



St. Helen's Parish

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Sunday 21th October 2018

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'For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

21st October 2018, 29th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Saturday	6.30pm	Dennis & Jill Hardy
Sunday	8:30am	People Of The Parish
	10:30am	K.P Joseph

28th October 2018, 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Saturday	6.30pm	Joan & Len Caloe
Sunday	8:30am	Julie Griffiths
	10:30am	People Of The Parish

Parish Hall Events—No Events this week due to Work being carried out in the Parish Hall.

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

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparation— On 14th & 21st November at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

First Holy Communion-Reminder there is a meeting on Wednesday **24th October** at **4:00pm** in the **Church** for parents/guardians that were unable to attend the initial meeting that took place on 3rd October.

Confirmation- Reminder there is a meeting on Wednesday **24th October** at **7:00pm** in the **Church** for parents/guardians that were unable to attend the initial meeting on 17th October.

Twenty-Ninth Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Weekday Masses: Mon 22nd Oct – Sat 27th Oct 2018

Monday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am	Michael Berndt
Tuesday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am	Alan & Marie Scully Adoration 12.00 Noon— 6.00pm
Wednesday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9.00am	Timothy Brown
Thursday The Six Martyrs and Their Companions	9:00am	Brian Tyler & Jane Pearce Church Open For Prayers 9:30am-5.00pm
Friday Weekday In Ordinary Time	8:30am 10:00am 3.00pm	Pat & Anne Lally St Helen's Primary School—Grandparents Mass Miraculous Medal Church Open 9:30am– 5.00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
Saturday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am 2:30pm	Sr Gertrude McSweeney St Helen's Annual Service In Remembrance 10am-11am Confessions/Reconciliation

Cleaners and Counters

Cleaners— Eva & Peter

Counters- This Week **B** next week **C**

Sanctuary Lamp: Kelly Family

+ Please Pray

For the repose of the souls of: **Iris Clissett** (Mother of Ray Clissett) who died recently.

Funeral Arrangements:

Funeral Service on Monday **22nd October** at **10:45am**, at **St. David's Methodist Church**, Winston Road, Colcot.

Dates for your Diary

+The Spiritans (Holy Ghost Fathers)

Fr Emmanuel from the Spiritans celebrated Mass with us last weekend. He would like to thank everyone at St Helen's for the warm welcome he received and also would like to thank all parishioners who contributed to the retiring collection that raised £715.08, this will help them to continue their much needed work.

+Grandparents Mass

The children of St Helen's Catholic Primary School would like to invite all Grandparents and honorary Grandparents to join us for a special mass of Thanksgiving for all that they do for us on Friday 26th October at 10:00am. We look forward to seeing you there.

+Annual St Helen's Service In Remembrance

This year the service will take place on **Saturday 27th October at 2:30pm**. The service has been prepared especially for those who have recently been bereaved, but of course, all are welcome. It will last for approximately 40 minutes and will consist of appropriate readings, poems and hymns. During the service a member of the family will have an opportunity to light a candle in memory of their deceased relative. Please feel free to attend for as much or as little time as you wish. Following the service everyone is welcome to join us in the Parish Hall for light refreshments.

+Our Parish Our Day

The Parish Council are planning on holding a further "Our Parish Our Day" next Spring and would like to hear from you. An open evening is planned for Tuesday 30th October in the Parish Hall at 7:00pm.

We invite you all to come along with your thoughts, ideas and concerns so that the day can be developed and designed with your wishes in mind. Tea /coffee and biscuits will be provided and we look forward to seeing you!

+Church Hall

Work is due to commence on the Church Hall and toilets beginning Monday 22nd October. It is expected that this will take a full working week. There will be no access to the Hall and Toilets at this time.

+Bazaar Meeting

Bazaar meeting Tuesday 23rd October at 7:00pm in the presbytery.

+Ladies Circle

Wednesday 24th October, No meeting in Church. Meal at Bryn Owain, Cowbridge. For more information and for bus pick up's please see notice board.

+Mother & Toddler Group

Due to the work commencing in the Parish Hall there will be no mother & Toddler group next week. It will resume as normal after half term on Monday 5th November.

+ANNUAL PARISH BAZAAR

Annual Bazaar- 24th November 11:00am to 2:00pm

Prize Draw- 2nd December after 10.30am Mass.

Both events to be held in the Parish Hall.

To make the Bazaar a success we would be grateful of the following items: raffle prizes, bottles, gifts, toiletries, soft toys, jigsaws, toys, china & glass, cakes, biscuits, soft drinks, prize every time items suitable for children & adults, Santa gifts, plus any good saleable items would be gratefully appreciated.

The parish hall will be open on the following Sunday's 4th, 11th, and 18th November after 10.30am Mass up until midday, to receive any of the above items, or contact Marilyn to arrange collection.

+Churches Of Barry Christmas Story

Rehearsals for the Christmas Story have begun at St Mary's Church Holton Road. There is still a need for volunteers from cast members to stewards. If you can assist with this it would be very much appreciated. Rehearsals will take place every Sunday starting 21st October until the 2nd December at 3:00pm, the dress rehearsal on Sunday 9th December at 6:30pm with the performances taking place from 10th December to 15th December. The Christmas Story provides the Churches in Barry with an opportunity to present the Gospel Story to the wider community. It is also an important ecumenical outreach.

+The Great Commission

Weekend of 27th & 28th October 2018 at Mary Immaculate High School, Wenvoe, Cardiff CF5 5QZ. God is Love! His whole being wants to share that love with us and to complete its work in us and take it to our neighbour and the whole world. God wants to bless you, your families, your friends and your parishes, Come and hear; Come and see; Come and experience how we can help make the Lord known and loved and be disciples to the Lord. This is The Great Commission (Matthew 28:19) – know the love of God and share it. With prayer, worship and a series of talks over two days, Through the Light of Jesus Covenant Community. Come hear what the Lord is planning for our lives. This is a unique opportunity to share in a New Life. Please do not miss it! Your Church Needs You!