



St. Helen's Church Barry

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Sunday 9th April 2017

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**'Blessed is he
who comes in
the name of the
Lord!
Hosanna in the
highest!'**

9th April 2017, Palm Sunday of the passion of The Lord

Saturday	6.30pm	Andrew Olney
Sunday	8.30am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Cyril Marsh

16th April 2017, Easter Sunday of the resurrection of the Lord

Saturday	8:00pm	People of the Parish Easter Vigil
Sunday	8.30am	For All Our Families and Friends
	10.30am	For All Children

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- Mary Ale & Kevin Stephens

**Weekday Masses Mon 10th April 2017-
Sat 16th April 2017**

Monday Monday Of Holy Week	9.00am	James Thomas
Tuesday Tuesday Of Holy Week	9.00am	Sheeham & Leattam Families Adoration 9.30am- 8:00pm Confessions 6:45pm- 7:45pm
Wednesday Wednesday Of Holy Week	10.15	Requiem Mass— Sheila Gordon
Thursday Evening Mass Of The Lord's Supper	7.00pm	People Of The Parish Confessions following Mass
Friday Good Friday Of The Passion Of The Lord	3.00pm 7.00pm	Celebration Of The Lords Passion Stations of the Cross
Saturday The Easter Vigil	8:00pm	No Morning Service People of the Parish

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparation— On 10th & 17th May at 7pm in the Presbytery

First Holy Communion- Preparation will resume on 26th April in the Parish hall at 5:20pm

Confirmation- Mass of the Lord's Supper— **Holy Thursday 13th April at 7pm**. Preparation will resume on 26th April at 7pm in the Parish hall.

RCIA— Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults will resume on 4th May in the Presbytery.

Cleaners and Counters

Church Cleaners— Anne & Shelagh.

Counters This week **B** next week **C**

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

+PASCHAL TRIDUUM

HOLY THURSDAY - 13th April:

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7.00pm.

Followed by:

'Watching at the Altar of Repose' until 11.00pm.

GOOD FRIDAY - 14th April:

Celebration of the Lord's Passion: 3.00pm.

A day of Fast and Abstinence.

The collection at the 3.00pm

celebration is for the **Holy Places.**

HOLY SATURDAY - 15th April:

Easter Vigil: 8.00pm.

(Attendance at the Easter Vigil

fulfils the Sunday obligation.)

EASTER SUNDAY MORNING -

16th April:

8.30am & Children's Mass - 10.30am.

WEDNESDAY

12th April:

Mass of the Chrism - 11.30am,

in St. David's Cathedral, Cardiff.

The collection at the 3.00pm

celebration is for the **Holy Places.**

Walk Of Witness - Good Friday 14th April

The first station is at Parade Gardens **12.00noon.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

At **7.00pm**, in Church

+Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Sunday 9th April, 3pm-4pm With the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

Tuesday 11th April, 6:45pm—7:45pm.

Holy Thursday 13th April— Following the 7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper.

No Confessions Good Friday or Holy Saturday.

+Flowers For Easter

For those who wish to contribute there will be a second collection after all this weekend.

+SACRED TRIDUUM 2017

Could all those participating in the Offertory and Entry Processions please assemble in the Hall at **least 20 minutes** before Mass is due to commence. Guidance will be provided as to the order in which the gifts are to be carried to the Altar etc. You will also be told at what stage of the Mass you should come to the Hall to collect your gifts for presentation. There are notices in the porch listing the participants in the Solemn Entry Procession on Holy Thursday and the Offertory Processions on both Holy Thursday and the Easter Vigil on Saturday night. Please check these to ensure that you attend on the correct night.

+Washing of the feet Ceremony

There is a list on the notice board asking for volunteers to take part in the Washing of the Feet ceremony on Holy Thursday if you would like to participate please ensure you put your name down as **soon as possible.**

+Please Pray

For the repose of the soul of **Thomas (Tom) Venton & Sheila Gordon** who died recently.

Funeral Arrangements

Thomas (Tom) Venton— Funeral Service 11th April at 11am followed by Crematorium at 12 Noon.

Sheila Gordon- Reception into church 11th April at 4:30pm. **Requiem Mass** 12th April at **10:15am** followed by burial at Barry Cemetery at 11:30am.

+Association for the Propagation of the Faith

It is Red Box opening time- 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.

+Risen - follow the epic story of the Resurrection through the eyes of a non-believer.

This Easter, join us in the Cornerstone to witness the manhunt that changed the course of human history forever. The film showing is completely free including snacks and fizzy drinks – an enjoyable occasion for all the family. Rated PG-13. Friday April 21st 2017
First showing 2:30pm | Second showing 7pm

+Celebrate

Celebrate Wales is a fantastic weekend for the whole family to grow in faith, with inspiring talks, worship, workshops, drama from Rise Theatre, and an opportunity to find inspiration and encounter God. The event runs 9am - 9pm Saturday 29 April and 9am - 4pm Sunday 30 April at St David's College. Please book early especially if you are bringing children - children's streams run activities for all age groups from 3 - 18 but fill up quickly. (Celebrate is managed by Catholic Charismatic Renewal). On-line booking is now open at www.celebrateconference.org/wales.

+Divine Mercy Sunday

The mercy of God never ceases. As Pope Francis said 'be courageous and go to confession' on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 23rd in St Alban's, Splott. Priests from across Cardiff will be hearing confessions 2pm-4pm followed by Prayer and Mass.