, time for prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament. The day is open to People of all faiths and of no faith, It is also free of charge and lunch will be provided. 1st April 2017 from 10:30am-3.00pm at St David's Catholic College Cardiff CF235QD. To make a booking please contact Christian Mahoney on 07764575864 or email christianmahony2@gmail.com

+Weekend Retreat

Walsingham Way – a weekend retreat for those considering their vocation. Young Catholics aged 18-30 are invited to come to the ancient pilgrim site at Walsingham in Norfolk to pray and to discern God's calling in their life. The event takes on 30 June - 2nd July. Further details can be found on the website www.ukvocations.org

+Family Mass

Sunday 02nd April Junior School Family Mass at 10:30am. **All are welcome**