



St. Helen's Parish

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Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord.

25th March 2018, Palm Sunday

Saturday	6:30pm	Mick Cole
Sunday	8:30am	Irene Davies
	10:30am	People of the Parish

1st April 2018, Easter Sunday

Saturday	8.00pm	People Of The Parish
Sunday	8:30am	For All Our Families and Friends
	10:30am	For All Children

Parish Hall Events

Monday	1:00pm	Mother & Toddler
Wednesday	2:00pm	Ladies Circle No Meeting

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

Cleaners and Counters

Church Cleaners— Wendy
Counters- This Week D next week A

Collections 11th March 2018

Ordinary: £229.63 **Gift Aid:** £285.00

Sanctuary Lamp: Patrick & Elspeth O'Leary

Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

Weekday Masses: Mon 26h March – Sat 31st March 2018

Monday Of Holy Week	9:00am	Requiem Mass Carla Carpinini
Tuesday Of Holy Week	9:00am 7pm– 8pm	David Olney Adoration 12noon – 8:00pm Confessions/ Reconciliation
Wednesday Of Holy Week	9:00am	William, Lilian & Gurwyn Yarr
Holy Thursday Evening Mass Of The Lord's Supper	7.00pm	People of The Parish Confessions Following Mass
Good Friday Of The Passion Of The Lord	3.00pm 7.00pm	Celebration of The Lord's Passion Stations Of The Cross
Holy Saturday		No Morning Services Easter Vigil 8.00pm
		People of The Parish

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparation- Wednesday 11th & 18th April
at 7:00pm in the presbytery.

First Holy Communion— Sessions will resume on
Wednesday 18th April

Confirmation Sessions will resume on Wednesday
18th April.

R.C.I.A— Sessions will resume on Thursday 19th April

St Helen's Catholic Primary School
 Foundation Phase Site 01446 732834
 St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mrs Kathy Giernalczyk (Head Teacher)
 Key Stage Two Site 01446 740116
 Mr Stephen Grech (Head Teacher) 01446 729250

Please Pray: for the repose of the soul of: **Carla Maria Carpinini, Agatha (Gwen) Farrugia** who died recently.

Funeral arrangements:

Carla Maria Carpinini

Reception into Church Sunday **25th March** at **4.00pm**

Requiem Mass on **Monday 26th March** at **9.30am**

Agatha (Gwen) Farrugia

Funeral Service Thursday 12th April, at **11.00am**

†Mass Of The Chrism

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 28th March, 11.30am, St. David's Cathedral, Charles Street, Cardiff.

†Sacrament Of Reconciliation/Confessions

Tuesday 27th March 7.00pm—8.00pm

Holy Thursday 29th March, Following the 7.00pm Mass

†The Sacred Triduum

Holy Thursday 29th March Mass 7.00pm

Good Friday 30th March

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3.00pm

Holy Saturday 31st March Easter Vigil 8:00pm

Easter Sunday Masses 8.30am and 10.30am.

Please note these days in your diary giving them a priority.

†The Sacred Triduum Processions

Could all those taking part in the Solemn Entry Procession on Holy Thursday and the Offertory Processions on both Holy Thursday and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday please assemble in the Hall AT LEAST 20 minutes before Mass commences in order for final preparations to be made. Thank you. Lists of those taking part are now on the notice board in the porch. Please check these to ensure you are still available for the relevant procession. Thank you

†Washing of Feet

Holy Thursday at 7.00pm TWELVE people are required to take part in this ceremony. Don't be shy place your name on the list at the back of the Church. "

†Good Friday A Day of Fast and Abstinence

Collection For The Holy Places is for the upkeep of the Holy Places and the support of Christians who are remaining in the Holy Land sometimes in the midst of great opposition and deprivation. As we celebrate suffering of Jesus on the cross let us be conscious of the suffering of those who seek to follow him whilst facing turmoil and discrimination and even martyrdom for holding on to their faith.

Walk of Witness

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

Altar Servers Practise Wednesday 28th March 4.00pm

†Easter Flowers

If you wish to make a contribution there will be a retiring collection after all Masses this weekend.

†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 14th-15th April to receive the funds collected. Anyone with a box that has not been emptied in the last twelve months, or if you usually bring your box to church, please bring them in at any time, but by the 22nd April at the latest. Thank you for all your continuing support. If you are able to sign a gift aid form please let me know. (tel 409843).

†Ladies Circle

No Meeting Wednesday 28th March.

Meeting for Lunch Wednesday 4th April, Colcot Arms, 12.30.

Meeting Wednesday 11th April. Rosary in Church at 1:30pm, meeting in Parish Hall at 2:00pm.

†Divine Mercy Sunday 8th April

Divine Mercy Novena 30th March—7th April.

Divine Mercy Holy Hour Sunday 8th April 3pm - 4pm

† Mass For New Catholics

The Rite of Election on the First Sunday of lent saw almost seventy people from all over the diocese come together for the Rite of Election. Joined by their families and friends, the celebration was a marvellous witness to the dedication of those who help our converts on their journey of faith. There will be a Mass for New Catholics at St. David's Cathedral on Pentecost Sunday, 20 May, at 5.30pm. All are invited to participate in what will be a very happy occasion. It will be followed by a reception in The Cornerstone

†Out Reach - Proclaim 2015

The Out Reach to Rhoose Point last June will be followed up this year with a visit to a section of Rhoose. As with last year, we are seeking volunteers to call upon homes. The days chosen are week 1: May 8th, 9th, 10th. Week 2: 15th, 16th, 17th May. The visiting to begin at 6.30 and ending at 8.00pm. There will be a Mass in Rhoose at 7.00pm on Friday 18th May, the venue yet to be decided upon.

There is a list on the notice board for volunteers, please put your name forward.

†Lourdes 2019

It is proposed to have a Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes in September 2019. It will be a coach journey providing an opportunity to visit places of interest on the way to and from Lourdes. There will be a meeting on Tuesday 10th April, 7.00pm in the Parish Hall, for all interested.