



St. Helen's Parish

Barry, Rhoose, Sully

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Registered Charity No 242380

31st October 2021

All Saints

Eucharistic Prayer: I

Sunday Preface: The Glory Of Jerusalem, Our Mother



31st October 2021, All Saints (Solemnity)

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| Saturday | 6:30pm | People Of The Parish |
| Sunday | 8:30am | David Olney |
| | 10:30am | Special Intention |

7th November 2021, 32nd Sunday Of Ordinary Time

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| Saturday | 6:30pm | Deceased members of Hardy & Frayling Families |
| Sunday | 8:30am | Aldo Cavalli |
| | 10:30am | People Of The Parish |

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

No Parish Hall Events Until Further Notice

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparations– Contact the parish office for further details.

First Holy Communion– Parents/Guardians meeting on Thursday 11th November at 7:00pm in the parish hall.

Confirmation– Parents/Guardian and sponsors only meeting on Wednesday 10th Nov at 7:00pm in the hall.

Collections– 24th October 2021

Ordinary £368.42 Gift Aid £289.30

Special Collection Mission Sunday- £289.30

Sanctuary Lamp: Holy Souls

All Saints (Solemnity)

Weekday Masses: Mon 1st Nov – Sat 6th Nov 2021

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| Monday Weekday In Ordinary Time | 9:00am | Mick Cole |
| Tuesday The Commemoration Of All The Faithful Departed | 7:30am 8:30am 9:00am 9:30am–12 Noon | For All Deceased Members Of Our Parish, Families & Friends For All The Faithful Departed For the Intentions Of The Holy Father The Pope Adoration |
| Wednesday Weekday In Ordinary Time | 8:30am | Marie Connolly |
| Thursday St Charles Borromeo | 9:00am | Jack Crossey |
| Friday Weekday In Ordinary Time | 9:00am 3:00pm | Molly & Tommy McBride Divine Mercy Chaplet & Stations Of The Cross |
| Saturday St Illtud, Abbot | 9:00am 10am-11am | Jim Heron Confessions/Reconciliations |

Mass Steward Volunteers

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| Sat 6:30pm 30th Oct | Nikki Cole, Paul Burke & Anne Reynish |
| Sun 8:30am 31st Oct | Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins & Rachel Jones |
| Sun 10:30am 31st Oct | Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Rebeca Johnson & Stephanie Tarling |
| Sat 6:30pm 6th Nov | Nikki Cole, Paul Burke & Leelamma Reji |
| Sun 8:30am 7th Nov | Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins & Rachel Jones |
| Sun 10:30am 7th Nov | Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Mervyn Jones & Pippa Jones |

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head Teacher)

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

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+November Altar List For The Dead

Each week during November, there will be a Mass celebrated for the **Holy Souls**. If you wish any deceased members of your family or friends to be remembered at these Masses, please write their names on the slip of paper provided at the back of the church, and place it in the box provided on the step on the Sanctuary. Praying for our dead is part of our Catholic tradition, and is an important part of our life.

+Annual St Helen's Service In Remembrance

This year the service will take place on Saturday 13th November at 2:00pm. The service is 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.

+Sick And Retired Clergy Fund

Dear Sisters and Brothers,
Once again, I commend to your generosity the annual appeal for the support of the sick and retired priests of the Archdiocese of Cardiff. I know how grateful you are for the ministry of your priests over the years. This collection is an opportunity to thank them in a practical way for their years of dedicated service to the people in their care. As always, I am grateful for the support, encouragement and love shown to our priests. Please keep us all in your prayers.

+ George Stack Archbishop of Cardiff & Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese of Menevia

The care of retired and infirm clergy confirms our promise that they will not be forgotten after a life of service. Over the next 10 years just under half of all diocesan priests will reach retirement age. The cost of care will rise dramatically as a result. But with your help, we will keep the promise and show our gratitude. If you would like to support the Sick and Retired Clergy Fund envelopes are available at the back on church and a retiring collection will be taken at all Masses next weekend, 6th/7th November.

+Annual Prize Draw

This year the Annual Prize Draw is Back!
We would be grateful for donations of Raffle prizes. If you are able to donate please contact Marilyn Frayling on 01446 408959. The draw will take place in the Parish Hall on Sunday 12th November after 10:30am Mass, refreshments will be available. More details on how to purchase raffle tickets in next Weekend's newsletter.

+Tuesday 2nd November– All Souls Day

All Souls ' Day falls on November 2nd each year. The day is dedicated to remembering those who have died. While All Souls day is not a Holy day of obligation we are encourage to attend one of the three Masses on this day. You may also visit the church during 9:30am-12 noon for Adoration. Mass times are 7:30am, 8:30am & 9:00am.

+SVP Meeting

There will be an SVP Meeting on Thursday 4th November at 7:00pm in the Presbytery.

+Piety Stall

We have a selection of items for sale in the Piety Stall in the church hall. The stall will be open for 15 minutes after weekend Masses starting in November. Our selection is limited given the size of our stall, however, we also have access to over 2000 items via our parish website and partnership with a local company. For every purchase you make a 10% donation is made to the parish supporting our work here in St Helens. Go to our website www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk/piety-stall for more details.

+Day Of Prayer COP26

Today, Sunday 31st October will be a day of prayer for the success of the meeting in Glasgow. There will be a period of prayer from 2:00pm until 3:30pm.

+Annual Advent Distribution

For many years our parish high school has reached out to the elderly, lonely or needy in our community with cards, gifts and food during Advent. This year is no exception but they need your help- if you or you know of someone who would appreciate a card or gift or is in need financially please send their name in confidence into the parish office or contact the school chaplain on nprice@strichardgwyn.school.

+Volunteer Stewards Needed

Due to the ongoing risk assessments and Covid restriction in place as well as fire safety regulations, there is now a need for more stewards for weekend Masses as well as other celebrations. If you are able to help with this please contact the parish office, more information will then be given and full training will be given if you choose to volunteer.

+Stewards Meeting

Due to new regulations in place and the forthcoming Advent & Christmas Masses there will be a need to meet with all current and future stewards. The meeting will take place on Tuesday 16th November at 7:00pm in the parish hall.

Synod of Bishops Rome, October 2023



The diocesan team set up to facilitate parish participation in preparation for the Synod is seeking two representatives from each parish. The representatives will liaise between the diocese and the parish. Any member of our parish interested in this role would they please contact Fr. Pat no later than Tuesday of this week, 2nd November. Should more than two candidates come forward there will be a meeting with the Parish Council on Wednesday 3rd November, at the Presbytery to progress the choice of candidates.

There will be training for all parish representatives - two sessions via Zoom.

Session One will run on two days, the 9th and 10th November.

There will be two sessions on each of these days.

You are asked to choose just one session.

Introductory Session

Tuesday, November 9th from 2.00 -2.45

Tuesday, November 9th from 7.00 -7.45

Wednesday, November 10th from 2.00 -2.45

Wednesday, November 10th from 7.00 -7.45

Follow-up training

Session Two will run on two days, the 16th and 17th November.

There will be two sessions on each of these days.

You are asked to choose just one session.

Tuesday, November 16th from 2.30 -4.00

Tuesday, November 16th from 7.00 -8.30

Wednesday, November 17th from 2.30 -4.00

Wednesday, November 17th from 7.00 -8.30