



St. Helen's Parish

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**'Just as you
 promised;
 my eyes have
 seen the
 salvation.'**

2nd February, The Presentation Of The Lord

Saturday	6.30pm	Ellen Verling
Sunday	8:30am	Bonnie Harvey
	10:30am	People Of The Parish

9th February, 5th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Saturday	6.30pm	Tanner Intention
Sunday	8:30am	People Of The Parish
	10:30am	Thelma Peters

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

Parish Hall Events

Monday	1:00pm	Mother & Toddler
Wednesday	2:00pm	Ladies Circle

Cleaners and Counters

Church Cleaners— Ewa & Peter
Counters— This Week A Next week B

+Family Monthly Prayer

Last Friday of each month. Next meeting is on 28th February at **2:00pm** in Our Lady Chapel.

Sanctuary Lamp: Janice Makenen

The Presentation Of The Lord

Weekday Masses: Mon 3rd Feb— Sat 8th Feb

Monday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am	Parker & Finn Families Blessing Of The Throats During Mass
Tuesday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am	Elizabeth & John Parker Adoration 12Noon— 6:00pm
Wednesday St Agatha	9:00am	Adrian Little
Thursday St Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs	7:30am 10:30am	Cyril Brown Adoration 6:30am-7:20am Requiem Mass— Angela Pratt Church Open For Prayer until 5:00pm
Friday Weekday In Ordinary Time	8:30pm 2:30pm	Eileen Crossey Miraculous Medal Church Open 9:30am-5:00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
Saturday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am	William Callaghan 10am-11am Confessions/Reconciliation

Sacramental Events

Preparations—

Baptism preparation on 12th & 19th February at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

First Holy Communion—

Preparation will continue on Wednesday 5th February at 5:15pm in the Parish Hall, Children only.

Confirmation—

Preparation will continue on Wednesday 5th February at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall, Candidates only.

RCIA—

Sessions will continue on Thursday 6th February at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

**Bap-
tism**

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Kathy Giernalczyk (Head Teacher)

01446 700034

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Interim Head Teacher)

01446 729250

+Please Pray

For the repose of the soul of: **Angela Pratt & Michael Johnson** who died recently.

Funeral Arrangements:

Angela Pratt– Reception into church on Wednesday **5th February** at **4:00pm**. Requiem Mass on Thursday **6th February** at **10:30am**.

Michael Johnson– Reception into church on Thursday **13th February** at **4:00pm**. Requiem Mass on Friday **14th February** at **10:30am**.

Dates For Your Diary

+Sunday 2nd February Presentation Of The Lord

Traditionally the blessing of the candles takes place on this day. The blessing of the candles will take place at the 10:30am Mass. Could parishioners please assemble in the hall prior to the Mass.

Readers: please note that at all Masses the readings commence on page 300 of the Parish Mass book.

+Annual Mass For The Sick

In response to the World Day of Prayer for the sick there will be a Mass for the Sick held on Saturday 15th February at 2:00pm.

+Fund Raising Event– Save The Date

Come and join us for our Parish Quiz Night on Friday 21st February. The proceeds for this event will go to St Helen's Catholic Primary School in order for them to purchase and install a new gate, making safer access for the children going to and from church.

The parish will match pound for pound the amount raised on the night!

The event will be held in the Parish Hall from 7:00pm.

The evening will include Prizes for the winning team, a raffle with various prizes and an interval game.

Teams will be made up of no more than 6 people to a team (feel free to join with another team if required), £3.00 per person for the quiz and £1.00 per entry for the interval game.

Please bring your own drinks and snacks, Tea & Coffee will be available.

+Meeting For Counters

There will be a meeting for all new and existing counters on Tuesday 25th February at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

+Meeting For Cleaners

There will be a meeting for all new and existing church cleaners on Thursday 27th February at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

+Meeting For Proclaim '15

Meeting on Wednesday 5th February at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

+The God Who Speaks': A Year of the Word

Each month you are invited to attend a Scripture Study day at The Cornerstone Cardiff. The next Study day will take place on 15th February from 10am-12 noon.

The day will be led by Fr Nick James and will look at 'How the Old Testament helps us to understand the New Testament.'



+Movie Night

Come and join us for our next movie night on Monday 10th February at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

Movie– Ten Commandments. Free event, Popcorn & Tea/Coffee available. All welcome.

+Ladies Circle

Wednesday 29th January Rosery in Church at 1:30pm, meeting in the Parish Hall at 2:00pm.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to last week's Bring & Buy Sale, we raised over £100.

+Evangelisation Presentation Evening

On Tuesday 18th February St Helens will be holding a Evangelisation evening in the Parish Hall.

The evening will be led by Teresa Carvalho.

Teresa Carvalho is the Home Mission Development Officer at the department for Evangelisation and Discipleship at the Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales. In short, she inspires Catholics to help people become friends with Jesus.

Originally from East London and enjoys travelling, especially to Wales. Sylvia Ideh works with Teresa in the Home Mission Office and is a talented musician and sound production engineer. She would like to see the Catholic Church be a place that would attract her friends who are in great need of what we offer.

They are keen to meet those who know that something needs to change, even if they are unsure what it might be. Our evening with her will involve humour, discussion, prayer and the opportunity to explore this curious word 'Evangelisation'.

+Celebration Mass & Gathering for the Feast of Our Lady Of Lourdes

The Welsh National Pilgrimage invites you to join us for the celebration of Mass, offered for the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. Details are as follows:

Date - Sunday 16th February

Location - Our Lady of Margam Port Talbot

Time - Mass at 3:30pm (followed by a social gathering in the hall). Come and join us everyone is very welcome!

+Franciscans Meeting

Barry Secular Franciscans will meet in the Parish Hall at 3:00pm on Sunday 2nd February. All are invited.