

St. Helen's Parish

Barry, Rhoose, Sully

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Registered Charity No 242380

27th September 2020

26th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Eucharistic Prayer: III

Sunday Preface: IV



'If anyone loves me he will keep my word.'

27th September 2020, 26th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Saturday	6.30pm	Clifford Douglas Mackenzi
Sunday	8.30am	People Of The Parish
	10:30am	Brian Tyler & Jane Pearce

4th October 2020, 27th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Saturday	6.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	8:30am	Mary Dodd
	10:30am	Olney, Breen, Vereker Families

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

Parish Hall Events

No Parish Hall Events Until Further Notice

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparations— Please contact the parish office for more information.

First Holy Communion— First Holy Communion will be celebrated on Saturday 10th October.

RCIA— Sessions continue on Thursday 1st October at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

Confirmation— Postponed until further notice.

Sanctuary Lamp: Frances Elizabeth Heryet

26th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Weekday Masses: Mon 28th Sept— Sat 3rd Oct 2020

Monday Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	Annamaria & Asher Thanksgiving
Tuesday Ss. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael' Archangels	12 Noon	Jane Rajalingham
Wednesday St Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church	9:00am	Clare Reynolds
Thursday St. Therese of Lisieux	9:00am 5:15pm	Helen & Liam Calnan Rosary (Live Stream Only)
Friday Guardian Angels	9:00am 5:15pm	Theresa Bennett Rosary (Live Stream Only)
Saturday Weekday in Ordinary Time		No Morning Mass 10am-11am Confessions/ Reconciliation

Collections—Sunday 20th September 2020

Ordinary- £318.75 Gift Aid-183.45

Mass Steward Volunteers

Sat 6:30pm 26th Sept	Leelamma Reji, Anne Reynish, Nikki Cole & Jennifer Hanson
Sun 8:30am 27th Sept	Anne Munro, Pat Wilkins, Chris Owens & Menna Jones
Sun 10:30am 27th Sept	Eanna Harkins, Soniya Johny, Stephanie Tarling & Michelle O'Hare
Sat 6:30pm 3rd October	Leelamma Reji, Anne Reynish Nikki Cole & Paul Burke
Sun 8:30am 4th October	Pat Wilkins, Obi Ofokansi Chris Owens & Anne Munro
Sun 10:30am 4th October	Eanna Harkins, Soniya Johny, Phillip Kitchen & Michelle O'Hare

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Kathy Giernalczyk (Head Teacher)

01446 700034

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

01446 729250

+Face Covering Guidelines

When gathering in “open premises” – including places of worship and community centres – it is now a requirement to wear a face covering as well as taking the other steps, such as hand washing and physical distancing, which are required. Face coverings must cover the mouth and nose. This applies to all, including worship leaders and those speaking in other permitted meetings. The requirement for “three layers” means that a visor alone is not permitted. There are exception to the requirement to wear a face covering for medical reasons, and it is permitted to remove the covering “to communicate with another person who has difficulty communicating (in relation to speech, language or otherwise)” [Regulation 12B(4)(c)].

+Reminder Weekday Masses

Please check the weekday Mass times on the front of the newsletter each week as times & days may change due to funerals and insufficient number of volunteers. In the event that we are unable to celebrate public Mass due to having no stewards/cleaners for that day, Mass will be live streamed, you will be able to find the details of this on the front of the newsletter.

+Mass Bookings

If it is your intention to attend Mass, booking is essential. Please book by email: barry@rcadc.org or by telephoning the parish office: **01446 735051** (option 2), please state which Mass you wish to attend and how many people are attending.

Update on Booking For Mass: As from Tuesday 29th September 2020 the parish office will be open Tuesday to Friday from 9.00am to 2.00pm to receive bookings for Saturday/Sunday Mass, either by email or telephone. This means that the office is closed, for Mass bookings, from 2.00pm Friday to 9.00am Tuesday. If you have been unable to book a place for Mass please do not turn up on the off chance that there may be a place available as it is important that the guidelines are adhered to, which could lead to disappointment. The church doors will be open 20 minutes before Mass begins and will be locked as soon as Mass begins. Please follow the stewards instructions as a seating plan & one way system are in place. Please ensure you only sit in the seat that the steward has designated you to. In the event of a fire you would not be expected to follow the one way system, please exit at the nearest safest exit. The toilet facility is now available, children must be accompanied to the toilet by an adult.

+Live Stream

Masses are still available via live stream by visiting our website: www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk

+First Holy Communion

All going well, First Holy Communion will be celebrated on Saturday 10th October. Originally, this was to take place on 16th May, but like many an event it had to be postponed due to Covid-19. As always this day will be a special day in the life of the children and in the life of the parish. Please remember the children and their families in your prayers.

+Mass Volunteers For Stewarding & Cleaning

We are only able to continue with the celebration of public Mass if we have sufficient numbers of volunteers. We are in need of volunteers for the weekend Masses partially Saturday evening 6:30pm. If you are in a position that you feel you could help with this please contact Kirsty Vater in the Parish Office, full training will be given.

The volunteer Rota for weekday Mass during October is now at the back of the Church.

Thank you again to all those who already give up there time to help us to continue to celebrate public Mass.

+October Month of the Holy Rosary

In keeping with tradition we will be celebrating the Rosary during the month of October.

The intentions of the rosary will be for the conversion of sinners, for the life of the parish & for the healing of the pandemic. There will be an opportunity for people to make their own private intentions.

Please note: the rosary will be recited in church (live stream active) on Tuesdays at 11:15am.

Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 5:15pm (Live stream only). Due to the current uncertainty the days and times are subject to change, details can be found in the front of the newsletter each week.

This will begin on Thursday 1st October at 5:15pm (Live stream only).

+The Parable Of The Two Son's

A lady went to the post office to mail a Bible to an old friend. She wrote on the box the warning “Fragile!” The postal clerk asked, “Is there anything breakable in here?” “Yes,” she replied. “It contains the Ten Commandments”.

Sin is always a violation of God's commandments. It practically means saying no to God. The two sons in the parable disobeyed the father. The first son said ‘no’, but later decided to obey his father. The second son said ‘yes’, but did not do what his father told him to do. In effect, it was also a ‘no’. It is not the words that really matter but the deed. Jesus said: “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven” (Mt 7:21). - *Catholicforlife.com*