



St. Helen's Parish

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21st November 2021

Christ The King Of The Universe

Eucharistic Prayer: I

Preface: Christ, King of the Universe



21st November 2021, Our Lord Jesus Christ King Of The Universe

Saturday	6:30pm	Louise Good
Sunday	8:30am	Thanksgiving- Teresa O'Keefe
	10:30am	Alan Coulthard

28th November 2021, 1st Sunday Of Advent

Saturday	6:30pm	People Of The Parish
Sunday	8:30am	Anna Deasy
	10:30am	Michael Stafford

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– Contact the parish office for further details.

First Holy Communion– Presentation of Our Father on Sunday 12th December at the 10:30am Mass. Children & Parents/Guardians.

Collections– 14th November 2021

Ordinary £314.17 Gift Aid £265.60

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Weekday Masses: Mon 22nd Nov – Sat 27th Nov

Monday St Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr		No Mass
Tuesday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am– 10:30am	Adoration Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
Wednesday St Andrew Dung-Lac		No Mass
Thursday Weekday In Ordinary Time		No Mass
Friday Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:30am	No Mass Divine Mercy Chaplet & Stations Of The Cross
Saturday Weekday In Ordinary Time		No Morning Mass No Confessions/ Reconciliations

Mass Steward Volunteers

Sat 6:30pm 20th Nov	Marilyn Frayling, Paul Burke & Leelamma Reji
Sun 8:30am 21st Nov	Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins & Obi Ofokansi & Ligi
Sun 10:30am 21st Nov	Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Mervyn Jones & Pippa Jones
Sat 6:30pm 26th Nov	Marilyn Frayling, Nikki Cole, Paul Burke & Anne Reynish
Sun 8:30am 27th Nov	Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins, Obi Ofokansi & Rachel Jones
Sun 10:30am 27th Nov	Michelle O'Hare, Rebeca Johnson & Soniya Johny

+Live Stream

All Masses and Devotions can be live streamed by visiting our website www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk

Sanctuary Lamp: Sr Ann O'Gorman

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head Teacher)

01446 700034

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

01446 729250

+Please Pray

For the repose of the soul of **Leonard Frank Little & Caroline Hooper** who died recently.

Funeral Arrangements:

Lenard Little:-Requiem Mass on Thursday 9th December at 1:00pm.

Caroline Hooper-Requiem Mass on Thursday 2nd December at 11:30am.

+Annual Prize Draw

Donations- This year the Annual Prize Draw is Back! We would be grateful for donations of Raffle prizes.

If you are able to donate Marilyn Frayling will be available After the 10:30am Mass on Sunday 28th November and Sunday 4th December to receive any donations. Alternitvly you can contact Marilyn on 01446 408959 or contact the parish office.

Thank you to those who have already donated.

Tickets– Tickets are on sale from the Piety Stall in the parish hall after all Weekend Masses. Tickets are priced at £1 per book of 4 tickets in envelopes of 5 books per envelopes. All payments, counterfoils, and any unsold tickets **must** be returned by Friday 10th December.

The Prize Draw will take place on Sunday 12th December after the 10:30am Mass in the parish hall. Refreshments will be available.

+Archdiocese of Cardiff “The God Who Speaks”: Scripture Study Days

The next Scripture Study Day will be given on Saturday, December 4th from 11am-12.30pm.

Mrs. Kate Duffin will be giving a talk: “The Scriptures of Advent”. Kate is one of the Scripture Champions for the Archdiocese and has promoted the Year of the God Who Speaks during the last two years. She has sent the Quote of the Week to parishes for their newsletters throughout that time too. She will bring our series of Scripture Study Days to an excellent end.

You can access the talks on the day via Zoom:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86396695727?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86396695727?pwd=aHlpV3lnbGgrWGVITHBFeGdqclpVdz09)
[pwd=aHlpV3lnbGgrWGVITHBFeGdqclpVdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86396695727?pwd=aHlpV3lnbGgrWGVITHBFeGdqclpVdz09)

Meeting ID: 863 9669 5727 Passcode: 068790

Contacts for enquiries: madeleine.walters@rcadc.org
or Kate Duffin at kate.duffin@hotmail.co.uk

+Sunday Obligation

The Sunday Eucharist is a gift; as God’s holy people we are called to praise and thank God in the most sublime way possible. When the Church speaks of the Sunday obligation, it reminds us that attending Mass is a personal response to a selfless offering of Christ’s love. Please see the attached document from the Catholics Bishops’ of England & Wales.

More information to follow next weekend.

+Towards A Synodal Church

Parishioners will be aware that the preparations for the Synod are now well under way and your Parish representatives will be meeting soon in order to organise how parishioners of all backgrounds can participate in this process. Our main training session is in the coming week and we will get down to work after that. Please pray to the Holy Spirit for a successful outcome to the whole Synodal Process.

76 parishioners from about 30 parishes across the Archdiocese have stepped up as representatives for their parishes in this historic Synod. They started a programme of training during this past week.

In the first session, they had an introductory talk on what is meant by a 'synod', the synodal process, the timeline and the role of parish representatives.

In their second session next week, they will look at how to organise and run a parish meeting and how they might encourage prayerful listening and discernment. They are to be thanked for their intention to serve their parishes in this way and I am sure you will support them. This will be your opportunity to have your say. The synodal process is for each and every one of us and I hope you will use the opportunities you are offered to listen and talk to each other. Questions to think about: How do we journey together, listen to each other? to the Holy Spirit? What is your dream for the Church, your parish, so that it becomes more missionary, more outward looking?

+Advent Recourses For Families

As we approach Advent, we are reminded that there are some free, downloadable, season family resources (suitable for all ages), on the Marriage and Family Life pages of the diocese website <https://rcadc.org/mfl/parenting/> under the 'spirituality at home' tab.

It is hoped these resources will provide families with ideas for celebrating the full season of Advent, whilst they, as domestic churches, create shared memories built around their Catholic faith.

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The Feast of Christ the King was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925 as an antidote to secularism, a way of life which leaves God out of man's thinking and living and organizes his life as if God did not exist. The feast is intended to proclaim in a striking and effective manner Christ's royalty over individuals, families, society, governments, and nations.

Lord, You are the sovereign King of the Universe.

You are Lord of all. Come reign in my life and make my soul Your holy dwelling place. Lord, come transform our world and make it a place of true peace and